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This is something I know the agency as a whole has struggled with, it was discussed in my initial training to become a foster parent. I have been a foster parent for 3 years, serving in Coos and Douglas counties and I know no one WANTs a kiddo moved with their belongings in garbage bags. Yet it keeps happening. If it was mandated AND funding was provided for luggage or other appropriate containers like duffel bags or plastic bins for non-clothing items was made available it would IMBO completely eliminate this issue in our state. Anything that leads to a little less distress for our kids in foster care is a good thing.

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