

## **NORMALCY IN FOSTER CARE**

*Transfer of learning on the training of the new Federal and State Laws that provide normalcy . For each of the following, choose if the statement about the new **State Statute** is either TRUE or FALSE. In these statements the term “foster care” is inclusive to youth placed in foster family homes, foster homes of relatives and kin, pre-adoptive homes, emergency shelters, group homes, and residential facilities.*

1. Foster care youth are permitted to attend a sleepover only if background checks have been completed on all of the adults in the household hosting the sleepover. **True/False**
2. Youth in foster care are allowed to participate in extracurricular activities associated with school or other organizations. **True/False**
3. There is a uniform “curfew” for youth in foster care that is different from that established for youth not in foster care. **True/False**
4. Youth in foster care are allowed to own a cell phone. **True/False**
5. Foster care youth are not allowed to participate on Facebook. **True/False**
6. Youth in foster care are able to get their driver’s license. **True/False**
7. Youth are not permitted to own a car while in foster care. **True/False**
8. Foster care youth are not allowed to get a hunting license. **True/False**
9. Decisions exercised using the reasonable and prudent parent standard cannot conflict with any applicable court order or service plan. **True/False**
10. Foster care youth are not allowed to date. **True/False**
11. When a caregiver or licensee has any questions or concerns, they should consult with the agency that they are licensed through. **True/False**
12. Foster care youth are not allowed to travel out of state. **True/False**
13. Youth in foster care are able to have unsupervised visits with family/friends. **True/False**
14. Youth in foster care, including youth placed in congregate care settings, are allowed to participate in Independent Living services and/or hold a job. **True/False**
15. Pennsylvania has other laws already that work towards prudent parent standard and compliment this law to help provide normalcy for youth. **True/False**

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**Answers:**

1. *False*
2. *True*
3. *False*
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15. *True*

