



One-time stimulus:

Stimulus funds provided to all youths ages 14-17 who were in one of the following placement categories on July 1, 2021. No request for funds required.

- \$1,000 for all youths in Level 1, Relative or Non Relative placements.
- \$500 for all youths in Level 2 placements and above.

Incentives:

Independent Living Participation

Funding awarded to youths ages 14-17 who on July 1, 2021 were and currently are in out-of-home care.

- \$500 for enrollment in a life skills program
- \$200 for completion of an Independent Living Assessment

Keys to Independence

Funding awarded to youths ages 15-17 who on July 1, 2021 were and currently are in out of home care.

• \$100 for enrollment in Keys to Independence program

Financial Assistance for Transportation:

Funding provided to youths ages 15-17 who on July 1, 2021 were and currently are in out of home care.

• Up to \$500 for transportation assistance (bike, bus pass, car payment, etc.)

*Please note: Chafee Funding ends on September 30, 2022 or when funds are exhausted, whichever occurs first.



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