Youth can be housed with unrelated adult chaperones aged 21 and over (age as of date of event) at overnight 4-H events as long as the youth-adult ratio is at least two youth to one adult and the adults have been through the Michigan State University Extension Volunteer Selection Process. Overnight 4-H events include workshops, events, fairs, exchanges, overnight trips, lock-ins and camps.

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Michigan 4-H Youth Development is committed to ensuring that the young people in our programs are treated with respect and dignity, and are provided with safe, caring environments in which to learn and have fun. The Michigan 4-H Youth-Adult Overnight Housing Policy is designed to ensure the safety and well-being of both youth and adults involved with our programs.

For more information about the policy, contact your county MSU Extension office, listed in the phone book under “government” or visit the Michigan 4-H Web site at: web1.msue.msu.edu/4h/downloads/housingpolicy/

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