

Youth Weekend Retreat 2019

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 25th at 5:00pm to Sunday January 27th at 2:00pm, 2019 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 Canada.**
 - **Cheques can be postdated to December 17th, 2018.**
 - **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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