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Robert Flynn is an emeritus professor in the School of Psychology and a senior researcher at the Centre for Research on Educational and Community Services at the University of Ottawa (Canada). He continues to teach, on an occasional basis, graduate courses in program evaluation to doctoral students in clinical and experimental psychology and to graduate students in a graduate certificate program in program evaluation. For the last 12 years, he has been the principal investigator of the Ontario Looking after Children project, in partnership with the Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies and many local Children's Aid Societies. In the project each year, the service needs and developmental outcomes of some 7,500 children and adolescents in out-of-home care are monitored. Also, he and his team recently completed a randomized effectiveness trial of academic tutoring of foster children of primary-school age by their foster parents. The tutoring intervention produced gains in reading and math and is currently being replicated with a sample of mainly Aboriginal children in northern Ontario, with results that to date are similar. Finally, he and his colleagues are currently carrying out a new study of transitions within and from the child welfare system in Ontario.

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