

Intercept Youth Services, Inc.
YouthQuest, 18 years and older
Independent Living Per Diem Rate Schedule
July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

Comprehensive Daily Rate and Services:

Independent Living Services

\$181.82/day

YouthQuest Room and Board

\$ 644.00/month

Note: The Independent Living Stipend and/or Fostering Futures Maintenance Payment that YouthQuest will be receiving on behalf of the youth will be used to cover the YouthQuest Room and Board rate. With the youth who are receiving the Fostering Futures Maintenance Payment, the additional \$56 from the \$700 maintenance payment will be placed in the youth's YouthQuest savings account. The youth will be allowed to use the \$56 that is placed into their savings account for their personal monthly expenses as well as to work on their money management skills.

YouthQuest is a licensed independent living arrangement that serves youth, aged 17-21, from a variety of previous placements with varied psychiatric diagnoses and behavioral disorders. YouthQuest provides 1:1 case management in a structured, supervised apartment setting where youth work on goals, specific to them, in areas such as: menu and meal planning, food preparation, cleaning and other household maintenance, identifying and securing housing, identifying and utilizing community and family supports, obtaining and maintaining employment, exploring then enrolling and succeeding in educational programs, scheduling college and/or vocational tours, identifying and using public transportation, developing and following a budget, practicing daily hygiene, refraining from substance use, learning social skills, etc. For the youth in YouthQuest for Moms and Dads, there are additional parenting education and support services included.

The following services are included in the comprehensive daily rate:

- Life Skills Training and Coaching for 5-10 hours per week
- Completion of Casey Life Skills Assessment (annually)
- Formulation of Transitional Living Service Plan
- Formulation of Monthly Reports and Quarterly Service Plan Updates
- Weekly Case Coordination with Referring Agency and other community partners involved in youth's case
- Coordination of Medical Services, including supervision of prescribed medications
- Coordination of Therapeutic Services
- Assistance with educational services, employment, and daily living
- Weekly Life Skills Group
- Staff on call 24 hours per day
- Weekly Grocery Allowance, including weekly menu planning
- Transportation for school, work, religious activities, medical needs, and family visitation