

# ★ YOUTH PEER SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL ★



## WHAT IS THE YOUTH PEER SERVICES ADVISORY COUNCIL ?

The YPSAC is made up of youth, young adults, Youth Peer Advocates, and adult allies across the state who have personal experience as a young person with a disability, emotional and/or behavioral health challenge, or experience in New York State child service system.

Our Mission: To utilize our personal lived experience and training to promote voice and choice for young people to be actively engaged in their own services and the service delivery system. We do this by ensuring the integrity of training and credentialing for Youth Peer Advocate (YPA) services.

## WE ARE LOOKING FOR PEOPLE WHO:

- Are dedicated to becoming a leader within their community
- Are able to attend monthly virtual meetings
- Passionate about the role of YPAs in NYS
- Have/had a YPA Credential or be willing and able to receive it
- Have lived experience within a child serving system

## HOW DO YOU APPLY TO JOIN THE COUNCIL?

To complete the application, visit:  
<https://tinyurl.com/FTNYSypsac>

Or for more information,  
email Yasmeen at [YBaxter@FTNYS.org](mailto:YBaxter@FTNYS.org)



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