

Intercept Youth Services, Inc.
Treatment Foster Care (TFC)
Service Rates
July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018

TFC Services	Rate/Unit
Maintenance Basic 2 (0-4 years)	\$471./month-state rate
Maintenance Basic 2 (5-12 yrs.)	\$552./month-state rate
Maintenance Basic 2 (13+ yrs.)	\$700./month-state rate
Maintenance Enhanced 2	Per VEMAT Score
Private Foster Care Support Supervision and Administration - Level 3 Intense	\$145.30/night
Private Foster Care Support Supervision and Administration - Level 2 Intermediate	\$135.35/night
Private Foster Care Support Supervision and Administration - Level 1 Therapeutic	\$120.71/night
Assessment Treatment Level	\$135.10/nights
Non-Therapeutic Rate	\$73.80/night
Treatment Foster Care Case Management	\$326.50/month
Additional Services	Rates
TFC-Infant Rate	\$27.10/night
Pre-Placement Visitation (Overnight)	NO CHARGE
Maintenance Transportation 2	<p style="text-align: center;">Local Rate (less than 20 miles)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$31.00 each way or \$61.80 per transport day</p>
Maintenance Transportation 2	<p style="text-align: center;">Distance Rate (20 miles & over)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">\$41.20 an hour plus \$0.56 per mile</p>
Therapeutic Mentor/Aide Service	\$49.28

Family Reunification/Supervised Visitation	\$65/hour
Parenting Skills Training for Reunification with Bio/Adoptive Parents	\$36.80/hour within structured classes
Therapeutic Educational Support Service	\$41.20/hour
Crisis Stabilization (Urban / Rural) Medicaid Billable	See Community Based Services Rate Sheet
Supportive In-Home	\$60/hour
Short-Term Foster Care Services (Community)	Level 1: \$195.05/night Level 2: \$201.00/night
Respite Services (Internal)	\$56.14/night
Behavioral Support Specialist	\$46.35/hour

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Therapeutic Teaching Parent Payment: (Enhanced Maintenance Payment – Per VEMAT) ... Enhanced Maintenance Payment is the source of the payment to foster parents for the extra supervision involved in their work with special needs/emotionally disturbed youth as defined by the Virginia Enhanced Maintenance Assessment Tool (VEMAT).

Private Foster Care Support Supervision and Administration- Level 3 Intensive ... The needs of a child served at level 3 on-going treatment foster care are of such acuity or severity that they require intensive action (interventions, services, supports etc.) be taken to address, remedy or ameliorate the needs. Without such intervention(s) the child may be at risk of residential placement. Children served at level 3 will demonstrate a high level of social/emotional/behavioral/medical/personal care needs or impairment for normal range of age and development. *Areas of need may include but not be limited to, depression, anxiety, impulsivity, hyperactivity, anger control, adjustment to trauma, oppositional, substance abuse, eating disorder, physical health condition, developmental delay, or intellectually disabled.* Every month respectively, IYS TFC Staff will provide at least four (4) face to face visits with the youth, two (2) of which are conducted in the treatment foster home.

Private Foster Care Support Supervision and Administration - Level 2 Intermediate.... The needs of a child served at level 2 on-going treatment foster care require that significant action (interventions, services,

supports etc.) be taken to address, remedy or ameliorate the identified needs. Children served at level 2 will typically demonstrate relatively moderate level of social/emotional/behavioral/medical/personal care needs or impairment for normal range of age and development. *Areas of need may include but not be limited to, depression, anxiety, impulsivity, hyperactivity, anger control, adjustment to trauma, oppositional, substance abuse, eating disorder, physical health condition, developmental delay, or intellectually disabled.* Every month respectively, IYS TFC Staff will provide at least three (3) face to face visits with the youth, one (1) of which is conducted in the treatment foster home.

Private Foster Care Support Supervision and Administration- Level 1 Therapeutic.... The needs of a child served at level 1 on-going treatment foster care require monitoring or the LCPA may need to provide services to lessen the likelihood that identified needs will become more acute or return after being “resolved”. Children served level 1 will typically demonstrate a relatively low level of social/emotional/behavioral/medical/personal care needs or impairment for normal range of age and development. *Areas of need may include but not be limited to, depression, anxiety, impulsivity, hyperactivity, anger control, adjustment to trauma, oppositional, substance abuse, eating disorder, physical health condition, developmental delay, or intellectually disabled.* Every month respectively, IYS TFC Staff will provide at least two (2) face to face visits with the youth, one (1) of which is conducted in the treatment foster home.

Assessment Treatment LevelChildren served at the assessment level of treatment foster care are those who are newly placed with licensed child placing agency and for whom an assessment to determine the appropriate level of foster care services is being conducted. The maximum stay at the Assessment Treatment Level shall not exceed sixty (60) days to complete a needs assessment and service plan, per requirements of VDSS, Division of licensing Programs. The time frame of the assessment may vary based on the accurate and thorough assessment of the child’s strengths and needs.

Non Treatment Foster Care... Children served at the non-treatment level of foster care may be developmentally on target, demonstrate age appropriate behaviors, able to participate in community activities without restriction, or be the sibling of a child who meets the criteria for on-going TFC placement in the same foster home. Children shall be served at the Non-treatment Foster Care level if the assessment indicates treatment foster care services are not needed. Children/youth placed on the Non-Treatment Foster Care Level are not expected to meet DMAS criteria; this service includes a maximum of one (1) face to face visit with the youth in the treatment foster home and (1) face to face visit every 60 days conducted by IYS-TFC support staff. This contact per month includes 24/7 crisis intervention.

*All TFC-Support & Supervision Levels may have additional support services that assist in the implementation of the child/youth’s treatment goals/objectives and/or permanency goal/discharge plan.

TFC-Case Management ... Defined by DMAS in 2007, this service assists clients in gaining access to needed medical, social, educational and other services. It covers assessment, planning, referral and monitoring of services. It does not cover direct delivery of services, recruitment and approval of foster parents, their training, staff training, client placement, foster parent support, supervision and other service components of TFC. This service is combined with the appropriate level of TFC-Supervision & Support described above. This service

may or may not be covered by Medicaid depending upon the eligibility of the child. It is billed at a day rate when paid through CSA.

TFC-Infant Rate/Support Service ... This rate covers coordination of and services for infants who remain in the custody of a Treatment Foster Care client. This is an additional service that can be contracted on a case by case basis. Services for the infant will be monitored through the relationship with the client when placed together. The Infant Rate/Supportive Service and the Basic Maintenance for the infant is added to the client's charges. For infants who are in the custody of social services and placed in an Intercept TFC home, all individual TFC rates apply for infant.

Family Reunification/Supervised Visitation ... Family Visitation fees are intended to help cover our extra costs incurred in coordinating and supervising visitation between the child and his/her family members. While we expect to cover the cost of some visitations under TFC-Supervision & Support, costs of logistically extensive and often expensive visits mandated to occur many times per month must be covered through extra service fees. Family Reunification/Visitation is set at a per hour charge based on the amount of staff time involved.

TFC Overnight Pre-Placement Visits... There is no charge for daytime or overnight pre-placement visits. The visits are intended to ensure proper placement and adjustment of child and family prior to formal placement. Mileage and travel expense reimbursement can be agreed upon for unique situations in advance of pre-placement visits on a case by case basis.

Supportive In-Home ... This is an add on service, that can be utilized in conjunction with the TFC-Support & Supervision and TFC Case Management services to offer individual and/or family counseling services to assist in the transition of children/youth from higher levels of care before s/he is placed in the treatment foster care home or to provide extra therapeutic support to a child/youth who may be at risk of placement disruption.

Short-term Foster Care Services (Community) ... This is designed to provide crisis or alternate planned-support relief for up to 29 consecutive calendar days to families in need of substitute care placement arrangements for children/youth. The substitute care placement environments used are approved IYS TFC foster homes. Short-term overnight care:

Level 1: Overnight respite care for children with behavioral issues requiring minimal to no intervention

Level 2: Overnight respite care for children with behavioral issues requiring major interventions

Respite Services ... This is a temporary, internal support service provided to approved IYS TFC foster families, for which IYS TFC Staff arrange on their behalf with other internal IYS TFC foster homes. Respite Services provide valuable support and relief to the primary treatment foster families. Use of respite is also a healthy mechanism to enhance attachments for children/youth with their caregivers. This service can also provide emergency relief to internal IYS TFC families in crisis situations. An accrual system is utilized with TFC foster families. This service can be contracted to allow for additional respite services for children/youth on a case by case basis when the child/youth has exceptional needs.

Therapeutic Educational Support Services... This is an additional service that can be contracted for to provide specialized assistance or support to a child/youth who is having academic difficulties.

Therapeutic Mentoring... Can be provided by Intercept's 360 Transitional Solutions division, or contracted with another provider. See Intercept's Community Based Services rate sheet for this and other add on services.

Parenting Skills Training for Reunification with Bio/Adoptive Parents ... Where reunification is the goal and proximity allows (approximately within 45 miles of an Intercept office), and with the agreement of the child's custodial agency, Family Consultants may provide individualized training and consultation directly to the parents regarding strategies that have proven successful with the child in the Teaching Parent home. Parents are encouraged to attend the agency's Parenting Skills Training program in preparation for the child's return. Consultation and training may be conducted either in the parent(s)' home or at Intercept' offices if travel distances allow. Other support services may be contracted for

Crisis Stabilization (Urban / Rural)... this is a Medicaid eligible program for children, adolescents & adults at-risk of psychiatric hospitalization and/or incarceration due to mental health issues. Crisis One provides clinical crisis services in the homes and communities of individuals experiencing suicidal ideations, severe depression, aggressive or self-harming behaviors, extreme social isolation, threatening behaviors, dangerous decision making, property destruction, hallucinations/delusional thinking, and other decompensating changes in behavior that prompt concern.

Behavioral Support Specialist ... This is an additional service that can be contracted on a case by case basis to provide specialized assistance/support to a child/youth who has exceptional behavioral/emotional/other needs. Intercept TFC BSS is responsible for providing individualized support to client/youth for 5 hours per week or more as needed to address child/youth's individualized needs.

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“There is no charge for non-treatment level case management. In addition, if Medicaid determines the child does not meet medical necessity criteria and denies Treatment Foster Care Case Management, CSA may pay for case management based on justification of need. In all cases, Provider must obtain FAPT/CPMT prior approval.”