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HCV PROGRAM NEWS

HUD Posts FYI Resources

Last Friday on the <u>HUD Exchange News webpage</u>, the Department of Housing and Urban Development (<u>HUD</u>) <u>announced</u> that the following FYI resources are available on the <u>HUD</u> <u>Exchange website</u>:

- <u>A five-part FYI initiative webinar series</u> that provides guidance on starting and administering a Foster Youth to Independence (<u>FYI</u>) voucher program.
- <u>FYI initiative topic guides</u> that complement the webinar series by providing additional information and guidance:
 - Child Welfare 101
 - Developing and Maintaining Effective Partnerships to Serve Youth
 - Developing Data and Tracking Metrics
 - Engaging Persons with Lived Experience
 - Identifying and Leveraging Supportive Services for Youth
 - Memorandums of Understanding and Partnership Agreements
 - Special Considerations for Project-Based Vouchers
 - Strategies for Engaging Youth Participants In Accessing Resources
 - Waiting List Basics

Under FYI, PHAs provide housing assistance on behalf of youth at least 18 years and not more than 24 years of age who left foster care or will leave foster care within 90 days and are homeless or at risk of becoming homelessness.



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