

## Rules for Transitional Living Students

**OZANAM PATHWAYS  
RULES AND REGULATIONS**

1. Not to use illegal drugs or alcohol while in the program.
2. To agree to submit to random drug and alcohol testing while in the program. Refusing to submit a drug or alcohol test will be considered the same as having a positive test for drugs or alcohol. Diluted results will also be considered positive.
3. Not to get into a car with anyone who is under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
4. Not to have any type of drug or alcohol paraphernalia in your possession.
5. Not to be in possession of, in the proximity of, or in the company of others in possession of any weapons. Pathways reserves the right to decide if we consider an item to be a weapon, if there is any question.
6. Not to commit acts of aggression (physical or verbal) against persons or property.
7. To agree to use grocery money for food, hygiene, or cleaning supplies only, and to keep receipts for grocery expenditures.
8. To not have any pets in my apartment while in the program.
9. To not smoke in my apartment.
10. To agree to abide by all contracts and agreements while a resident is at Pathways.
11. To follow all rules and regulations of the Ozanam Pathways Transitional Living Program, referring agency, court orders, and the community.
12. To attend all appointments that are assigned by your Case Manager and/or other Pathways staff. If you need to reschedule an appointment, you will need to receive prior approval from your staff.
13. To not bring additional furniture into your apartment.
14. To not use outdoor grills in or near your apartment.
15. Not to date or have sexual relations with another resident in the program
16. To not enter the apartment of another Pathways resident.
17. To not enter your roommate's bedroom, under any circumstances.
18. If you have a roommate, you are prohibited to eat his/her food. You may cook together and share food if both roommates agree to do so.
19. To have any visitors in your apartment named on your visitation and contact list. You are responsible for the behaviors of your guests.
20. Not to give out your apartment keys to anyone.
21. Not to possess credit cards or debit cards.
22. To not be in possession of pornographic materials of any kind.
23. To abide by schedules and curfews. In the TLP, residents must prepare **daily** schedules with TLP staff that will be verified by life coaches. TLP youth must ask permission before leaving the building and must check in for curfew upon returning to the TLP.
24. To keep your apartment clean. Keep food, clothes, and trash properly stored.
25. To be respectful of Pathways staff, their belongings, and their visitors.
26. To be respectful of the possessions, privacy, and relationships of your **NEIGHBORS** and **ROOMMATES**. **Keep the noise down!** Continued noise complaints seriously jeopardize your Pathways placement.

I have read the above rules and regulations and agree to abide by them.

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Resident signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Admissions Coordinator

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Date



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## RULES FOR INDEPENDENT LIVING STUDENTS

We welcome you and are very happy to provide services in association with your stay in the Ozanam-Pathways/USD 50 Independent Living Program. The primary purpose of this program is to ensure that you have a stable place to live while you pursue your education. As such, we possess certain expectations regarding your academic pursuits during your stay.

In addition to the rules mandated by Ozanam-Pathways, USD 500 Office of the Homeless Liaison has the following expectations for students in our independent living program:

1. Attend school in accordance with district policy regarding unexcused absences and tardies
2. Attend Case Management with USD 500 case manager and the Unaccompanied Youth Peer Support Group. Communicate any potential excused absences (school related activities etc) as early as possible and ahead of time. More than three *unexcused* absences will result in possible loss of the living placement.
3. If you face any issues that affect your ability to attend or succeed in school, the tutoring program, or the support group, *call your USD 500 case manager immediately*
4. Make adequate progress toward completion of academics, credits, and graduation.
5. Meet with your USD 500 case manager at least once a week and engage in goal setting related to academics. Communicate with your case manager about any problems, concerns or issues that may be relevant to this program.
6. Show respect in the use of language, behavior, and in maintaining the apartment and following the rules of Ozanam-Pathways and USD 500.
7. Complete all classroom assignments and/or homework in a timely fashion.
8. Maintain at least a 2.0 grade point average.
9. Transition and discharge is preferred to take place at the end of the school year, or after graduation. Time will be allotted for easy transition during the summer months. *Arrangements should be made ahead of time with Ozanam-Pathways if the apartment is needed through the summer.*
10. Should a student show themselves unwilling or unable to comply with the Ozanam-Pathways or USD 500 behavioral, academic, or other requirements, the program reserves the right to discharge the student, while making reasonable accommodations for transition.

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Student Signature

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Case Manager

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Date

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Date