

## connectED's Mission

To provide current/former foster youth with the skills needed for employment and relationship success.

1. We provide real-life practice opportunities for youth to seek healthy positive relationships.
2. We advance knowledge by teaching youth skills for getting and keeping meaningful employment.
3. We strengthen youth's learning by having an Advocate on their side to provide mentorship, career guidance & planning, along with continued support.

### Visiting connectED

BCFS HHS San Antonio Transition Center  
4346 NW Loop 410  
San Antonio, TX 78229

### Operating Hours

Mon - Fri 8:30 AM-5:30 PM  
Sat - Sun Closed


### More Information

Website: [myconnected.net](http://myconnected.net)

Email: [connectED@BCFS.net](mailto:connectED@BCFS.net)  
(210) 934-2511 - Available 24/7

If you are in crisis, please call the hotline at  
1-800-295-7884



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# What We Do

## Weekly Stipends

We know your time is worth money! connectED participants can earn a weekly stipend of \$187.84 for up to 8 weeks. This includes four weeks of paid skill building workshops and four weeks of paid advocacy support.

## Research

This is a chance for you to share your experiences so that we can identify services to help you, and others like you. Participate in surveys and receive Gift Cards for each completed survey.

## Peer Support Groups

Join monthly support groups to learn about how to manage stress, money, housing issues, etc.

## Other program benefits!

- Daily meals
- Transportation assistance
- Child-care assistance
- Gift cards



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## connectED Workshops

Discover the new workshops that are being provided at the San Antonio Transition Center.

### Trust-based Relational Intervention

Learn skills & strategies to help you identify different feelings and emotions, and learn effective ways to manage them.

### Love Notes

Learn about how to build healthy romantic relationships, improve communication, setting/respecting boundaries, and prevent dating violence.

### Work Steady

We'll go over the nuts and bolts of getting and keeping employment. Learn about dress/appearance at work; your first day; communicating with your colleagues/supervisor; boundaries at work; and how to manage conflict.