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# Spread Holiday Cheer PHA AmeriCorps is HERE!

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As we dive into the festive holiday season, iFoster has lined up a host of programs and savings to make this time of year even more special for you. But that's not all! We have some thrilling news to share for LA County foster youth. Let's dive right in!

Unlock Discounts with Ease: iFoster Get Perks!

Save Big on Groceries & More with iFoster Coupons!

'Tis the season to lean on someone.



At iFoster Perks powered by Abenity you'll find a treasure trove of offers, whether you prefer printing out coupons, downloading discounts to your mobile device, or utilizing discount codes for online purchases. The choice is yours, and the savings are limitless! Watch the video and learn now to into savings with iFoster Perks today!



Hey savvy shoppers! Exciting news! iFoster Members can now save up to \$50 a month on groceries with our awesome coupons. Access hundreds of coupons on your phone, clip the ones you want, and start saving. No more paper coupons! Spread the word and revolutionize how we save. Visit our website or contact us for more info. Happy couponing!



Whether the stress of the holiday season is getting to you, or you simply need someone to talk to just text "HELLO" to 741741 anytime, day or night. And let a compassionate crisis counselors provide a shoulder to lean on.

Remember, you're not alone in this, if you need another hotline check out this list from Children's Bureau:

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## Transform your passion for healthcare into a dream career!

Get hands-on experience and make a difference with PHA TAY AmeriCorps - the newest internship program by iFoster!

No work experience required! You'll serve patients at Eisner Health community clinics while you learn healthcare skills and get a monthly stipend of **\$1,500** (yup, you read that right!).

Plus, you'll be first in line for interviews for permanent healthcare careers and be eligible for over <u>\$3,000 in post-</u>education awards!

Only for current or former foster youth aged 18-26 and residing in LA County with reliable transportation.



Ready to dive in? Apply now!

LAST CHANCE: To Submit your response to this year's Voice of the Community Survey



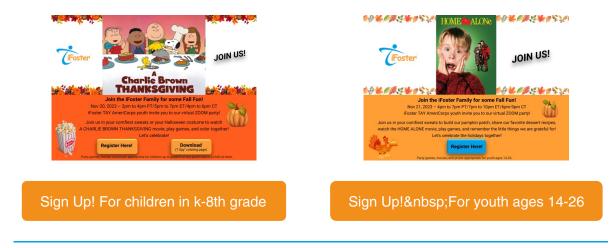
There are only two weeks left, don't miss the chance to win **\$500** and help improve child welfare. It's as easy as taking a few minutes to share your thoughts and make your voice heard!

Take a few moments out of your busy holiday schedule and enter for a chance to win \$500 while making a positive change. Join us in making this holiday season meaningful and impactful. Your opinion matters!

Take the Survey

## Fall Fun Events for Children and Youth!

iFoster TAY AmeriCorps interns, who are all current or former foster youth, are hosting two fun virtual events in November. Join us for movies, games, prizes and fun! We're showing Charlie Brown's Thanksgiving and Home Alone. Download flyers and share. Click the Sign-Up button to sign up.



**Did You Know?** 



### Breaking News: FAFSA Application Opening Moved to December!

Hey college-bound students, we've got some exciting news for you! The opening date for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) has been pushed to December!

That's right - you now have more time to get your FAFSA ducks in a row. Take advantage of this extended timeline to ensure you don't miss out on crucial financial aid opportunities for your college education.

Use this extra time wisely to gather all the necessary information and complete your application meticulously. Need a helping hand to navigate the FAFSA process? Rest easy – our dedicated support team is <u>here for you</u>.



#### Coming Soon: Elevating #FosterYouthVoices with NFYI!

We're joining the National Foster Youth Institute (NFYI). Together, we're amplifying #FosterYouthVoices and connecting them to decisionmakers across the country. These superstar interns are passionate about making a difference in the foster youth community and have the skills to do it. Later this month, our TAY AmeriCorps Interns partnered with NFYI will be gathering so that stories are heard loud and clear, paving the way for positive change.



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