



# 16+ Supported Accommodation

**Speed. Stability. Safety. Without compromise.**

Solo and shared placements for care leavers, young people stepping down from residential, and UASC — across Wales.

**100%**

Placement stability  
at 90 days

**1 hr**

Average referral  
response time

**50+**

Young people  
currently supported

**12**

Local Authorities  
currently placing

## What is included as standard

- Solo and shared placements matched to risk profile, peer mix and care plan
- Enhanced DBS-checked staff with structured induction and ongoing supervision
- 24/7 staffed environments where the placement plan calls for it
- Structured LA reporting on a defined cadence, agreed up front
- Pathway planning — education, training, employability, independence
- We decline placements where presented needs exceed our ability to safely support

### Care leaver provision built in

Care leavers sit inside the 16+ cohort — not a separate service line. Pathway plan within 10 days, monthly key worker review, transition planning from 6 months before move-on. Stable environment, consistent staff, structured skills development.

## Safeguarding model

- Single, non-negotiable escalation route at every tier — no informal handling
- All incidents logged within 4 hours (serious) or 24 hours (all others)
- Post-incident review within 72 hours, signed off by Operations Lead
- On-call cover confirmed minimum 7 days in advance

**REFER A YOUNG PERSON**

[life.tifa.co.uk/referrals](https://life.tifa.co.uk/referrals)

01792 677275

Same-day emergency response

[hello@tifa.co.uk](mailto:hello@tifa.co.uk)

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TIFA Life is not CIW registered — 16+ supported accommodation sits outside CIW scope under current Welsh legislation.

# How the placement works

- 01 Referral received**  
Logged within 2 hours. Referral form or direct contact accepted.
- 02 Suitability screen**  
Assessed against TIFA Life criteria, current capacity, and peer mix.
- 03 Risk assessment**  
Full safeguarding and risk assessment. Operations Lead sign-off required.
- 04 Property matched**  
Matched to risk profile and care plan — not just availability.
- 05 Placement commences**  
Named keyworker assigned. Commissioner notified within 24 hours.
- 06 Pathway planning**  
Pathway plan co-produced within 10 days. Monthly key worker review.
- 07 Transition planning**  
Starts 6 months before move-on. Accommodation, services, taper.

## Escalation route



## Partner with us

TIFA Life actively partners with Local Authorities to establish new provision in their area. We source compliant properties, deploy trained staff, and mobilise placements at pace — with safeguarding infrastructure in place from day one.

## Where we operate

Currently placing with 12 Local Authorities across Wales and cross-border into the West Midlands.

Cardiff · Swansea · Powys · Blaenau Gwent · Bridgend · Carmarthenshire · Pembrokeshire  
Neath Port Talbot · Wrexham · Rhondda Cynon Taf · Merthyr Tydfil · Sandwell