

High Court in UK bans couple from being foster parents because of their 'discriminatory' Christian views

UK's high court has ruled that a couple's traditional Christian views – specifically their belief that homosexuality is a sin – disqualifies them as foster parents.

In a landmark judgment, which will have a serious impact on the future of fostering and adoption in the UK, the High Court has suggested that Christians with traditional views on sexual ethics are unsuitable as foster carers, and that homosexual 'rights' trump freedom of conscience in the UK. The Judges stated that Christian beliefs on sexual ethics may be 'inimical' to children, and they implicitly upheld an Equalities and Human Rights Commission (EHRC) submission that children risk being 'infected' by Christian moral beliefs. (Source: