



## Transitional Living Program

Supporting all people through  
life's challenges and transitions.

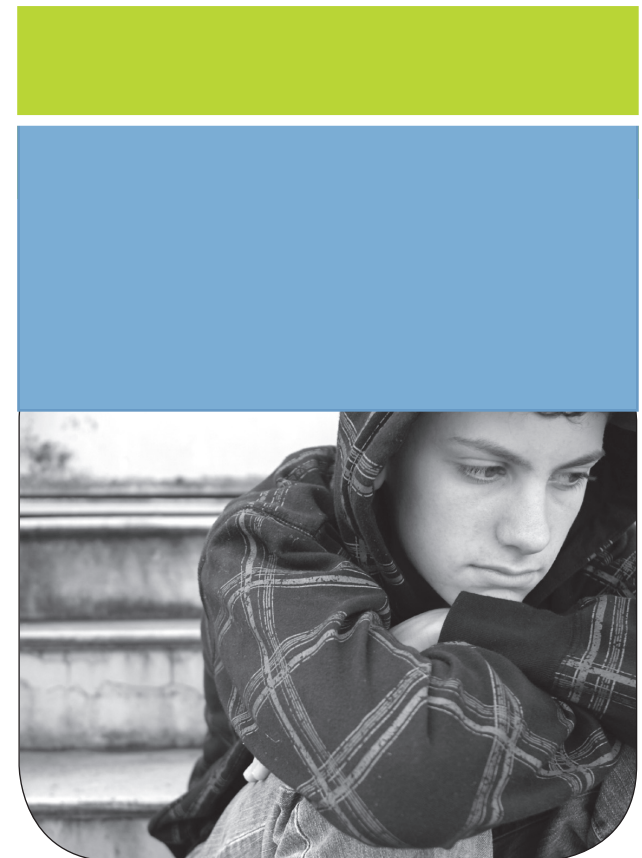


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## Program Overview

Family Services' **Transitional Living Program** (TLP) assists homeless people in gaining self-esteem and learning the skills necessary to become self-sufficient and live independently. Services are provided in the following areas:



- ◆ Finding safe living arrangements (locating and renting safe, stable housing)
- ◆ Life skills training such as budgeting and housekeeping
- ◆ Employability skills training to prepare for, obtain and maintain employment including interviewing techniques, resume writing, job search planning, and social skills on the job
- ◆ Exploration and encouragement of educational, vocational and post-secondary opportunities
- ◆ Interpersonal skill building, goal setting and conflict resolution
- ◆ Information on available services within the community
- ◆ Referrals for any necessary mental and/or physical health treatment
- ◆ Substance abuse prevention information; clients may be required to attend treatment for an addiction as part of their transition plan

An individualized transition plan is developed with maximum input from each participant, based on personal needs. All apartments are “scattered site” and are semi-supervised. They are not owned or operated by Family Services of Northeast Wisconsin.

## Services Offered

Each service area within the Transitional Living Program has unique criteria for eligibility and services offered may vary. Restrictions may apply for eligibility. There is no fee to participating youth. All persons presenting as homeless will be entered into our coordinated entry services. Each person will receive a full assessment (SPDAT OR TAY) to determine where they will rank on the priority list.

### Youth Transitional Living Program

#### Admission Criteria:

Youth, ages 17-21, who do not have a safe or stable living arrangement may be eligible.

#### Restrictions:

1. Youth can not be involved in a system of government such as the Foster Care System, Community Treatment Programs or Probation and Parole.
2. Individual financial assistance is limited to 18 months, although case management and support may be available beyond that time.
3. Participants must be in school, working or have a combination of these to equal a full time commitment.

*Funding provided by the Federal Youth Services Bureau.*

### Supportive Housing Grant

#### Admission Criteria:

Homeless young adults, ages 18-29, who are struggling with addiction issues. This program uses a “housing first model.”

#### Restrictions:

1. Financial assistance is limited to 24 months.
2. Eligible participants must have a documented history of homelessness that meets HUD’s definition of homeless.

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