



**Semi-independent  
accommodation with  
support for people 16+**



CareTech Children's  
Services

# Supporting young people to achieve independence

We support young people in preparation for adulthood. Over the years we have developed a program of support which enables young people to develop essential skills enabling them to achieve independence.

## Most of the Young People accessing our services are:

- Young people leaving care
- In danger of being homeless
- Unaccompanied minors seeking asylum
- Pregnant teenagers
- Parent and child

We understand that each young person is an individual with their own life story, wishes and feelings.

Our primary aims and objectives at Linx 16+ are:

- To provide young people with tailored support packages to meet their individual needs. Support packages vary from an hour a day to enhanced 24-hour a day in shared and individual accommodation.
- To work closely with social care teams, mental health practitioners and YOI teams to ensure a clear support plan with set objectives.
- To use an individualised independence program.
- To monitor outcomes and track progress, packages are regularly reviewed in line with young people's progress.
- To enable young people to enhance the necessary skills, to become more confident in their own abilities to live independently within the wider community.



The outcomes and performance standards reflect our intention that Linx 16+ should provide support for young people that:

- Provides a stable placement
- Safeguards privacy, dignity and safety
- Ensures consistency through an allocated key worker/mentor system
- Pays attention to practical self-care needs including health, budgeting, domestic and social skills
- Enables young people to reach their full potential through education, training and employment opportunities
- Promotes independence through social inclusion and practical living skills
- Nurtures resilience and emotional well-being
- Supports and encourages positive relationships with families, friends and professionals
- Supports young people to meet their social, cultural and individual needs
- Assists young people leaving care to claim the welfare benefits that they are entitled to

### Areas of Specialism:

Supported accommodation for young people with social and emotional difficulties preparing for independence

Age:16+

Locations: South East, Midlands, South West

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As Managing Director, my priority is to maintain and continually improve our services that offer bespoke placements in high quality, good value, sustainable homes.

We are a network of services operating under the CTC brand and over the last 15 years we have acquired and developed a number of specialist providers who offer specialist residential placements for Children and Young People with a variety of complex needs. Our network of services provides a unique opportunity for collaborative working, enabling us to share resources and knowledge.

I am proud to be the director of a highly dedicated and motivated team of people whose primary focus is delivering the best outcomes for Children and Young people and who are always prepared go that extra mile to achieve this.

**Rob McKay**

**Managing Director CareTech  
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**Living, learning and laughing  
together for a brighter future.**

**Jayne Wainwright**

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