

# NH Alliance of Y Y&G Advisor Form

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Title                      First                      Last                      Suffix

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Male      Female \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Please Circle answers below:

This is my **1st 2nd 3rd 4th** \_\_\_\_\_ year attending the Program.

I am a: **YMCA Staff or School Teacher or Volunteer.**

Has your YMCA or school preformed a background check on you? **Yes date**                      **No**  
in the past 12 months?      **Yes**      **No**

**If Yes, skip to Signature**

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation or misdemeanor? \_\_\_\_\_

In connection with my application to serve as a volunteer with the NH State Youth and Government program, I understand that the YMCA may run a Criminal Background check requesting information regarding criminal history and the sexual offender registry.

I hereby authorize, without reservation, any Law Enforcement Agency, Institution, Information Service Bureau, School, Employer, Reference or Insurance Company to furnish the information described in this form.

Initials: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## **Emergency Contact**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title                      First                      Last                      Suffix                      Male      Female

Cell #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

### ADVISOR CODE OF ETHICS / EXPECTATIONS

1. Advisors must appear clean, neat, and appropriately attired with business attire for select Meetings.
2. Smoking or use of tobacco products in the presence of teens or parents during program activities is prohibited.
3. Using, possessing, or being under the influence of alcohol or illegal drugs during program activities is prohibited.
4. Advisors shall not abuse teens in any way including:
  - a. physical abuse - strike, spank, shake, slap;
  - b. verbal abuse - humiliate, degrade, threaten; and
  - c. sexual abuse - inappropriate touching or sexual innuendos
5. Advisors treat equally teens of all races, religions, cultures, sexual orientation and economic levels, with respect and consideration.
6. Advisors use positive techniques or guidance, including redirection, anticipation of and elimination of potential problems, positive reinforcement, and encouragement rather than competition, comparison, or criticism.
7. Advisors will abstain from humiliating or frightening techniques.
8. Advisors will not use profanity in the presence of teens or parents.
9. Advisors will refrain from intimate displays of affection toward others in the presence of teens, parents, and staff.
10. Advisors will portray a positive role model for teens by maintaining an attitude of respect, patience, courtesy, tact, and maturity.
11. Advisors will not fraternize with teens outside the program.
12. Advisors can talk with teens one-on-one in areas away from distraction, yet they must always remain in public view.
13. Advisors are responsible for the total supervision of their delegation both locally and at the State Conference; they are expected to personally adhere to the "Code of Conduct" and reinforce its value and meaning with their participants, as well as attend the Advisor's training meeting..

I further understand that if I fail to abide by the rules and regulations of the YMCA, I am subject to removal from the premises of the YMCA and/or removal from participation in YMCA programs and activities. I hereby give my permission to the YMCA to use indefinitely, without limitation or obligation, photographs, film footage, or tape recordings which may include my image or voice for the purpose of promoting or interpreting YMCA programs and activities.

**I HAVE READ AND VOLUNTARILY SIGN THIS AGREEMENT AND AGREE INDIVIDUALLY TO BE BOUND BY ITS TERMS.**

Adult Participant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_