

YOUTH ADVISORY SUBCOMMITTEE

Interested in sexual violence prevention work?
Want to be a catalyst for social change?
Want to make Oklahoma safer?
Join the Oklahoma Prevention Leadership Committee (OPLC) and become a YAS member!

WHO ARE WE?

Youth Advisory Subcommittee Members are youth ages 18-25 who want to end sexual and gender-based violence. Our **mission** is to promote sexual violence prevention through education and resource navigation for Oklahoma youth, so that they feel empowered to make healthy decisions about their actions, bodies, and relationships. Our **vision** is to encourage Oklahoma youth to be the generation that talks.

We have three core **values**:

Respect
Social justice
Intersectionality



OUR GOALS

- Partnering with others that are hosting community trainings, workshops, and programs that align with our mission
- Utilizing various media platforms to promote prevention initiatives in Oklahoma
- Collaborating and networking with peers and professionals for continuing education



APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN FROM
1/1/2020 TO 3/22/2020

Find the app on Oklahoma State Department of Health's website: www.ok.gov/health
Questions? Contact Michelle Stansel at michellexs@health.ok.gov



BENEFITS OF APPLYING

- Gain awareness of the tools and knowledge to create equitable change in their communities
- Actively engage with diverse populations
- Strengthen advocacy, activism, and community leadership skills
- Professional development and networking opportunities with those in the fields of prevention and intervention involving: suicide, substance abuse, teen pregnancy, and gender-based violence



We welcome youth from all backgrounds and experiences to apply. The participation of driven and caring members elevates the voices of the YAS to make impactful, effective and sustainable change in Oklahoma. Members will be the generation that talks about bodily autonomy, consent, healthy relationships and how to prevent sexual violence. They will advocate for and create a space for the cultivation of a better future, one that does not condone, justify or tolerate violence.



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