

## How To Get Started

The Children's Division Older Youth Transition Specialist for each Region must make the Chafee referral to the Regional Chafee Program provider.

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The Youth's Case Manager (Children's Division or contracted Case Manager) must contact their Region's Older Youth Transition Specialist to begin the referral process.

Family Facets has a Chafee Supervisor and Chafee Advisors in the Northeast Region and in the St. Louis County Region to provide Chafee services.

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## Who provides Chafee Foster Care Independence Program Services?

Various agencies in the state work together with the Children's Division to make **Chafee Foster Care Independence Services (CFCIP)** available across Missouri. Each CFCIP Advisor is an employee of an agency under contract with the Children's Division to provide **Chafee Foster Care Independence Program** services.

**Family Facets** is the Chafee services provider in the Northeast Region and in the St. Louis County Region.

**Family Facets** offers a range of services, including Intensive In-home Services, Family Reunification Services, Foster Care-Adoption Resources Services, Chafee Foster Care Independence Program Services, Family Centered Services Training & Consulting, Training & Development Services for IIS and FRS, and Supplemental Children's Treatment Services to the Missouri Children's Division and to private vendors.

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## Family Facets



**Chafee Foster Care  
Independence  
Program**

## Chafee Foster Care Independence Program Services (CFCIP)



Missouri's Chafee program is part of a federal program that was designed to ensure that you who are transitioning from foster care have the opportunity to access education, housing, emergency services, employment, health care, and community services, and that these young people have a connection with a caring adult.

Chafee Youth in foster care are provided with the services they need in the areas of:

- ✓ Academic Achievement
- ✓ Job Readiness
- ✓ Independent Living Skills
- ✓ Youth Leadership
- ✓ Community Support and Services

Chafee Aftercare Youth are provided with services to help them maintain after their transition to independence and discharge from the custody of the Children's Division. These services are provided for 90 days, giving short-term service support.

The Chafee Program tailors all of these services to each transitioning youth, based on the specific strengths and needs of each young person.

## Chafee Program Eligibility

### Chafee Services:

A youth in foster care between the ages of 14-21 (regardless of permanency goal)

### Aftercare Services

A youth that left foster care after the age of 17 ½ and is not yet 21 years old.

## CFCIP Program Referral Process:

### Chafee Services:

1. Assessment and referral by case manager to the Children's Division Older Youth Transition Specialist.
2. Children's Division Older Youth Transition Specialist refers youth to the Chafee Program provider for the Region.
3. Goal Setting and Service Planning by the Chafee Program.
4. Service Delivery through individual and group work.
5. On-going Support and Reassessment.
6. Discharge from custody planning.

### Aftercare Services

1. Youth initiate contact with the local Children's Division office, where the youth is referred by case manager to the Children's Division Older Youth Transition Specialist.
2. Children's Division Older Youth Transition Specialist refers youth to the Chafee Program provider for the Region.
3. Assessment Goal Planning by the Chafee Program.
4. Service delivery for up to 90 days.
5. On-going support and follow-up when needed until youth turns 21 years old.



## The Chafee Program is For You!

- Chafee is a youth driven, strengths based approach to transition services.
- Goals are set based on the youth's future outlook of what the youth wants to achieve!
- Emphasis in on developing skills needed during transition to independence.
- Emphasis is on developing community based supports and the youth's knowledge of how to acquire future supports..
- Flexible funds are available for transition enhancement and client needs.

