Steps to Become a Member of the ACMH Statewide Youth Advisory Committee

1. Interested youth will identify an adult sponsor to support them in their participation on the advisory committee. The ACMH Youth Coordinator can be contacted for help in identifying an adult sponsor if needed.

2. Youth will obtain a letter of reference from their sponsor recommending them to serve on the committee.

3. Youth will complete the ACMH youth advisory committee application form. Completed applications, along with their letter of reference can then be submitted electronically to the ACMH Youth Coordinator.

4. The ACMH Youth Coordinator will schedule a follow up call with the youth and their identified adult sponsor. This meeting will serve as an opportunity for the youth to gain a clear understanding of what the ACMH youth advisory committee is and what they will be asked to do as a member. Adult sponsors will also be able to learn about their role in supporting the youth member’s participation on the committee.

5. The ACMH Youth Coordinator will schedule a phone interview with the youth.

6. The ACMH Youth Coordinator will contact the youth to inform them of whether or not they have been selected to serve on the advisory committee, and will discuss next steps for participation.

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