

<p><b>Goal 1: The Community Identifies All Unaccompanied Youth Experiencing Homelessness</b></p>	<p>Social and Emotional Well Being Objective 1.1: Increase youth to peer mentorship opportunities.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.1.1 Develop peer led social groups within housing and service programs that connects youths to others.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.1.2 Support tribal youth in connecting with peers and engaging in cultural practices that build community and sense of belonging.</p> <p>Social/Emotional Well Being &amp; Education/Employment Objective 1.2: Develop a drop-in community center with a variety of wrap-around services &amp; resources.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Action Step 1.2.1 Obtain a location for a drop-in center with YHDP grant funding</b></p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.2.2 Collaborate with education/employment agencies to bring computers, job skill/interview training, GED services to support youth at the drop-in center</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.2.3 Provide adequate staff to work the extended weekday and weekend hours, and provide youth with ongoing services for self-care, and social and recreational options with peers, and create opportunities for youth to meaningfully engage with their community including peer mentorship.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action step 1.2.4: Provide YAB with ongoing training on leadership, meeting facilitation, and community concepts and empower YAB to set goals for the future.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.2.5: Further develop partnerships with school district and local universities and vocational schools to increase high school and advanced educational graduation rates.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.2.6: Further develop partnership with Dept. of Labor to increase awareness in trade certificate programs, WIOA youth work programs, and develop employer based partnerships.</p> <p>Coordinated Entry Objective 1.3: Develop and implement marketing strategy to ensure youth are aware of coordinated entry system and increase youth access to CE.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.3.1 Develop a youth driven, youth focused publicity campaign around how to access services.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><b>Action Step 1.3.2 Support street outreach efforts with direct connection to coordinated entry.</b></p> <p>Objective 1.4: Improve Identification and referral of youth experiencing or at risk of homelessness to available resources.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 1.4.1: Develop a question list to help partners to screen youth at risk and experiencing homelessness and procedures for partners assist youth access to coordinated entry</p>
<p><b>Goal 2: Use Shelter Diversion Strategies Whenever Possible and Provide Immediate Access to Low-Barrier Shelter to any Youth who Needs and Wants it</b></p>	<p>Objective 2.1: Create Prevention and Diversion Strategies</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 2.1.1 Prioritize YHDP project funding that provide Youth Shelter Diversion &amp; CES Youth Navigation</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 2.1.2 Provide Training to case managers and intake staff to explore diversion opportunities. Training should include Positive Youth Development (PYD), Trauma-Informed Care (TIC), and family engagement services. Staff should be trained in cultural awareness.</p> <p>Objective 2.2: Provide integrated services that serve youth and families before homelessness occurs, and prevent recurrences of homelessness.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 2.2.1: Incorporate rapid resolution/diversion efforts</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Action Step 2.2.2: Boost availability and accessibility to parenting supports</p>

	Action Step 2.2.3: All youth will design transportations plans to meet their individual needs.
<p><b>Goal 3: Use Coordinated Entry Processes to Link all Youth Experiencing Homelessness to Housing and Services that are Tailored to Their Needs</b></p>	<p>Coordinated Entry Objective 3.1: Work to assure CES processes meet the needs of youth.</p> <p>Coordinated Entry Objective 3.2: Develop processes, policies, and procedures for allocating youth diversion and rapid exit funds.</p> <p>Action Step 3.1.1 Review TAY-Vi-SPDAT and consider alternative assessment tools and options  <b>Action Step 3.1.2 Review prioritization and referral criteria for youth with and consider high vulnerabilities</b>  <b>Action Step 3.1.3 Establish youth case conferencing procedures</b></p> <p>Action Step 3.2.1: Ensure assessment processes gather needed information to identify needs and regarding connections to supportive adults and family.  Action Step 3.2.2 Provide trainings for coordinated entry system on Trauma Informed Care (TIC) and Positive Youth Development (PYD)</p>
<p><b>Goal 4: Swiftly Assist Youth to Move into Permanent or Non-Time-Limited Housing Options with Appropriate Services and Supports.</b></p>	<p>Stable Housing Objective 4.1: Increase the number of Rapid Rehousing (RRH) units and expand existing services and rental assistance specifically for youth. Young Adult Flexible Rapid Rehousing.</p> <p>Stable Housing Objective 4.2 Create short-term crisis transitional housing.</p> <p><b>Action Step 4.1.1 Prioritize YHDP project funding to increase RRH units.</b>  Action Step 4.1.2: Work with youth to define culturally appropriate RRH models, and the comprehensive services to be offered as voluntary services.</p> <p><b>Action Step 4.2.1 Prioritize YHDP funding for youth-specific crisis housing options.</b>  Action Step 4.2.2 Leverage existing resources to expand opportunities to provide crisis housing.  Action Step 4.2.3 Provide, diversion, mentoring options, education, employment options, transportation, access to healthcare to help resolve the immediate crisis.</p>
<p><b>Goal 5: The Community has Resources, Plans, and System Capacity in Place to Continue to Prevent and Quickly end Future Experiences of Homelessness Among Youth</b></p>	<p>5.1: Increase the role of community partners in improving the social and emotional well-being of youth at risk of or experiencing homelessness.</p> <p>Action Step 5.1.1 Identify key community partners such as the community mental health provider, faith-based organizations, Native American organizations, Tribal Governments, and local businesses and invite their direct involvement to support youth homelessness efforts.</p>