CRITERIA FOR REFERRALS TO LEE & BEULAH MOOR CHILDREN'S HOME

Lee & Beulah Moor Children's Home is a basic residential child care facility or a General Residential Operation (GRO) licensed by the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services to work with children who meet the guidelines of Level 1 through 3, or Basic to Moderate. The Home accepts into placement children ages 0 through 18. Children must be U.S. citizens or legal residents living in the El Paso geographical area, including far West Texas up to the Midland/Odessa area. Their parents/guardians must live within the same area or assign someone who will be responsible for the children.

APPROPRIATE REFERRALS

Child is not in need of excessive supervision.

Child is experiencing some behavior problems at home and/or at school.

Child is in need of academic remediation, which the school system can address.

Child has experimented with drugs but is not addicted.

Child has had minor problems with the authorities, such as status offenses, burglaries, or minor possession of marijuana.

Some runaway history, some stealing.

Child is having some adjustment problems due to moves, change of schools, divorce or separation.

Child has been in treatment, made some gains, but is not ready to return home.

Child comes from an economically deprived situation and needs a stable living environment, where he/she can continue with education until the parent/guardian can stabilize.

Child is in need of transitional/independent living training with a goal of emancipation.

The Agency provides pregnancy counseling, foster care and/or adoption.

INAPPROPRIATE REFERRALS

Child is in need of a treatment center or lock-up unit.

Child's behavior is dangerous to self and/or others (suicidal or homicidal).

Child cannot function in a classroom setting and has an I.Q. below 70.

Child is actively addicted to alcohol, drugs or inhalants.

Child has been convicted of a felony, been convicted as an adult, or committed a major crime against persons to include sexual assault.

Child has a history of setting fires.

Child is exhibiting gang-like behavior which jeopardizes self and/or other residents. Does not wish to leave gang affiliation.

Child has been in treatment but pathology remains chronic.

The Agency cannot meet the needs of a physically handicapped child, or serious medical needs.

Child refuses to voluntarily commit to placement.

The agency is not a maternity home.

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