

Youth Weekend Retreat 2017

Application Cover Letter

The Youth Weekend Retreat is designed to support independent experiences for youth ages 16-18 (up to 21 if still in high school) and who have an acquired brain injury and/or a physical disability.

The Youth Weekend Retreat will run Friday January 20th at 5:00pm to Sunday January 22nd at 2:00pm, 2017 at YMCA Geneva Park. The Youth Weekend Retreat is a partnership with March of Dimes Canada and Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital.

What to expect:

- All meals and snacks will be provided (this includes dinner on Friday).
- Shared accommodation for 2 nights.
- Attendant care will be provided if needs are identified during the application process.
- Youth to take part in all workshops, recreation activities and social opportunities.

Please note: Space is limited. Submitting this application package does not guarantee acceptance. Not all applicants will be offered a spot.

If a *conditional acceptance** is offered, a separate form will be sent to you and it **must** be completed by your doctor (*based on no change to your medical status).

Sessions:

Please select the 3 topics you are most interested in:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> health and wellness | <input type="checkbox"/> recreation opportunities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> friendships and relationships | <input type="checkbox"/> planning beyond school |
| <input type="checkbox"/> communication and socializing | <input type="checkbox"/> increasing independence |

What other topics are you interested in?

Fees:

- The program fee is \$365.00, payable in full (by cheque only) at the time of application.
- Applications received without payment will not be processed.
- **Please make cheques payable to March of Dimes ABI Services**
- Cheques can be postdated to December 5, 2016.
- **Please write "Youth Weekend Retreat" in the memo line.**
- **Fees are non-refundable.** Cancellation requests will be considered on an individual basis. Refunds are granted at the discretion of March of Dimes Canada and Holland Bloorview Kids Rehabilitation Hospital.

Please return all completed forms with payment by mail, fax or drop at main reception to:

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