

National Toolkit to Promote the Foster Youth to Independence (FYI) Program

This toolkit includes fact sheets that we hope will aid stakeholders to help young people access FYI vouchers and support stakeholders to build their FYI programs and spread the word about the availability of vouchers.

Introductory Fact Sheets for Key Stakeholders

What are these documents?

There are short fact sheets developed for each of the following stakeholders:

- a. FYI for Advocates
- b. FYI for Child Welfare Agencies (CWAs) & Probation Departments
- c. FYI for Landlords
- d. FYI for Housing Authorities (PHAs)
- e. FYI for Young People
- f. FYI for Judges

These fact sheets provide an introduction to the FYI program for various key stakeholders and explains how each stakeholder can help facilitate the FYI program.

How can you use these documents?

We recommend that you use these fact sheets as you need them based on the stakeholder groups you are working with to introduce them to the FYI program and to enlist them as partners. For example, attorneys and case workers can share the youth fact sheet with their clients. Advocates seeking to recruit landlords to take FYI vouchers can use the landlord fact sheet to initiate a meeting and conversation. In addition, we encourage you to edit these resources to suit your role and needs. For an overview of the FYI Program, please click here.