REFERRAL PROCESS

SFT's preference is to hold a minimum of two meetings with potential referrals in the month prior to their support package being implemented.

To refer a young person in to SFT's 'Outreach Support Service' please complete our referral form and forward to Scot Davidson either by email or post using the details provided below;

Strawberry Fields Training,

South Place,

1 Meeting House Lane,

Lancaster

LA1 1TQ

or

Email: scot@strawberryfieldstraining.org.uk

Tel: 01524 874246 Mobile: 07818037929

SFT will aim to make contact within, 3 days with a view to arranging the first meeting with the young person within 7 days.

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- The Outreach Support Service is a targeted support service for those on the verge of leaving, or having already left, Local Authority Care.
- The Outreach Support Service strives to facilitate rapid access to support with the aim of holding an initial meeting with referrals within seven working days of their referral being made.
- The aim of the Outreach Support Service is to facilitate and provide referrals with an opportunity to develop a range of skills essential to their positive transition to independent living.
- The Outreach Support Service will offer the referral access to an evidenced based, developmentally congruent, therapeutic 1-2-1 intervention which enables them to discuss matters which may have a negative impact upon their personal and social wellbeing.
- The Outreach Support Service staff, whilst recognising and respecting the referrals right to confidentiality, will also liaise with their Social Worker and/or Care Leaver Advisor to consolidate and sustain positive developments and/or plan further action as well as provide weekly updates via weekly reports.

Outcomes

On completion of their engagement with SFT's Outreach Support Service referrals will;

- have acknowledged barriers to their own ability to live independently;
- have explored and identified personal and social contributory factors which negatively impact upon their ability to live independently in a positive and productive manner;
- have identified and practiced alternative strategies to more positively and constructively manage their personal skills with the aim of;
 - reducing their reliance upon support from statutory and voluntary organisations; and
 - increasing their ability to manage issues affecting their personal lives in an independent fashion



For more information and/ or discussion, please contact Scot Davidson

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