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## Purpose

To help youth transition from shelter to stable housing and provide essential support to ensure they remain successfully housed and connected to community resources.

## Goal

To promote ongoing independence and connection to community and natural supports essential for a fulfilling life.

## Ways We Support



- ✦ Collaborate with youth to create a person-centered plan for leaving the shelter, ensuring that necessary supports and services are in place to align with their goals and needs for success outside the shelter
- ✦ Creating individual plans for each youth will help them identify potential barriers they may face when leaving the shelter and implement preventative measures to avoid setbacks
- ✦ Provide resources and assistance with online applications for additional funding, grants, or subsidies
- ✦ Help youth learn about various community resources and/or accompany them to food banks, events, or community meals
- ✦ Support youth in achieving their educational, employment, mental, and physical health goals
- ✦ Encourage and support youth as they work on rebuilding their relationships and nurturing their natural support systems