

2019 NJJA Youth Day



Speak Up! Be Heard! Join the Action!

2019 NJJA Conference | MAY 1-3, 2019 | Younes Conference Center - Kearney, NE

How can you join?

Reserve spots for up to 3 youth and one staff from your agency by contacting Cassy Blakely at cassy.blakely@gmail.com by April 21st.

Expectations:

Participants are asked to actively participate in conference sessions and coordinate all travel and supervision plans with the staff person supporting them. Supporting organizations are expected to maintain a 3:1 youth to staff ratio.

What's the cost?

FREE registration with lunch and light refreshments provided. Youth and adults attending beyond the Youth Day will be required to obtain a regular registration at conference rates.

What is youth day?

Bringing together juvenile justice professionals, judges, youth advocates, and current or former system-involved youth to learn together. Attendees will participate in workshops, visit with community resources and hear from keynote speaker Gregory Boyle and break-out sessions on the system you've lived within.

WHEN: Thursday, May 2.

WHERE: 2018 NJJA conference, Younes Conference Center, Kearney, NE.

WHO: Up to 30 youth participants with current and former involvement in the juvenile justice system and their support people.

Workshops

- Keynote Session - Rebecca Bender
- Youth Initiated Mentoring
- Girl Talk
- Let's Play! Juvenile Justice Jeopardy™
- Youth and Sexual Trafficking: Exploring the Vulnerabilities and Responding to Need
- Sealing of Juvenile Records: Intent vs. Practice
- Restorative Practices: Victim Youth Conferencing
- Queer Here, There and Everywhere : Supporting LGBTQ+ Youth Who Are System Involved
- Advocacy in School Discipline
- Youth Call to Action
- Youth Reception