



The Center
for Disability
Empowerment



Columbus Youth Leadership Forum 2023 Peer Mentor Application

Responsibilities of primary staff volunteers: All volunteers must be familiar with the YLF curriculum and support its program objectives. Preference will be given to YLF alumni and other adults with disabilities. Background checks of adult volunteers are required. All volunteers must remain onsite for the duration of the program.

Application deadline is May 5th, 2023

GROUP LEADER: Adults who facilitate small group sessions. As a team, they will be assigned to a small group to assist students with completion of leadership exercises, facilitate small group discussions and assist students in developing their Personal Leadership Plan. Responsibilities also include providing supervision, support and guidance to student delegates.

PEER MENTOR: Young people who have attended one year of YLF as a delegate and who would like to return. They will present to the group their advocacy and leadership experiences since they attended YLF.

Name: _____ Position _____
First Last (Group leader or peer mentor)

Mailing Address: _____
Street number & name City State Zip Code

Email _____

Telephone _____ Year graduated or will
(Include the area code) graduate high school _____

Birthdate _____ YLF Alumni Yes No Year _____

Do you receive services from Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities? (BVR/BSVI)

YES NO Name of Counselor: _____

Qualifications for Position Desired:

1. Education (last grade completed or degree.) _____
2. Profession and current employment. _____
3. Other special skills. _____

Briefly state why you would like to serve as an YLF volunteer staff.

List any needs / accommodations you would require onsite.

Please specify your disability _____

Please provide a personal reference: _____
Name Telephone

Please attach a resume and one professional letter of reference (first year staff applicants only).

I understand the requirements of the volunteer position for which I am applying. I also accept the responsibilities of the position and agree to respect the YLF rules.

Signature _____ Date _____