

## **TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM-PLUS-FOSTER CARE (THPP-NMD)**

### **Who Qualifies for THPP-NMD Services?**

- Non-Minor Dependents (i.e. youth who were in court-ordered, out-of-home placement at age 18 and remain under the jurisdiction of the Juvenile Court as adults)
- Ages 18 to 21 years old
- Pursuing the Goals of a current County-approved Transitional Independent Living Plan (TILP).

### **What is THPP-NMD**

- Apartment Housing at Single Site (Resident Advisors reside on site), Remote Site (no staff resides on site), and Host Family (with permanent and supportive connection) locations.
- Comprehensive Supportive Services:
  - Allowance to pay rent, purchase food, bus pass and other necessities
  - Apartment Furnishings
  - Assistance with Transition Plan
  - Case Management
  - Educational/Employment Support
  - Links to Individual/Group Therapy
  - Mentoring
  - Referrals to Community Resources
  - Support to build “Permanent Connections” with Family/Community
  - 24-Hour Crisis Intervention
  - Pregnancy/Parenting Services
  - Emancipation Savings Account
  - After-care Services
- **Program Goal:** Each participant makes progress towards his or her life goals, including educational attainment or employment achievement, physical and mental well-being, and connections to community and transitions to secure and stable housing at program completion.

### **Referral Process:**

1. Youth and EFC Social Worker Complete and Submit Referral Form. If form is not complete, it will be returned. Current TILP must be uploaded to ETO and demographic page must be current
2. Send completed Referral Form to ILS Unit for eligibility determination:  
County of San Diego, HHSA, CWS, Special Services Section ILS and  
Transitional Housing Programs, Program Administrator  
8965 Balboa Ave  
San Diego, CA 92123  
Attn: Diana Ojeda and Jill Gentry or  
Call (858) 616-9100 or Fax: (619) 767-5221 or  
Email: [CWSTHR.HHSA@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:CWSTHR.HHSA@sdcounty.ca.gov)
3. Referral will be processed and forwarded to the appropriate THPP-NMD Provider(s).
4. Provider(s) will contact the youth and/or EFC social worker to arrange interview. EFC social worker is encouraged to participate in first intake interview. Provider will notify both the County and youth when youth is accepted into the program.

### **For More Information, Please Contact:**

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**TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM PLUS FOSTER CARE (THPP-NMD)**

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<b>Region(s)</b>	North Coastal and North Inland	Central, North Central, East, and South regions	Central, North Central, and East regions	South	Specific locations Countywide	Central, North Coastal, and North Inland regions
<b>Housing Type</b>	Remote Site Most apartments are 2 youth per apartment	Remote Site, most apartments are 2 youth per apartment.	Single Site Apartments at 6 SDYS owned complexes 1 youth per apartment Some Remote Site Locations	Remote Site, 2 youth per apartment	Remote Site, most apartments are 2 youth per apartment.	Single Site and Remote (2 youth per apartment) and Host Family Model
<b>Capacity</b>	60 Serves parenting youth	60 Serves parenting youth	30 Serves parenting youth	29 Serving parenting youth	74 Serves parenting youth	60 Serves parenting youth
<b>Intake Process</b>	Individual Appointment for Orientation and Interview	Individual Appointment for Orientation and Interview	Individual Appointment for Orientation and Interview	Individual Appointment for Orientation and Interview	Individual Appointment for Orientation and Interview	Individual interview
<b>Allowance</b>	\$600	\$900	\$600	\$1000	\$525	\$1100
<b>Required rent Payment</b>	\$200 Rent and back rent will be automatically deducted from allowance	\$400 Rent will be automatically deducted from allowance	\$200 - \$350 Rent and back rent will be automatically deducted from allowance	\$480 (rent & utilities) Rent and back rent will be automatically deducted from allowance	\$50 1 <sup>st</sup> year \$50 increase yearly. Rent and back rent will be automatically deducted from allowance if youth fails to pay rent in timely manner	\$450 Rent and back rent will be automatically deducted from allowance if youth fails to pay rent in timely manner
<b>Savings Account</b>	\$50 deposited monthly distributed at program exit with deduction for back rent and any damages	\$50 deposited monthly distributed at program exit with deduction for back rent and any damages	\$50 deposited monthly distributed at program exit with deduction for back rent and any damages	\$50 deposited monthly distributed at program exit with deduction for back rent and any damages	\$50 deposited monthly distributed at program exit with deduction for back rent and any damages	\$50 deposited monthly distributed at program exit with deduction for back rent and any damages

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Youth ages 18 or older must complete the Release of Information Form 04-111. Host Family Model with YMCA only  
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