

# TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR FORMER FOSTER YOUTH:

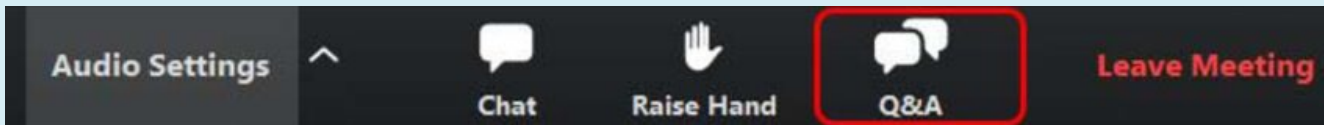
**Expansion & Recent Policy Changes**

**August 31, 2022**

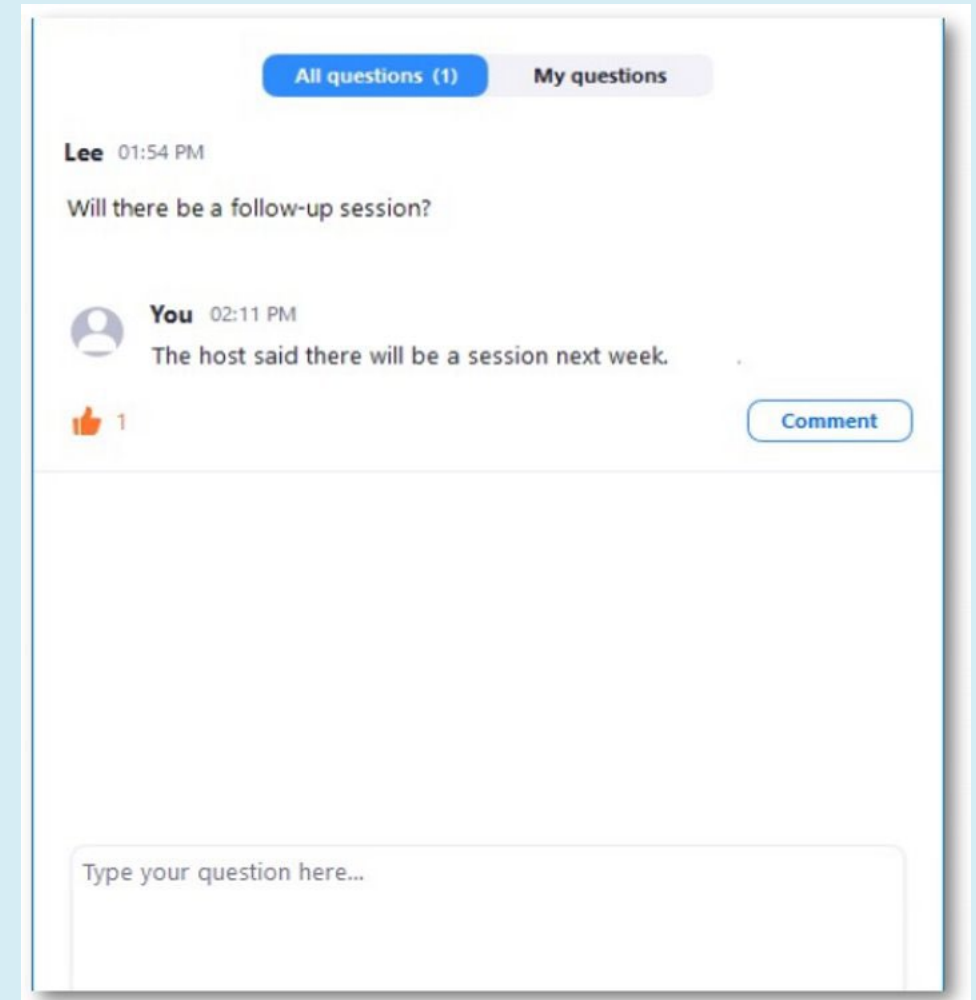
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# AGENDA

- 1 Welcome, Introduction, & Overview
- 2 Brief History of Transitional Housing for Former Foster Youth
- 3 What Prompted These Changes?
- 4 In-Depth Discussion of Policy Changes & Expansion
- 5 Process for Accepting Funding
- 6 Next Steps for Counties & Providers
- 7 Q&A

# PRESENTERS

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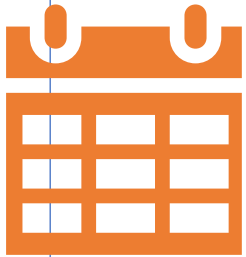
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# OVERVIEW: INCREASE IN PROGRAM LENGTH & FUNDING



The Transitional Housing Program-Plus (THP-Plus) has changed from a 24-month program to a 36-month program.



Youth can now access THP-Plus up until they turn 25 instead of 24.



The budget for the Transitional Housing Program has increased from \$8 million to \$33.3 million annually.

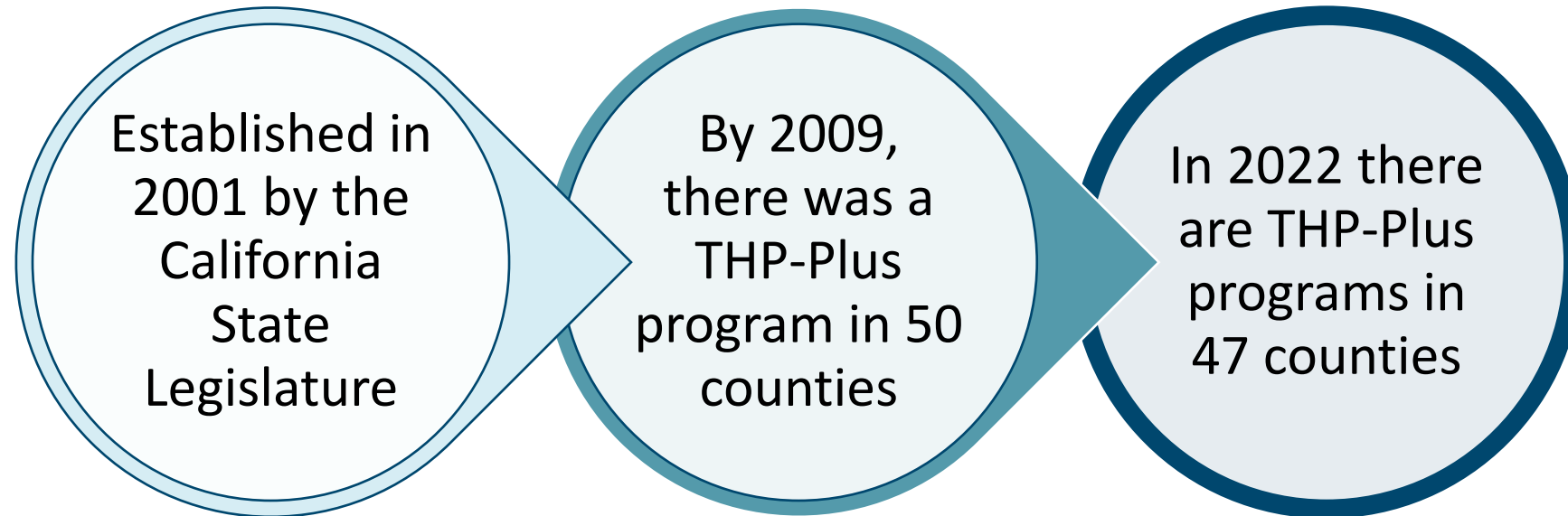
This was achieved through a budget proposal championed by Assemblymember Phil Ting.

**BRIEF HISTORY**

**OF TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR FORMER FOSTER YOUTH**

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# THP-PLUS IS THE OLDEST HOUSING PROGRAM ASSISTING FORMER FOSTER YOUTH



# OVERVIEW OF TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM-PLUS (THP-PLUS)

## ● Eligible Population

- Ages 18 up to 24, inclusive (have not yet turned 25)
- Was in foster care or out-of-home probation placement on or after 18<sup>th</sup> birthday
- Working toward goals in Transitional Independent Living Plan (TILP)

## ● What the Program Provides

- Affordable housing and supportive services for up to 36 months

## ● How the Program is Funded & Administered

- Formerly state funded
- Included in Governor Brown's 2011 Realignment of Child Welfare Services—has been county-funded since 2011
- Each county receives a specified annual allocation from the statewide \$34.9 million THP-Plus budget
- Most counties administer THP-Plus by contracting with nonprofit organizations; few smaller counties operate THP-Plus directly



# TWO STATE-LEVEL FUNDING SOURCES FOR THP-PLUS WERE ESTABLISHED, POST-REALIGNMENT

## Transitional Housing Program

Established in 2019

For nearly all counties  
(56 out of 58 counties)

Now \$33.3 million annually  
(was previously \$8 million annually)

Flexible funding; majority is utilized for THP-Plus

## THP-Plus Housing Supplement Program

Established in 2021

For counties with the highest rental costs (6 out of  
58 counties)

\$9 million annually

Specifically supplements THP-Plus

Both programs are administered by the California Department of Housing and Community Development to county child welfare agencies

**NEED**

**WHAT PROMPTED THESE CHANGES?**

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# LIMITED ACCESS TO THE THP-PLUS THIRD YEAR EXTENSION WAS A CATALYST FOR POLICY CHANGE

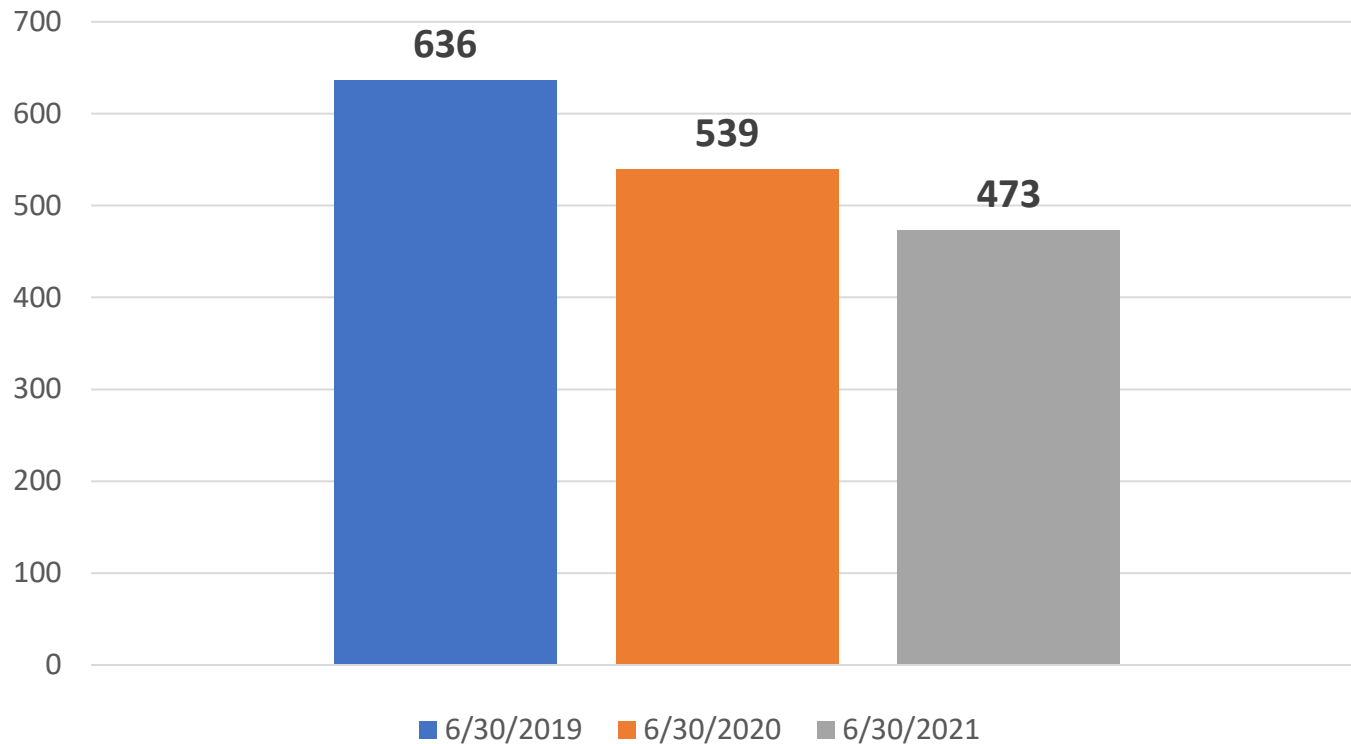
- In 2014, a law passed establishing an optional third year of THP-Plus exclusively for youth in school:
  - 27 counties opted into the THP-Plus extension for students.
  - County administrators and providers reported that for youth who accessed the extension, it was effective across several outcomes.
  - Inconsistent implementation and limited access were also reported.

- JBAY analyzed data from 2016 to 2019 and found that:
  - Very few youth accessed the extension—340 out of 2,314 youth.
  - Youth who did not access the extension experienced significantly poorer outcomes than those who accessed the extension:

Outcomes	Whether Or Not Youth Accessed THP-Plus Extension	
	NO	YES
Received substance abuse services at exit	29%	4%
Exited program to emergency shelter, homelessness or other unstable housing (street, car, couch-surfing)	6%	1%
Dropped out of high school	10%	2%
Exited program involuntarily	31%	12%
Incarcerated for adult offense while in program	11%	6%

# LONG WAITING LISTS SPURRED INCREASED BUDGET INVESTMENT TO GROW CAPACITY

Number of Youth on a Waiting List for THP-Plus  
as of June 30<sup>th</sup>

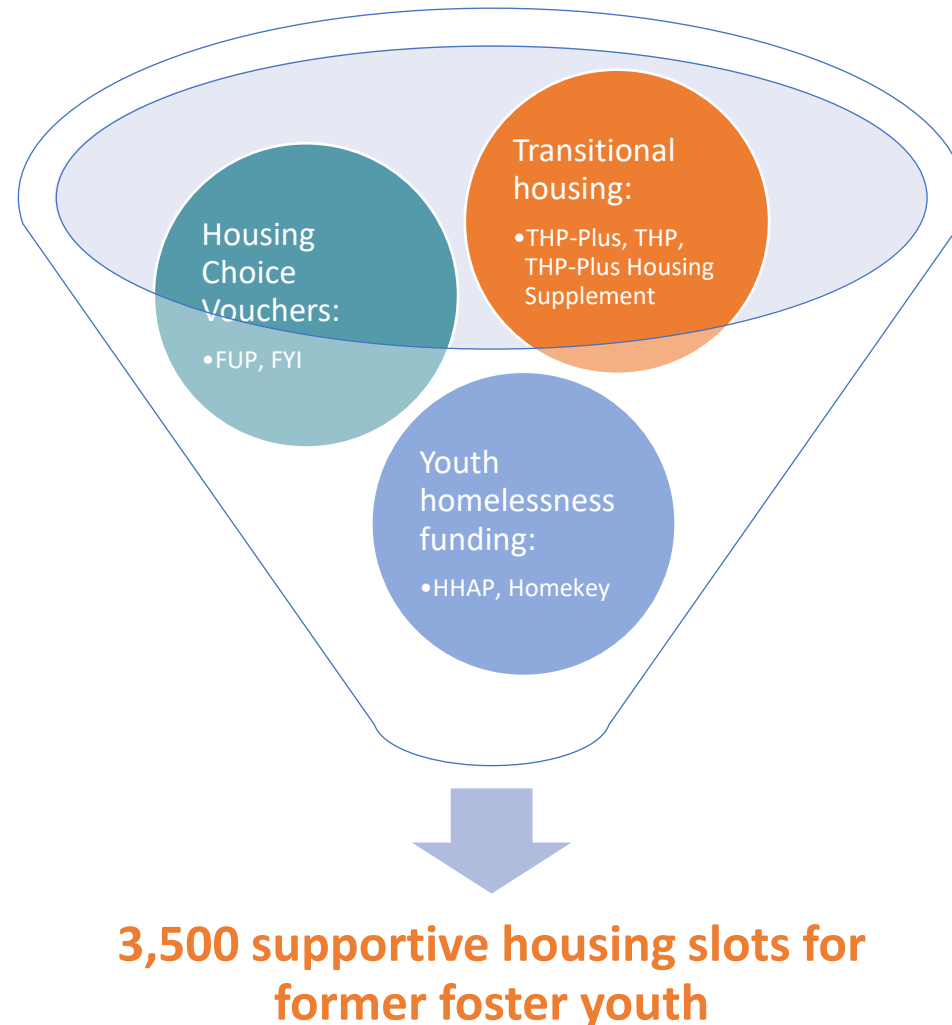


- Providers in **Kern, Santa Clara, and Alameda Counties** reported longest waiting lists in most recent fiscal year (21-22).
- Estimated **18% of youth experience homelessness**, reside in a shelter or other unstable housing (street, car, couch-surfing) while they wait.

# JBAY'S GOAL IS TO ESTABLISH ENOUGH SUPPORTIVE HOUSING FOR 3,500 FORMER FOSTER YOUTH

- **“Project 3,500”** is based on last year’s data from counties and providers.
- As of 6/30/21, there were **1,309** THP-Plus housing slots and **870** FUP/FYI vouchers = **2,179 youth**.
- Counties and providers estimated needing an add'l **1,249** housing slots.

*Project supported by Walter S. Johnson Foundation, Conrad N. Hilton Foundation, Tipping Point Community, & Carrie Estelle Doheny Foundation.*



**IN-DEPTH DISCUSSION  
OF POLICY CHANGES & EXPANSION**

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# THP-PLUS IS NOW A THREE-YEAR PROGRAM FOR YOUTH WHO HAVE NOT YET REACHED AGE 25

Change	Prior to 7/1/22	Effective 7/1/22
<b>Age range</b>	Age 18 through 23, inclusive (up until turning 24)	Age 18 through 24, inclusive (up until turning 25)
<b>Program duration</b>	Up to 24 months	Up to 36 months



This policy change took place July 1, 2022 because it was included in a budget trailer bill.

# THIS POLICY CHANGE APPLIES UNIVERSALLY

## Youth who exited THP-Plus can return.

- This policy is inclusive of youth who previously participated in the full 24 months and/or turned 24 and have exited the program.
- For those counties without impacted programs, consider outreach to youth who recently exited to alert them of the increased time they can access.



## There are no additional requirements to access the third year.

- Effective July 1, 2022, the optional THP-Plus extension for youth in school was eliminated. Now all youth can access THP-Plus for up to three years until they turn 25 regardless of the county in which they reside and whether or not they are a student.



# THE TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM BUDGET HAS QUADRUPLED FROM \$8M TO \$33.3M

- The 2022-23 state budget included an **annual \$25.3 million** for the Transitional Housing Program, bringing the program's budget from **\$8 million to \$33.3 million**.
- The intention of this funding is to increase the number of youth served in supportive transitional housing to cover the cost of the additional year of THP-Plus and to address THP-Plus waiting lists.

Funding Purpose	Funding Amount	Approx. Increase in Housing Capacity
Increase in program length & upper age limit	\$10.3 million	327 youth
Expansion to address waiting lists	\$15 million	473 youth
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$25.3 million</b>	<b>800 youth</b>

## MORE INFORMATION

The policy changes were included in Senate Bill 187 (human services trailer bill)

- CA Department of Social Services will release All County Letter later this year.

The funding increase was included in Senate Bills 154 and 179 (budget bills).

- CA Department of Housing & Community Development will release increased Transitional Housing Program allocations in the coming weeks.

For more information, view this implementation fact sheet:  
<https://jbay.org/resources/2022-fact-sheet-thp-thpplus/>

**PROCESS FOR ACCEPTING THP FUNDING**  
**CA DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

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# WHAT WE'LL COVER IN THIS SECTION

- Department Overview
- Program Update
- What to expect
- Process for accepting awards



# CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

- **Mission:** Provides leadership, policies, and programs to preserve and expand safe and affordable housing opportunities and promote strong communities for all Californians.
  - Grants and funding
  - Mobile home registration
  - Building standards
  - Planning and community development
  - Policy and research
- Administrative agency for California's Building Code. Regulatory body for Housing Elements and State Housing Policy Lead.
- Lead State Agency for Housing Recovery Support function under California Disaster Recovery Framework.

California Department of Housing and Community Development  
Notice of Funding Availability Calendar  
Calendar Year 2021

Program Name	Start Date	End Date	Priority Review	Comments
Emergency Rental Assistance	01/01/21	03/31/21	Yes	
Emergency Rental Assistance	04/01/21	06/30/21	Yes	
Emergency Rental Assistance	07/01/21	09/30/21	Yes	
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# TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM (THP)

Grant allocation to assist young adults, ages 18 to 24 inclusive

To secure and maintain housing

With a priority given to young adults formerly in the foster care or probation systems

Flexible funding



# WHAT TO EXPECT

- Is there a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for these programs?





# WHAT TO EXPECT

- Email Invitation is sent out to eligible counties to accept an allocation for current round of funding.
- Email includes Acceptance Form, GovTIN Form and Draft resolution sample.
- Email sent out to current Authorized representatives and program county contacts.





# THP DOCUMENT PACKAGE

- Acceptance Form
- GovTIN
- Board Resolution
- Returning these documents by established due date confirms a counties interest in accepting funding award



# ACCEPTANCE FORM

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Allocation Applicant is a County					
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<b>Use of Funds</b>					
Funds shall be used to help young adults who are 18 to 24 years of age secure and maintain housing. Use of funds may include, but are not limited to:					
1) Identify and assist housing services for this population in your community;					
2) Assist this population to secure and maintain housing (with priority given to those in the state's foster care or probation system);					
3) Improve coordination of services and linkages to community resources within the child welfare system and the Homeless Continuum of Care; and					
4) Provide engagement in outreach and targeting to serve those with the most severe needs.					
<b>Expenditure of Funds</b>					
Any grant funds remaining unexpended as of June 30, 2024, must be returned to the State. Checks shall be payable to the Department of Housing and Community Development and mailed to 2020 West El Camino Ave, Room 300, no later than July 31, 2024 and must reference the Contract Number.					
<b>Allocation Acceptance Requirements</b>					
In order to accept and receive an allocation, applicants must submit the following: Signed Allocation Acceptance form, Signed Resolution, and TIN Form.					
HCD will only accept applications electronically via email no later than 5:00 p.m. on:					
<b>Friday, November 12, 2021</b>					
HCD will only accept applications electronically at the following email address:					
<a href="mailto:THP@hcd.ca.gov">THP@hcd.ca.gov</a>					
<b>Reporting Requirements</b>					
Applicant acknowledges and agrees to submit an annual report to the Department for the two years following distribution of TAY Program funds addressing the following:					
A.The number of program participants served with program funds					
B.Details on use of program funds					
C.Details on housing navigators and other subcontractors					
D.Number of program participants served who were in the state's foster care system					
E.Number of program participants served who were in the state's probation system					
F.Number of program participants who exited homelessness into temporary housing.					
G.The number of program participants who exited homelessness into permanent housing.					
<b>Certification</b>					
On behalf of the entity identified in the signature block below, I certify that:					
The information, statements and attachments included in this Allocation Acceptance form are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true and correct.					
I possess the legal authority to submit this Allocation Acceptance form on behalf of the entity identified above.					
In addition, I acknowledge that all information in this application and attachments is public, and may be disclosed by the State.					
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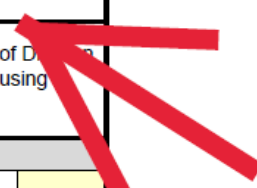
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# BOARD RESOLUTION SAMPLE

## Sample Transitional Housing Program Allocation Acceptance Resolution for Counties

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ [Insert Name of County], STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF: TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM  
RESOLUTION NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_ [Insert Resolution Number]

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR AND ACCEPTANCE OF THE  
COUNTY ALLOCATION AWARD UNDER THE TRANSITIONAL HOUSING PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the State of California, Department of Housing and Community Development ("Department") issued an allocation acceptance form, dated \_\_\_\_\_ under the Transitional Housing Program ("THP" or "Program") for \$8 million authorized by item 2240-102-0001 of section 2.00 of the Budget Act of 2021 (Chapter 69 of the Statutes of 2021) and Chapter 11.7 (commencing with Section 50807) of part 2 of Division 31 of the Health and Safety Code (the "Allocation Acceptance Form").

WHEREAS, the Allocation Acceptance Form relates to the availability of the funds under the Program; and

WHEREAS, the County of \_\_\_\_\_ [Insert Name Of County] was listed as an eligible applicant in the Allocation Acceptance Form, dated \_\_\_\_\_ .

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors for the County of \_\_\_\_\_ [Insert Name of County] ("County") does determine and declare as follows:

SECTION 1. That County is hereby authorized and directed to apply for and accept County's allocation award, as detailed in the Allocation Acceptance Form (the "THP Allocation Award"), up to the amount authorized the Allocation Acceptance Form and applicable state law.

SECTION 2. That if funds remain available for allocation after the deadline for submitting a signed Allocation Acceptance Form, and if the Department advises County that County is eligible for an additional allocation from these remaining funds, County is hereby authorized and directed to accept this additional allocation of funds ("Additional THP Allocation") up to the amount authorized by Department.

SECTION 3. That \_\_\_\_\_ [Insert Title Of Authorized County Official In Conformity With The Instruction Below], or his or her designee, is hereby authorized and directed to act





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SECTION 3. That \_\_\_\_\_ [Insert Title Of Authorized County Official] In Conformity With The Instruction Below], or his or her designee, is hereby authorized and directed to act on behalf of County in connection with the THP Allocation Award and any Additional THP Allocation, and to enter into, execute, and deliver any and all documents required or deemed necessary or appropriate to be participate in the Program, including but not limited to a Standard Agreement, and be awarded the THP Allocation Award, and any Additional THP Allocation, and any amendments to such documents (collectively, the “THP Allocation Award Documents”).



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**GOVERNMENT AGENCY TAXPAYER ID FORM**  
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www.fiscal.ca.gov  
1-855-347-2250



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Principal Government Agency Name*	<input type="text"/>		
Remit-To Address (Street or PO Box)*	<input type="text"/>		
City*	State *	Zip Code*+4	<input type="text"/>
Government Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> City	<input type="checkbox"/> County	Federal Employer Identification Number (FEIN)* <input type="text"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Special District	<input type="checkbox"/> Federal	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify)	<input type="text"/>	

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List other subsidiary Departments, Divisions or Units under your principal agency's jurisdiction who share the same FEIN and receives payment from the State of California.

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Contact Person*	<input type="text"/>	Title	<input type="text"/>
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Principal  
Government  
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**Only the City or County. NO Subdepts.**

Remit-To  
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Government Type:	<input type="checkbox"/> City	<input type="checkbox"/> County	Federal Employer <input type="text"/>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Special District	<input type="checkbox"/> Federal	.. .. .

Street or PO Box -Can include the Department name here where the funds will be remitted to.



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Signature*	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>

# ANTICIPATED 2022-23 TIMELINE

- **October** - County Invitation to Accept funding allocation
- **November** - Acceptance form, GovTIN and resolution anticipated due date
- **January** - Award announcements and Standard agreement processing





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**NEXT STEPS**  
**FOR COUNTIES & PROVIDERS**

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**THP-PLUS  
POLICY  
CHANGES:  
NEXT  
STEPS**

**INCREASE YOUR THP-PLUS  
PROGRAM'S LENGTH TO 36 MONTHS  
FOR YOUTH UP UNTIL THEY TURN 25**



1. May require contract amendment.



2. Amend any program materials (youth materials, communications).



3. Communicate changes to key stakeholders (i.e. current youth participants, ILP, social workers, probation officers, dependency attorneys, CBOs serving population).



## BUDGET INCREASE: NEXT STEPS

## ACCEPT FUNDING FROM HCD



1. For county child welfare agency staff, if you are not your county's point-of-contact for HCD, make sure you know who is.



2. Promote timely completion of county responsibilities for accepting funding from HCD.

# ADDRESS ANY OBSTACLES TO EXPANSION



3. What do local provider(s) need to increase capacity?


**Increase in monthly rate paid per youth** to ensure adequate purchasing power to secure more units on the private market?

**Higher rate for serving custodial parents** to ensure larger housing accommodations can be provided?

**Pursue single site housing off private market?** (Could identify Homekey projects to partner with and secure single site housing with lower rent).

**BUDGET INCREASE:  
NEXT STEPS**

## CONSIDER OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

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4. Consider whether to establish any “flex slots” for youth who exited care prior to turning 18, using this increased funding which is more flexible than THP-Plus funding.

*Previous research indicates that over the course of a year, providers in nearly half (47%) of California’s counties had denied youth entrance into THP-Plus because they exited care prior to turning 18.*



**BUDGET  
INCREASE:  
NEXT  
STEPS**



## BUDGET INCREASE: NEXT STEPS

# INCREASE HOUSING CAPACITY



5. With these considerations, identify how many additional youth you can serve with the increased annual funding.



6. Amend contract(s).



# SAVE THE DATE: WEBINAR

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**October 12<sup>th</sup> from 10:00-11:00**

Will focus on implementation of the Housing Navigation & Maintenance Program as a way to maximize FUP/FYI vouchers

**QUESTION & ANSWER**

**SUBMIT QUESTIONS VIA THE QUESTIONS BOX**

**FOR FUTURE QUESTIONS:**

[simone@jbay.org](mailto:simone@jbay.org) / [jason.blair@hcd.ca.gov](mailto:jason.blair@hcd.ca.gov)

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