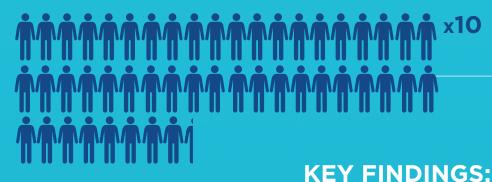
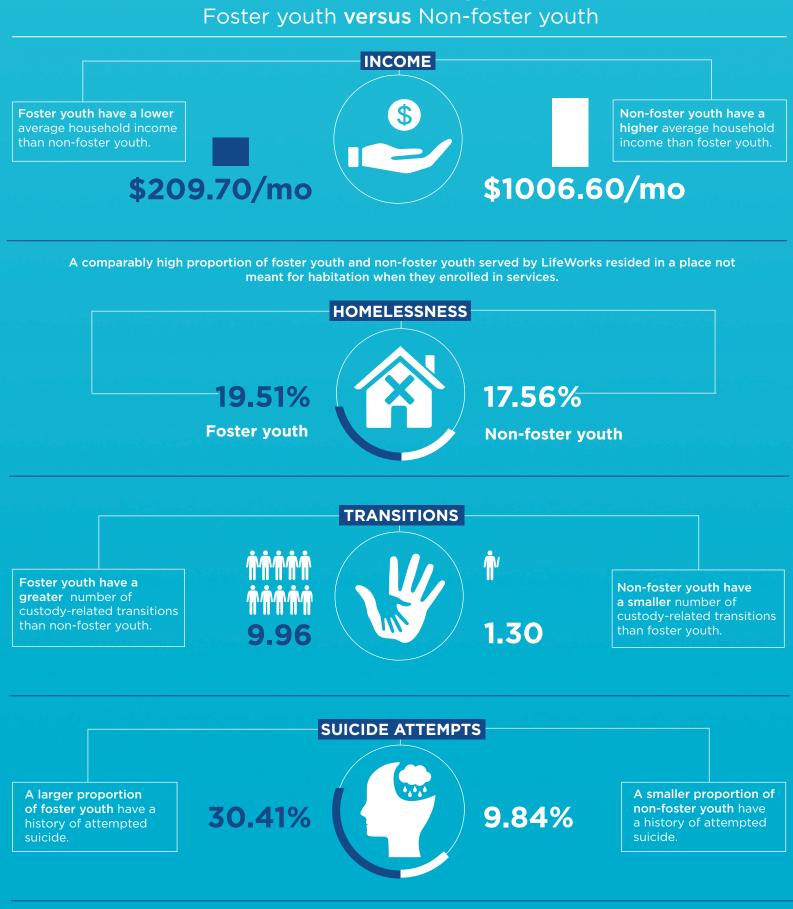
## VULNERABILITIES OPPORTUNITIES

Profiles of Foster and Non-Foster Youth Served by LifeWorks

Despite growing interest in the experiences of foster youth, relatively little is known about how foster youth differ from other at-risk youth who have no history of foster care involvement. The current report provides an in-depth look at how transition-age foster youth compare to other at-risk youth of a similar age across a wide variety of characteristics.



**488 youth between the ages of 16-24** provided information about their history of foster care involvement.



Elizabeth A. Schoenfeld, Ph.D., Director of Research & Evaluation, LifeWorks Susan McDowell, Executive Director, LifeWorks