

Youth Council Application Process

What is the Youth Council?

The Youth Council has 12 members, 2 Youth Mentors, and 1 Adult Ally. We each draw on our lived experience of mental health concerns/addictions to advise the Youth Wellness Centre on programs, processes, events, and other activities. Our goal is to have youth voices influence the directions of the Centre!

What will I do on the Youth Council?

- During COVID-19, meet on Zoom for 2 hours each month as a Council
- Meet in smaller subcommittees to work on specific projects
- Youth Council members also attend various staff meetings and community organizations as council reps

Why should I consider joining the Youth Council?

- Meet others with mental health/addictions concerns
- Learn about and influence 'behind the scenes' of the YWC/AY
- Gain advocacy and leadership skills
- The Youth Council is a volunteer position and something you can write on your resume
- You will receive an honorarium of \$30 for your attendance at 2-hour monthly meetings

When is the application due?

The application deadline is Sunday, November 1st. Please email it to D: diana.filc@gmail.com. We will get back to you within 1-2 weeks to invite you to have a conversation with a couple of members of the Youth Council.

If you have any questions, please email them to D: diana.filc@gmail.com



