

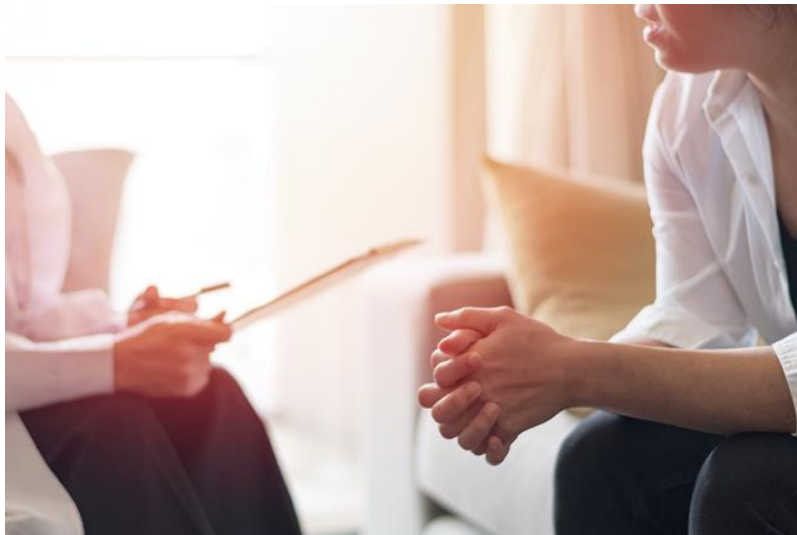
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Reminder to Register:

Hiring Youth Peer Advocates:

**Panel Discussion with
Supervisors of Youth Peer
Advocates**



Thursday, July 30th

1-2 PM

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Presented by:

**Azaria Georger, YOUTH POWER! of Families
Together in NYS**

Panelists:

Bianca Logan, Western New York Independent Living, Inc.

Cynthia Novakovic, Northern Rivers Family of Services

Jazleen Garbutt, Families On The Move of New York City, Inc

To effectively engage, support and empower young people, agencies will need to find the right young adults to provide Youth Peer Support and Training Services.

In this webinar, you will hear from a panel of Youth Peer Advocate Supervisors who will share their hiring tips and strategies.

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About the Presenters:

Azaria Georger is the Youth Peer Services Training and Credentialing Coordinator for YOUTH POWER! of Families Together in NYS. In her role, she is responsible for overseeing all components of the Training and Credentialing of YPAs across NYS. In addition to this, Azaria has experience working as a Youth Peer Advocate and actively works to support agencies integrating Youth Peer Support Services across NYS.

Bianca Logan is the Youth Peer Advocacy Coordinator with Western New York Independent Living Inc. She has been working for 9 years in multiple capacities surrounding the YPA role from pilot program development within a System of Care community to Supervising YPAs. She is also a contributor on the development of the NYS Youth Peer Advocate Credential, Curriculum and Training.

Cynthia Novakovic currently serves as a Program Manager with Parsons Child & Family Center and Northern Rivers supporting Youth and Family programs including, Youth and Family Support through CFTSS and HCBS, Families United Network and Schenectady Family Support Services. With 10 + years of experience serving children and families at Parsons RTF and through the OMH Waiver Program, she supervises, supports, and trains both Youth and Family Support providers.

Jazleen Garbutt is a Youth Peer Advocate Coordinator for Families On The Move Of NYC Inc. She also helped to start and is now a member of the Steering Committee for the New York City Youth Peer Advocate Coalition. She started as a YPA in 2016 and has 10 years of experience in the Mental Health system and 18 years of personal lived experience.

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