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Vermont Children's Aid Society Announces Staff Changes

Executive Director Steve Habif announces that Tara Graham, LICSW has been promoted to the position of Director of Kids-A-Part, Vermont Children's Aid Society's services for families affected by a parent's incarceration. Additionally, the agency has hired Colleen Dwyer, LICSW, as Kids-A-Part Social Worker, and welcomes the addition of Sonia Stoddard to the team providing Counseling Services in their Woodstock office. Ms. Stoddard will continue her work as Parent Services Coordinator in South East State Correctional Facility.

Habif says, "These changes are part of an increasing agency focus on meeting the needs of children of incarcerated parents in Vermont, while also focusing on supporting families with counseling services to help them through challenging transitions."

Vermont Children's Aid Society is a private not-for-profit organization with offices in Winooski and Woodstock, Vermont. The agency has been supporting and strengthening families since 1919 through a variety of comprehensive programs including adoption services, child and family counseling, a summer camp for adopted children, and services for families affected by a parent's incarceration. VCAS is dedicated to the provision of services which seek to support and strengthen families, and promote safe, stable, and nurturing environments for children. Learn more at www.vtcas.org

VCAS is a member of six United Way chapters in Vermont and the Child Welfare League of America, as well as a recipient of the Better Business Bureau's Charity Seal of Approval.

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