What is The Giving Ship at Globe Star?

The Giving Ship home is designed to accommodate temporary, short-term care on weekends, for the purpose of helping with the ongoing demands of caring for a family member with special needs by offering respite relief to parent(s) or a primary caregiver.

With respite, families can continue to provide at home care for a loved one and stay together.

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Respite care that enhances one’s quality of life through companionship and community
What services are provided?
Out of home care services are provided at The Giving Ship, located in Indianapolis, Indiana.

When are services provided?
Globe Star takes pride in being a family-centered program and local resource for families.
Care is scheduled one month in advance.
Out of home stays are weekend services from Friday afternoon until Sunday afternoon.

How do I arrange for services?
Respite services can be arranged and scheduled by calling the Globe Star office and asking to speak with The Giving Ship Coordinator.
317-332-5870 ext:1#

Who is eligible for respite services?
Globe Star is a “lifespan” respite program which cares for persons from three years old through adult life.
Eligibility is decided upon completion of a Personal Quality of Life Respite Care Packet and an in-take interview.
Anyone who is within comfortable driving distance of Marion County and all surrounding counties of Indianapolis, and has a child or an adult with a physical and/or developmental disability or a chronic health condition, may be considered.

Who provides the services?
Globe Star’s caregivers with the “gift of caring.”
Globe Star respite caregivers are trained professionals.
Training covers, but is not limited to:
- CPR/First Aid
- Universal Precautions
- Gentle Teaching
- On-going staff training

How do I pay for services?
Globe Star services may be funded in a variety of ways.
Globe Star is a state approved respite provider of:
- Medicaid Waivers:
  - Aged & Disabled
  - Community Integration and Habilitation
  - Family Support
  - Traumatic Brain Injury
- Private Payment
- Insurance (with approval)