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RESPIRE CARE



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The Respite Care Program

- *Is a voluntary residential program for Summit county youth between the ages of 6 through 17 who are in need of short-term planned periods of respite.*
- *The primary focus of the program is to alleviate family stress through the provision of respite care services.*
- *During the respite period, youth are placed with House Parents who will assist with providing support for youth during their stay.*
- *House Parents are Trauma Informed professionals who are able to assist with individual skill development and provide emotional support.*



Services offered during respite stay:

- Short-term Residential Care (Maximum length of stay per respite period is four days)
- Case Management
- Transportation to school and essential appointments
- Homework assistance
- Structured activities and outings
- Emotional support
- Individualized support

Referral procedures:

- Family members and community agencies may directly contact Shelter Care, Inc. for referrals.
- A referral questionnaire is completed with the caregiver or referring agency.
- Following the referral, an intake interview is scheduled.

**Call 330-630-5600 or go to:
<https://sc72.org/referral/>
to begin the referral process.**