

Avenue of Life

"breaking the cycle of poverty
through community development"



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capacity: 40 youth **adopt a teen**

ages: 16-18

\$41.00 per day

30 long-term beds

\$288.50 per week

12 girls & 14 boys

\$1,250 per month

4 singles

adopt a room

10 emergency beds

\$2,500 per month

volunteer opportunities

entrepreneurial training

homework helpers

internships

personal mentoring

providing meals

serving meals

teaching various classes

Avenue Youth House is dedicated to unaccompanied homeless youth in Kansas City, Kansas. There are currently 59 unaccompanied homeless youth in our school district, but there are no youth shelters available in Wyandotte County. We have 18 bedrooms and adequate space to offer transformational, wrap-around support for our youth. We will provide a long-term home for youth through high school graduation and on to career and higher education. We will provide care and guidance through licensed therapists, case workers, mentors, and personal tutors. This is a collaborative effort between many local agencies, specializing in a broad spectrum of holistic care. We will have staff, teachers and mentors to teach them how to manage personal finances, cook well-balanced meals, engage in healthy recreation, develop entrepreneurial skills, and help them apply to colleges and places of employment. These children do not have a home, and many have never been given the opportunity to dream about what life could look like beyond their current circumstances. With your help, we can give homeless youth the opportunity to thrive.

Interested in helping? Contact:

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