

Eligibility

- Individuals may reside in VBH Transitional Living Homes through their 21st birthday if custody is maintained by the placing agency. Individual discharge planning begins on admission and is addressed monthly. Individuals may transition from the Transitional program to Independent Living.
- Completion of out of home programming as measured via the Casey Life Skills assessment. Also demonstration of treatment outcomes indicating success, and a reduction of target behaviors that eliminate the concern for victimization.



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ViaQuest Behavioral Health (VBH) offers Transitional Living services in staff-secure residences located in community settings throughout Central Ohio. Our Transitional Living program is specifically designed to assist adolescents between the ages of 16-21 in preparing for emancipation. Our Transitional Living program is designed to assist individuals who are behaviorally challenged with mental health concerns and/or developmental disabilities. Individuals must currently be stable as determined by the VBH-OH assessment, with a low to mild risk of exhibiting victimizing behaviors. The goal of this program is to assist the individual to incorporate behavioral supports, link him or her to adult services, and to help the individual transition to an independent, adult environment upon emancipation.

ViaQuest Behavioral Health Transitional Living Homes Provide:

- The ability to serve ages 16-21
- Minimum staff to youth ratio of 1:3
- Psychiatric and Medication Management Services
- Nursing services are available
- Mental Health Treatment
- Staff certified in Delegated Nursing training to assist in medication management, administration, and medication self-management training
- Case management services to include coordination with Probation/Parole, AoD Services, Sex Offender Services, and Vocational Services
- Linkage to day habilitation and vocational programming
- Assistance in finding employment opportunities and securing a job

- Linkage to specialized services as indicated (offender treatment, speech services, occupational therapy, etc)
- Transportation to appointments
- Level system progression tied to behavior – more permissive than Group Home level system
- Casey Life Skill Assessment and Skill Development – money management, cooking, etc.
- Assistance with personal finances and money management
- Weekly Recreational Schedule
- Assistance in finding a roommate in preparation for emancipation



Program Oversight

- We provide an intensive tri-level quality assurance process completed by Support Service Coordinators, Program Directors and our full time Quality Assurance Specialist.
- In addition to monthly staff meetings, VBH holds quarterly, all-staff meetings to provide specific training on policies, procedures, and regulations, as well as continuing education on developmental disabilities, mental health, sex offenders, behaviors, documentation and more.
- Treatment outcomes measured via the OACCA Outcomes Data Project
- ViaQuest is CARF accredited and ODMH certified to provide treatment services. Our masters level clinicians offer full diagnostic assessment, personalized individual and group therapy, and case management for individuals with mental health needs.
- Skill Development measured via the Casey Life Skills Assessment
- Incident Report analysis tracking and measuring of target behaviors