

## OVERCOMING HURDLES IN OHIO (O.H.I.O.) YOUTH ADVISORY BOARD

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WE ARE LOOKING FOR...

### YOUTH, AGED 14-23

who have experienced foster care  
who want to have their voices heard  
who want to participate in youth driven activities

### ADULTS

who value youth input  
who want to support O.H.I.O.'s mission  
who can provide guidance and still allow youth to lead the way

If you are interested please contact us!  
O.H.I.O Youth Member



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