



24 Hour Hotline: 1-800-421- TEEN (8336)

PROGRAM

Option House Emergency Shelter

PROGRAM GOAL

To provide emergency housing to youth ages 11 through the age of 17. Accepting placements from CPS, runaway homeless youth (RHY), Bell County Juvenile Justice Program (JJP) and respite care of 2 nights and 3 days. Referrals to Drop-In Center services for Non-residential and post-residential services available for applicants identified as potential TLP & MGH residential clients 16 and 17 years old.

QUALIFYING CRITERIA

- Must be homeless between the ages of 11 through 17.
- Must not be in need of residence at a treatment facility.
- 16 & 17 year old RHY/TLP placements approved by Residential Case Manager and Shelter Directors

SERVICES PROVIDED

- Housing
- Food
- Clothing
- Education Services
- Basic Medical Services
- Basic life skills

PROGRAM LIMITATIONS

Length of stay is determined by need, licensing, & contract allowances.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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^{*}All correspondence will be made within 24 business hours of initial contact to schedule an intake appointment for referrals or answer questions.