

Redemption House Presents

THE QUARTERLY REVIEW

January 2022-
March 2022



**Love Finds
A Way**



INDEPENDENT LIVING

This past quarter showed results much the same as last quarter in life-skills. Youth from both homes scored highest in participating in weekly lessons and lowest in asking for medication and performing household chores. Some noticed trends were that residents with jobs had less time at home to perform tasks such as cooking /shopping/etc. Also, a couple of youth refused to participate often due to behavioral issues.

The results from this most recent quarter are as follows: We had 11 residents participating in our girls' life-skills program at different times across the quarter and 7 residents in our boys' home. The active achievement rate of youth was as follows:

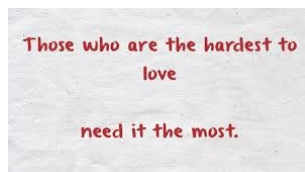
- Job seeking and Job performance * 2
Residents held jobs with 100% attendance.
- Meal Planning 76%
- Shopping * 44%
- Meal Prep *76%
- Chore completion 17%
- Laundry completion 55%
- Weekly Life-skills Lessons 97%
- Remembering to ask for medication: 50%

THANKFUL FOR NEW STAFF AND RESIDENTS

Residents:
We had quite a turnover at our boys' house last quarter. We had 3 boys graduate into the Bridges program. Two boys were sent to a higher level of care, and one child went to an adoptive placement. Best wishes to all our boys! We also had the pleasure of welcoming 5 boys into our program. Glad to have you!

At our Girls house, we gained four lovely ladies, and said goodbye to 4. Of the four that left, 2 went home, one went to foster placement, and one went to a more restrictive setting. May God's blessings go with our girls!

Staff: We welcomed back Daryl and Douglas to our boys' home. We missed you guys! Glad to have you back! Cory and India are our new additions to the girls' home! We hope you will be happy here!



A PIECE OF OUR HEART GOES WITH YOU

Six boys and 7 girls were eligible to participate in our Aftercare Program in the last quarter. Three residents graduated the program. One quit responding in his last month to phone calls and his whereabouts are unknown. The

The latest news

We have been busy having fun and working hard to improve our program and give our kids the best care!

FUN EXPERIENCES WITHIN OUR COMMUNITY

Winter brought with it Sled riding and ice-skating along with hot cocoa and whipped cream!

Some residents earned a weekend at Skyview Ranch in Millersburg where they rode horses, did crafts, participated in outdoor events, and strengthened their relationship with God!



Our kids continue to benefit from attending Rush Church. Many participate in youth group and Sunday services. Rush donated a gift bag to each resident for Valentine's Day reminding them that they are loved!

IMPROVEMENTS:

Independent Living Improvement Plan was successfully completed. Our IL Coordinator from the girls' house also took over the program at the boys' house. After a bit of a struggle, it is up and running!

Daily Schedule Improvement Plan: This plan has shown some success, but is not yet complete. The girls' house follows the schedule very well. The boys house has shown improvement in the morning

HOW ARE WE BEHAVING?

Number of Restraints:

Boys House: 13

Girls House: 8

The girls' restraints decreased from 21 in the previous quarter to 8 this quarter. While Critical incidents increased, very few necessitated restraints. There was no pattern among staff of one doing more restraints, or of girls being unnecessarily restrained. One girl received 4 of the 8 restraints, but most of the restraints were escorts to remove her and enable her to calm down.

The boys home increased from 3 to 13 restraints. We had an increase in peer to peer and peer to staff altercations with 4 residents being responsible. Only one of these residents is still with us.



Critical Incidents

Boys

74 CIR's ... No pattern involving residents or staff to discern that a child was being singled out. Steady increase in CIR's due to two residents that came back to back whose behaviors affected other residents, causing them to get CIR's as well. One of these residents aged out, and the other was sent to a more restrictive setting.

other two are maintaining well in home settings.

One of the other 6 returned to our boys' house. One went into Bridges and has ceased contact with us. One is doing well at St. Augustine House, and the others are maintaining in home settings. It is to be noted that both boys who stopped contact with us were boys that went into the Bridges Program rather than a family setting and were dabbling in drug use.

Progress towards Goals:

Residents making progress in or already having achieved 90 or more % of goals was 2, both girls.

Residents making progress in or already having achieved 80 - 90 % of goals: 3 Girls

Residents making progress in or already having achieved 70-80% of goals: 4 Boys, 2 Girls

Residents making progress in or already having achieved less than 70 % of goals: 5 (4 Boys) (1 Girl)

Of the 6 that scored below 70%:

- The girl came in with severe issues and made little progress, but has since begun to turn it around and try.
- 3 of the 4 boys have been spiraling down in behaviors. Two have been discharged and we are trying to maintain the third. One got

routine...having kids perform hygiene and make the bus on time. They have also gained more structure following the independent living program, participating in group, and getting the boys to bed on-time.

Staff meetings and trainings are continuing to show participation from staff, greatly helping staff to stay up to date on training hours and giving them ways to better interact with the residents.



WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Our website has been altered to include more information. Go to <https://www.redemptiongroupohomes.com/> and check us out! You can contact us through this venue

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There are continued concerns over easy access to THC with the kids. There seems to be a correlation between residents who are accessing drugs and residents who are causing the most issues.

Girls

40 CIR's ... No pattern involving residents or staff to discern that a child was being singled out etc.

There were multiple reasons for the Incidents this quarter. We had another Covid outbreak. We have one girl who initially created a lot of issues, but has since settled down. We had several girls involved in hiding vapes. We also had several incidents from a long time resident who has a developmental delay and acts out cyclically.

Note: Multiple critical behaviors may be involved in one incident.

*There was an increase in incidents from last quarter to this quarter in both homes. This may be attributed to a large turnover of kids with a couple coming in with severe behaviors.

several new objectives added to his service plan and hasn't had time to make much progress in those yet.

It should be noted that 3 boys could not be assessed due to just being placed with us. Of the 2 girls that scored over 90, one graduated high-school early and will start college in the fall. We are hoping to step the other girl down to a foster family.

The girls scored higher than the boys in making progress in their goals. I believe this is due to an issue we are having at the boys' house this past quarter with boys going AWOL and smoking THC either while AWOL or at school. It is easily accessible and has become a huge problem.

