

Lifespan Respite - Comparative Summary

Respite Programs Lead Agency	Program Eligibility	Funding	Numbers of Caregivers Served per year	Mechanism used to determine amount of respite/include assess. tools	Who provides the respite service/include service areas	Training Requirements for providers	Respite unit cost
<p><b>Addictive &amp; Mental Disorders Division (AMDD)</b></p> <p><b>Contact:</b></p> <p>Jane Wilson 788-8167</p>	<p>Adults who have a serious disabling mental illness &amp; are residing with their families or live with an adult foster family.</p>	<p>\$50,000 - 1915 (c) HCBS waiver and State general funds; currently 155 people on waiver.</p>	<p>15</p>	<p>Plan of Care completed by caseworker; consumer/caregiver decide what works for them; can be reassessed as necessary.</p>	<p>Provider agencies</p>	<p>No training required</p>	<p>\$3.00 per 15 minutes</p>
<p><b>Child &amp; Family Services Division (CFSD)</b></p> <p><b>Contact:</b></p> <p>Kandice Morse 841-2400</p> <p>Erin Kintop 841-2421</p>	<p>Children in the family foster care program</p> <p>Support service as part of the Foster Care Program.</p>	<p>Approx. \$100,000 - State general funds spent in FY '14.</p> <p>This money is not designated for respite. The money available comes out of Foster Care budget.</p>	<p>Individual kids served in FY '14 was 466.</p> <p>Depends on need &amp; avail general fund dollars.</p>	<p>Determined by the Child &amp; Family Services Division Social Worker; allowed 111 hours per year per child (not family). No assessment tools or criteria.</p>	<p>Foster families are responsible for finding/hiring individuals as respite care providers; typically use extended family (60%) or other foster families; approved by the caseworker; Therapeutic foster parents must use other therapeutic foster parents for respite.</p>	<p>No training required</p> <p>No background checks required (plans to review this).</p>	<p>\$4.00 per hour max \$32 per 24 hour day max We pay foster family and they pay the caregiver.</p>

