

A MESSAGE FROM THE FOUNDER

You-Turn Project Inc. is a not-for profit, community based organization that specializes in life skills training. We are committed to serve as a change agent for personal success. You-Turn Project values self-sufficiency, individual choice, informed decision making and personal accountability. This program is designed to present a realistic approach to independent living. We expect the youth in our program to feel empowered and use their new skills to become productive citizens. Now is the time to assist our youth on the journey to self-sufficiency. The future cannot be placed on hold until they are ready. Now is the time to make a You-Turn.

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YOU-TURN PROJECT

Our Mission:
To provide comprehensive
life skills instruction and
support services for youth
preparing to live
independently.



Your road to self-sufficiency.

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WHAT IS YOU-TURN PROJECT?

OUR PURPOSE:

- To deliver a modular and comprehensive independent living skills program
- Provide social service agencies with a comprehensive life skills program that will eliminate overhead costs of an entire department.
- Order Employment Documents.
- Personal assessment will indicate what services are needed.
- Small group, hands-on activities
- Each module can be taken individually.
- Our program has a built-in data collection process to calculate outcome measures.
- Mentor Program for transitioning youth entitled "Watch Me Turn."

PROGRAM MODULES

<u>Module name</u>	<u>Hours of instruction</u>
Personal Assessment	2
Community Exploration	40
Effective Communication	20
Financial Planning	40
Food Preparation	20
Parenting Education	20
Personal Safety and Wellness	40
Substance Abuse Education	40
Time Management	20
Watch Me Turn Mentor Program	48

****total hours administered is based on need.**

WHO DO WE SERVE:

Males and females ages 16-25 who are capable of living independently.

WHERE DO THE CLASSES TAKE PLACE?

Our instructors are mobile. We offer classes in your community. Day and evening classes are available.

HOW DO I ENROLL?

Please contact our intake department for an initial consultation. We can be reached online at intake@youturnproject.org or by telephone at 310.644.9500 x702.

WAYS YOU CAN HELP

You-Turn Project is a non-profit corporation. All donations are tax-deductible to the full extent allowed by law. Please visit our website at www.youturnproject.org for a list of ways you can help. You may also speak with our Development Department at 310.644.9500 ext. 703 to confirm the needs of our youth.