

INDIVIDUAL SERVICE AGREEMENT

State of Michigan Department of Human Services

INSTRUCTIONS:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Local DHS office completes form. Gives PART 1 to the Contract Agency. Retains PART 2 in the case record.
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Note to child placing agencies: This form is not to be used for adoption services.

In accordance with the DHS Foster Care Master Contract and Service Agreement the following agreement for the purpose of:

<input type="checkbox"/> Child Placing Agency Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Child Caring Institution Services
Has been entered between: Local DHS Office Name	and: Name Contract Agency
Contract Agency Address (number, street, city, state, zip code)	
Provider Number	

The Contract Agency Agrees to provide services, as specified in the Master Contract and Service Agreement, for the child identified as:

Name of Child	Birth Date	Case Number
Specific Services Included: _____		
Required Reports: The Contract Agency agrees to submit the following child specific reports: Initial Service Plan in 30 calendar days, Updated Service Plan every 90 days thereafter, Placement Change Reports, Termination Report, Other _____		
Date of Anticipated Next Placement (if more than ten months, this agreement is to be renegotiated and a new one signed before the end of the tenth month.)	▶ Anticipated Next Placement	

The Local Department of Human Services agrees to:

1. Comply with the terms of the Master Contract and Service Agreement and with the policies and procedures published in the Department's Services Manual.
2. Local Agency placing the youth will be responsible for the following services:

3. Local Agency in the county where provider is located, will be responsible for the following services:

4. Provision of the appropriate payment documents based on the child's legal status:
 - Court Ward Primary funding is through the individual county payment process; a DHS-626 will be provided by the local DHS office if the child becomes eligible for federal funds
 - State Ward The Department of Human Services is responsible for payment; a DHS-626 will be provided by the local DHS office.

If a child's legal status changes during the term of this individual service agreement, a new agreement must be negotiated and signed by both the agency and the local DHS office.

REIMBURSEMENT RATE

The Department agrees to pay the Contract Agency the established per diem rate for the above service.

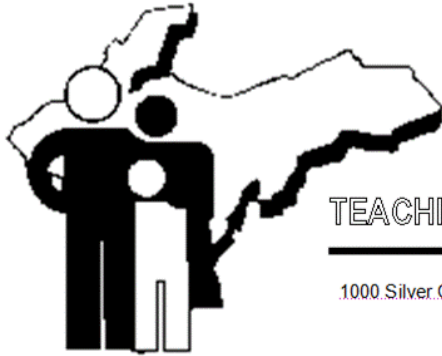
If the child is placed in family foster care, the Department further agrees to pay the age appropriate per diem rate for foster parent reimbursement, or such other amount as may be authorized by the Department subsequent to the signing of this individual service agreement.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:

- Contract Agency** - The Contract Agency agrees to retain documentation to support all charges and expenditures and to immediately report changes to the Department which may affect the payment status of the child. Documentation of Agency prior approval for any nonscheduled payment is to be maintained by the Contract Agency.
- Local Department Office** - The Department agrees to submit the following documentation: Referral Material as required in the Master Agreement. Payment Authorization/Billing Document, Acknowledgment of Receipt and approval of Initial Service Plan and Updated Service Plan, a Quarterly Report if providing primary family services

APPROVALS	DHS Local Office Director or Designee Signature <i>(If two offices involved, both signatures required)</i>	Signature Date
	Contract Agency Director or Designee Signature	Signature Date

AUTHORITY: Public Act 280, 1939 COMPLETION: Required. PENALTY: No payment for services	Department of Human Services (DHS) will not discriminate against any individual or group because of race, sex, religion, age, national origin, color, height, weight, marital status, political beliefs or disability. If you need help with reading, writing, hearing, etc., under the Americans with Disabilities Act, you are invited to make your needs known to a DHS office in your area.
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PLACEMENT AGREEMENT

The undersigned, being the custodial parent(s) of the legal guardian(s) of

(Child's Full Name)

(Date of Birth)

I/We agree and understand that placement of my/our child by the _____ in a Teaching-Family Group Home for treatment, care, and education is in the child's best interest and therefore, the following agreement is made: (or if placement is by the Court of Agency, please attach a copy of the Court Order or Agreement with the custodial parent(s) or legal guardian which authorizes the placement.)

I/We recognize that proper care and education cannot be given to the child if authority over him/her is divided, and therefore I consent to abide fully by the direction and judgement of the Family-Teachers and Teaching-Family Home personnel in whatever they feel is in the child's best interest so long as this Placement Agreement is in effect.

It is further understood with Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan that unless this Placement Agreement is terminated as provided below, the child will not be placed in any program other than one administered or approved by Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan.

Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan staff, have my/our full and free consent to seek services, including hospital, dental, medical, psychiatric and surgical services as may, in the judgement of a licensed physician, dentist, or psychiatrist, be advisable for the health and general welfare of the child. I/We hereby release Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan and staff, both jointly and severally from any and all liability, expressed or implied, which may result from such services.

Placement Agreement

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I/We promise, to the best of my/our ability or authorization, to pay expenses of hospital, medical, psychiatric, surgical and dental care given to the child. The child is insured by the following health or accident insurance policies:

Name of Company_____

Location of Branch Office_____

Contract or Policy Number or Medicaid Number_____

If the above coverage changes at any time, I/we will immediately inform Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan.

This agreement is in effect beginning_____ 200____, until it is determined by Teaching-Family Homes and placement agency that care shall be terminated. Termination will be based upon completion of individual treatment plans unless otherwise recommended by Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan and placement agency.

Mother/Guardian

Date

Father/Guardian

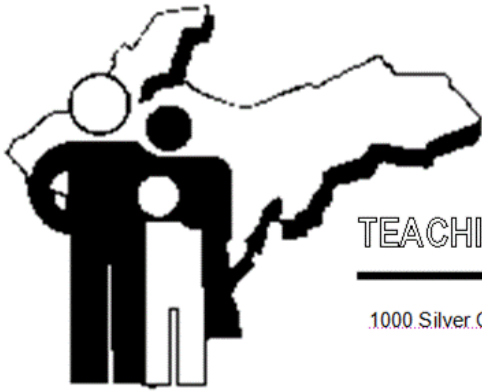
Date

Placement Agency Worker

Date

Program Staff

Date



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TEACHING-FAMILY HOMES OF UPPER MICHIGAN Group Home Program

CONSENT TO YOUTH PARTICIPATION IN ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS

The parents and/or legal guardians of all youth enrolled in the Teaching Family program are asked to give permission for the youth to participate in all facets of the program, both at the home and away from the home. The Teaching Home program is able to provide a wide range of activities which all youth can participate in, and in all cases, these activities are supervised by qualified adults.

Program outings may include water skiing, boating, horseback riding, hiking, river canoeing, swimming, water sports, skating and skiing.

Outside activities such as sports and employment, as well as various entertainment activities which include bicycling, skate boarding, roller skating, camping, cooking, and going to amusement parks, are encouraged and conditional upon performance in the Teaching Family program.

General household maintenance activities would typically include lawn mowing and using general household appliances, utensils, and common household devices such as ladders in maintenance and repair (i.e., cleaning and repairing windows, gutters, etc.). A youth may be required to operate equipment as part of vocational training.

The above lists are only examples of some of the activities often included in a Teaching Family program in which youth participate and are not all inclusive. Please sign the form below giving your permission for the youth to participate in all these activities.

.....
As the person legally responsible for _____, a youth
(Name of Youth)

enrolled in the Teaching Family Program, I hereby give permission for him/her to participate in all facets of the Teaching Family program, both at the home and away from the home. I am aware that some of these activities do contain elements of risk even though all activities are properly supervised by qualified staff.

Legal Guardian

Date

Program Staff

Date

TEACHING-FAMILY HOMES OF UPPER MICHIGAN
INFORMED CONSENT FORM

(Name of Youth)

Youth who become candidates for the Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan program are those who have been having serious problems in their home, school and community and are being considered for long term placement outside their communities. The goal of Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan is to offer a program that will help these youth learn the social, academic, self-care, pre-vocational skills that will aid them in getting along better with their families, peers, and members of the community.

I understand that reasonable precautions will be taken to keep any information collected about my child confidential and to prevent the use or disclosure of information which would identify my child or put my child at risk. I understand that my child has the right to inspect and to receive copies of treatment records and to request an amendment if deemed inaccurate. TFH adheres the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

I understand that my child will be participating in Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan educational studies. I willingly give permission for my child to participate knowing that the information concerning my child may be used for scientific, educational, rehabilitation or instructional purposes. Identifying information will not be used in such studies.

Research in the Teaching-Family Homes Group Home program includes a collection of information about the behavior of Teaching-Family Homes Group Home residents over such variables as social skills, vocational behaviors, maintenance skills, school behavior, court contacts, etc.

I understand that my child will be representing Teaching Family Homes in activities involving the public. These activities may include--but are not limited to--guest visits, media events, program tours, and testimonials. Efforts will be made to safeguard youth confidentiality and sensitive issues.

I agree that my child may participate in video, audio recording, or pictorial representations made during his/her stay at the Teaching-Family Homes. These may include television, newspaper, brochures, Teaching Family Homes media and the agency website.

_____Yes _____No _____Legal Guardian Initials

I understand, as indicated in my child's treatment plan, that my child will likely be able to visit with me. As a part of my child's treatment plan, I will be expected to participate in my child's treatment through visitation. I understand that if I am unable to provide transportation for such

visits, that Teaching-Family Homes' staff will assist me. I agree to accept responsibility for my child during such periods that he/she is in my care and agree to notify the program immediately if any evidence of difficulty should appear. For example, if my youngster runs away or becomes physically abusive or is arrested, I would agree to contact the staff immediately to inform them of such happenings.

I agree that the placing agency, the supervising agency and the group home shall incur no liability for any injury or harm sustained or caused by my child when he/she is under my care and supervision. My responsibilities for that care and supervision include such times as weekends, holidays, family vacations and any other similar occasions that may occur during my child's residence in the Teaching Family Homes Group Home.

I understand that youth who are placed in the Teaching-Family Homes group home program have been having serious problems getting along with others. Because of a variety of life experiences, these youth have a higher risk of engaging in physically aggressive behaviors. These behaviors may include stealing, property destruction, physical threats or attacks or sexually acting out. Although the staff takes preventive measures, I understand that there is always the possibility that my child may be subjected to such aggression. I also understand that property that my child brings into the program may be damaged or destroyed, and that Teaching Family Homes will not be held responsible for such damage.

Legal Guardian: _____

Witness: _____

Youth: _____

Witness: _____

Program Staff: _____

Date: _____

**Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan
Release of Information Consent Form**

I, _____, authorize Teaching Family Homes of Upper Michigan to release _____ and/or request _____ information from the record of _____ (Name of Client) _____ (DOB) to the following agency or person:

Name	Address	City	State	Zip Code
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|---------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Academic Testing Results | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Testing Results | <input type="checkbox"/> Intelligence Testing Results |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Behavior Programs | <input type="checkbox"/> Service Plans | <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational Testing Results |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Case Notes | <input type="checkbox"/> Summary Reports | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Reports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Personality Profiles | <input type="checkbox"/> Progress Reports | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Reports |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Entire Record | <input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted two-way communication | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ |

The above information will be used for the following purposes:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Planning Appropriate Treatment or Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Determining Eligibility for Benefits or Program |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Appropriate Treatment or Program | <input type="checkbox"/> Case Review |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Updating Files | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ |

I understand that my treatment is not conditioned on my providing authorization for this request. I understand that I can examine or copy the information being released. If the information being released with result directly or indirectly in remuneration (payment) form a third party, I must receive a statement in writing.

I understand that this consent automatically expires one year from date of signature, or at the time the client completes treatment. I understand that I may refuse to sign the authorization. I understand that I may revoke this consent at any time by providing written notice.

I have been informed what information will be given, its purpose, and who will receive the information. *I understand that clinical records containing information about substance abuse and/or information about serious communicable diseases or infections (HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Venereal Disease) require authorizing initials. _____ (Recipients initials).

Signature of Client _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Signature of Witness (if client is unable to sign) _____ Date _____

Signature of Person Informing Client of Rights _____ Date _____

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**TEACHING-FAMILY HOMES OF UPPER MICHIGAN
GROUP HOME RESIDENTIAL SERVICES
RECIPIENT RIGHTS INFORMATION**

A person shall not be denied services on the basis of race, color, nationality, religious or political belief, gender, age, county of residence, or ability to pay.

I agree to keep Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan informed concerning my child and family situation until services are terminated.

I do hereby verify that *YOUR RIGHTS WHEN RECEIVING MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES IN MICHIGAN* has been presented and reviewed with me.

The rights information was explained because it is part of the program's orientation and required by licensing regulations.

Youth

Date

Legal Guardian

Date

Program Staff

Date

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PRIVACY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

Youth Name

Date of Birth

Teaching Family Homes of Upper Michigan (TFH) is committed to the privacy and confidentiality of protected health information (PHI), as identified by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA). This commitment means that TFH employees and volunteers will protect the confidentiality of PHI related to the service of your child/family.

Individuals receiving services from TFH are entitled to specific privacy rights regarding their treatment services. As a recipient/consumer of TFH services, you need to be aware that all TFH consumers have the right:

- To have their privacy protected and their treatment records kept private, whether in written or electronic form
- To have their treatment disclosed only with their consent (outside of the TFH Notice of Information Practices).
- To have this authorization revoked, to the extent that action has not been taken, by submitting a written request.

I understand that there are limits to confidentiality that include the following:

- Immediate, grave danger to the client or to others (if, for example, one has reason to believe that the client is suicidal or homicidal)
- Recent or ongoing child abuse or abuse of a dependent adult
- Diagnosis of diseases or conditions subject to mandatory public health reporting

In such cases, it is required by law that reports be made to the necessary authorities, which may include—but are not limited to—public health agencies, the Department of Human Services, the client’s local court system, or law enforcement agencies.

By signing below I acknowledge that I have been made aware of my rights and limitations in regards to my privacy and confidentiality as a client and/or family member with Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan.

Signature (Legal Guardian)

Date

Signature (Youth)

Date

Witness (TFH)

Date

PHYSICAL RESTRAINT

POLICY

Staff must inform the youth and family of the agency's physical restraint policy and procedures when a youth enters the home. Physical restraint should be used only in those situations where the youth's safety is in danger or the youth is endangering the safety of others. The choice whether or not to restrain is dependent upon the concept of least amount of ensuing harm. Physical restraint should be the last resort and the least restrictive measure necessary to keep injury from occurring and should last only as long as the threat of physical harm is clearly apparent. Supervisors should be involved with decisions involving restraint throughout the time the emergency safety situation is occurring, as their involvement will protect the restraining person(s) as well as the youth and ensure necessary follow-up procedures are implemented.

PROCEDURE

- 1) Upon youth's placement:
 - a. Staff must inform the youth and family of the agency's physical restraint policy and procedures when a youth enters the home (See Appendix I).
 - b. An assessment of the youth's need for restrictive behavior interventions must be conducted (See Appendix II). Assessment findings should be addressed as necessary in the youth's Initial Service Plan.
- 2) Suggested pre-restraint techniques:

There are several techniques that should be tried prior to physical restraint that include physical contact but are not considered physical restraint as defined. These techniques are suggested in an attempt to help the youth control his/her emotions without the need for physical restraint. These techniques include: calm but clear and firm instructions for an immediate change in the youth's behavior; clear reality statements as to what the consequences are for the youth's continued out-of-control or violent behavior; physically positioning oneself between the youth and the potentially threatening or harmful situation (i.e., between the youth and a window when the youth has threatened or intends to break or jump out the window); and, physical guidance by the staff member such as placing a hand on the youth's

shoulder or around the youth's shoulders and walking or directing the youth toward a more appropriate location, or gently holding the youth's arm or hand or guiding him to a more appropriate area for the youth to regain emotional control. This is an attempt to direct body movements in an appropriate direction or to help the youth approximate the instruction and, therefore, avoiding harm with the least restrictive means possible without fully regaining emotional control and without any unnecessary or undue force.

3) Physical Restraint Defined:

The physically holding of a youth's body (arms, legs or torso), in such a way as to prevent injury to himself or to the restraining person or persons around him. The restraining force should be sufficient to restrict the youth's movement of body, arms, or legs to keep the youth from hitting, kicking, biting, or head banging but should not be so restrictive as to obstruct air passages or breathing in any way. It should not restrict vision in any way and should not restrict normal blood flow in any way (i.e., holding of the wrists so tightly that blood does not reach the hands and fingers). The preferred method is to hold the youth in a bear-hug fashion from behind in a standing or sitting position. The youth's arms should be crossed in front of him and held loosely by the hands or wrists at about the youth's front waistline. The legs may be restricted by wrapping the restraining person's legs gently around the youth by overlapping the youth's legs with the restraining person's legs. (CPI Children's Control Position)

Avoid sitting or laying on top of any youth or forcing the youth's face and chest down on a flat surface, especially upon a bed as this may bend the spine backward and cause injury or may force the face into the bed covers and therefore restrict breathing.

Physical restraint should last only as long as the threat of physical harm is clearly apparent. This does *not* include restraining until the youth calms down. The youth may still be out of emotional control and yelling, moving around the area, running, or causing minor property damage, but is no longer a clear threat of physical harm to himself or others and, therefore, making physical restraint not necessary. A physical restraint should never last longer than 15 minutes. Restraints that last longer than 15 minutes are not permitted without the consent of a medical professional.

The restraint should be continually monitored in order to observe the physical and psychological well being of the minor child.

If at any time injury could occur from restraint or attempted restraint, then this procedure should not be used. If injury does not occur from a restraint or attempted restraint, the Program Supervisor should be notified and medical attention secured immediately.

4) If restraint is required:

- a. The Program Supervisor and the TFH Licensed Master's Social Worker or Counselor must be called prior to the restraint, if possible; otherwise, as the restraint is occurring. The Licensed Social Worker/Counselor must provide an order for restraint, specifying what techniques are approved and for how long.
- b. Upon release of the restraint, complete an assessment of the youth's psychological and physical well being immediately. **If the restraint lasts longer than 15 minutes, a medical professional must complete the assessment.** The licensed medical professional must conduct a face to face assessment of the child within one hour of the onset of the emergency safety intervention and then immediately after the child is removed from physical restraint.
- c. Notify the child's parents or legal guardian of the incident, unless it is deemed not to be in the minor's best interest.
- d. Within 24 hours, debrief with the youth and complete follow-up teaching.
- e. A Physical Intervention Report should be completed and given to the Program Supervisor within 24 hours (See Appendix IV, V & VI).
- f. Within 24 hours after the intervention, the consultant should debrief with staff person(s) involved.
- g. During the next team meeting, the youth's treatment plan should be updated as necessary.

EFFECTIVE DATE: 7/1/05

APPROVED BY: CM
DATE: 6/28/08

TEACHING FAMILY HOMES OF UPPER MICHIGAN

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RESTRAINT POLICY

In accordance with Child Care Act 722.112d(5), parents must be provided with a written notification of an agency's policies regarding the use of personal restraint.

I do hereby verify that a copy of the agency's physical restraint policy has been presented and reviewed with me.

Procedures regarding the agency's use of personal restraint were explained to me in a language I understand.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date

Staff Signature

Date

***NOTE TO STAFF:** Provide a copy of the restraint policy and this document to the parent upon admission.

APPLICATION FOR FOOD REIMBURSEMENT

Name and Grade of Youth for Whom Application is Made:

Name

Admission Date

School Grade

Termination Date

Teaching-Family Home

If the child is a resident of a licensed "Child Caring Institution" he or she is considered a single person family and only his/her actual spending money is considered income, list his/her spendable income per month_____.

This application is being made in connection with receipt of Federal Funds by Teaching-Family Homes of Upper Michigan. Federal Officials may verify information on this application. Deliberate misrepresentation of information subjects the applicant to prosecution under applicable state and federal penal statutes.

I hereby certify that all of the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature of Program Staff

Approved by Program Director

Date

YOUTH FINANCIAL INFORMATION

YOUTH NAME : _____

GROUP HOME : _____

PLACEMENT AGENCY : _____

PLACEMENT DATE : ____ / ____ / ____

AGENCY CASEWORKER : _____

AUTHORIZATION DATE : ____ / ____ / ____

FUNDING SOURCE (check one)

STATE AGENCY

COUNTY AGENCY

OTHER AGENCY: _____

THIS MUST BE COMPLETED

Billing should be sent to: Agency: _____

Attention: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State & Zip: _____

Telephone number: _____

Signature of referring worker: _____

Print or type name of referring worker: _____

Date: _____

MEDICAID STATUS

YOUTH: _____

GROUP HOME: _____

DATE OF PLACEMENT: _____

1. My child, _____, is currently receiving Medicaid benefits. The number is _____.
2. My child, _____, is receiving other insurance benefits through _____ . The policy number is _____.
3. I do not wish that my child, _____, receive medical benefits and will assume responsibility for any medical, dental, optical, or psychological services which may be incurred while my child is in placement. I understand that I will be informed as these services are recommended.

Parent/Guardian _____

Date _____

TEACHING-FAMILY HOMES OF UPPER MICHIGAN
MEDIA CONSENT FORM

(Name of Family)

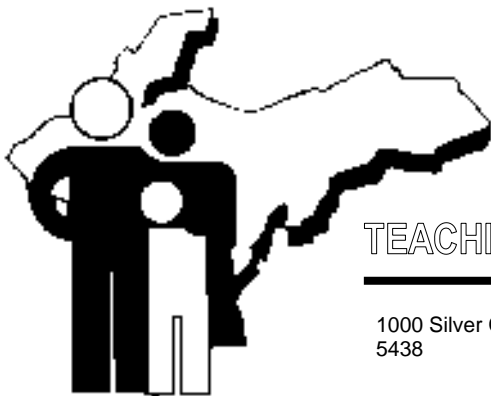
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Family Representative: _____

Program Staff: _____

Date: _____



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To Whom It May Concern:

I hereby verify that _____
First name Last name

is current on all immunizations _____ (please use a check mark) as of _____.
Current date

OR

is in need of the following immunization(s). (Please include the time lines needed to be followed):

Signed by: _____

Date: _____

Position: _____