

## INTERVIEW OF APPLICANTS WHO ARE ALREADY INFORMALLY HOSTING

**Date:**

**Interviewer(s):**

**Interviewee(s):**

- 1) Tell us a little bit about how you came to host the young person who is now living with you.
  
- 2) 2) How did you come to the decision to apply to become hosts through ConneQT?
  
- 3) How was the youth part of that decision?
  
- 4) What has been challenging for you so far, as individuals and as a couple (if applicable)?
  
- 5) For couples: How do you fight?
  
- 6) Has there been a time yet when you've disagreed with each other regarding the young person? If so, how did you work through it?
  
- 7) What does your support system look like?

8) How has this experience of hosting impacted your life, both positively and not?

9) Do you plan on hosting again as part of ConneQT?

10) Why do you think young people experience homelessness?

11) For white folks: What kind of work/self-reflection have you done around what it means to be white in this country?

12) Do you think your home would be a good place for a youth who identifies as genderqueer and/or transgender?

13) What is ONE thing you'd want a youth to say about you after having lived with you?