

Foster Care Maintenance Payments

The Foster Care Maintenance Payments (FMCP) rates for DCF licensed and approved caregivers (core, kinship, fictive kinship and pre-adoptive) shall be the same. FCMP shall be received in conjunction with Connecticut's biennial (two-year) budget process. Recommended changes resulting from the reviews shall follow the state budget process

Service Type	Policy Reference	Service Description	Reimbursement Range	Length of Service	Approval Level	Comments
Regular	Policy 2-2 Fiscal Services Division	The per diem rates shall be based on the age of the child	Age 0-5 - \$27.29 Age 6-11 - \$27.60 Age 12-17 - \$29.95	In Care	Supervisor	Placement Request (DCF 469)
Medically Complex	Policy 2-2 Fiscal Services Division Page 13 of 17 Policy 21-5-2, "Certification of Child's Complex Medical Needs"	The per diem rates shall be based on the medical needs of the child	Level I - \$31.50 Level II - \$42.00 Level III - \$58.33 Level IV - \$86.10	6 Month	PCP	Certification of Child's Complex Medical Needs (DCF-2101) by primary health care provider. Recertification every 6 months or whenever there is a change in the child's medical condition.
FFT (TFC)		The per diem rates shall be based on the clinical need of the child. ----- The per diem rate for a child placed with their sibling who is FFT-FC-No clinical needs	FFT-FC - \$58.33 ----- Age 0-5 - \$27.29 Age 6-11 - \$27.60 Age 12-17 - \$29.95	In Care ----- In Care	RRG Screen -----	Universal Referral Form; Trauma Screen Tool by RRG; Reviewed 3 Phases of Treatment (EC, BM, G) -----
Short-Term Stabilization	Practice Guide 2-2 Fiscal Services Division	The temporary per diem rate shall be based on children presenting with complex needs associated with one or more behavioral health or mental health diagnoses and/or intellectual developmental disabilities.	Level I - \$58.00 Level II - \$67.00 Level III - \$86.00 (This rate structure is not to be applied in conjunction with any other rate)	6 Month	FCO and CWB	Short Term Stabilization (DCF2-2F) Prepared by Cross Division Leadership Approved by CWB Bureau Chief, Office of Clinical and Community Support Senior Administrator and Chief Financial Officer Recertification every 6 months or whenever there is a change.
Careline-After Hour Rate		The per diem regular rate plus the after-hour rate of \$25 for children entering care afterhours and placed by the Careline	Age 0-5 - \$27.29+\$25.00=\$52.29 Age 6-11 - \$27.60+\$25.00=\$52.60 Age 12-17 - \$29.95+\$25.00=\$54.96	1 night to night	Supervisor	Placement Request (DCF 469) through the Careline