SUPPORT PLAN GRAPHIC for Marilyn

WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO ME?

Finish school; No more stress
Ben and me and baby being together
A real home (safe, clean, lots of love)
To have enough money to not worry
My family to be proud of me

WHAT DO I WANT TO CHANGE?

Be nice to have one job that pays well and not two that don't pay enough

HOW DO I WANT MY LIFE TO BE?

Own our own home
Be stress free
Parents are proud of us
Be a high school graduate
Pay off debt

NOT WORKING

Stress –hard to stay clean, no money, don't have my independence, no privacy, other people telling me what to do

WORKING

Like living in Grande Prairie
My jobs are going good!
Like being close to help
Love Ben & he loves me

NOW

Pregnant – baby due in 3 months
Living with friend
Paying 900/month
Not safe to stay there as there are drugs
Boyfriend Ben wants to be with us

WHAT DO I BRING?

Want a better life for me and my baby
Really don't want to use again
Want to be strong

ACTION PLAN

Housing

- Friend is thinking of moving out, I could take over rent but it is 1300.00/month
- Ben and I need to work out our money to see what we can afford together – make appointment with Salvation Army for help with budgeting – will call on Monday
- Contact the transitional housing place to see if any units are available – go over there on Monday
- Look into a rent to own – check tonight's paper
- Check out Habitat for Humanity
- Find a place close to my work because I don't drive

Work & School

- I am working at Stonebridge on weekends and before I go to school in the mornings. Working at Petland which I love
- Ben works at Stonebridge for banquets (set up and take down)

Income

- Meeting with Volunteer Service Bureau to get our taxes done. Then meet with income supports Tuesday to see how they can help.
- We owe a lot of money. Need to make offer of payments to our parents

Planning

Meet with Kathleen next Thursday at 3pmwith Ben

HOW CAN I KEEP GOING & STAY IN CONTROL?

Ben and I not to lose hope.
To always think of our future and our baby

SUPPORT

- Pregnant and Parenting Teens Program
- My mom
- Ben's auntie

BOTTOM LINE SUPPORT

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