

## **Youth Development Digest**

The Youth Development Digest (YDD) was designed with young readers in mind. From promoting upcoming events to showcasing powerful youth in our country, YDD is a resource that highlights current topics, issues, and opportunities for young people today.

Adult allies: Share with your youth; Youth leaders: Share with your peers

# **March Spotlight**



### 'Be the Change' Preliminary Program

Follow the link to see the 'Be the Change' preliminary program and learn more about the workshops at this amazing event! Each year, a group of rock star young people ages 14-18 connect with like-minded peers from around the country who are passionate leaders of change in their schools and communities.

The event will take place in Washington, D.C. June 30 - July 2.

We can't wait to meet you all in person!

Read More

## Youth Advisory Council Content Corner



#### Youth Advisory Council Update

This month, the School-Based Health Alliance's Youth Advisory Council (YAC) is learning about health policy analysis basics. Each YAC member chose a specific health policy of interest from their state and drafted a one-to-two-page policy brief. This month's topic continues last month's focus on advocacy and aims to equip YAC members with the tools necessary to propose their perspectives on equitable solutions for America's healthcare systems.

## **Events & Opportunities**

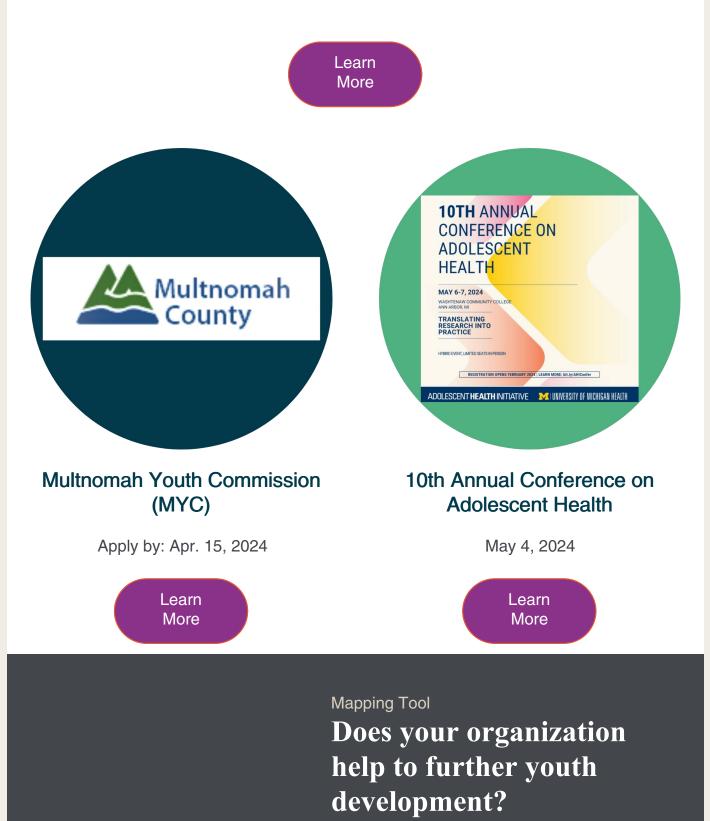


### California School-Based Health Alliance Youth Board (CA)

Apply by: Apr. 18, 2024

Are you interested in elevating youth voices, advancing school health across California, and gaining valuable skills in leadership and advocacy? Apply to join the California School-Based Health Alliance's (CSHA)Youth Board for the 2024-2025 school year!

Their mission is to amplify youth engagement and access to school-based health centers (SBHCs) through leadership, advocacy, and networking opportunities throughout California.





Would you like to submit your organization to the mapping tool?

Check out the updated mapping tool on the Youth Health Hub! You can view organizations nationwide and see how they help youth development and the School-Based Health Alliance.

Submit Organization

# **Mapping Tool Spotlight**

If you want to learn about more organizations engaging in youth development work, check out the <u>Mapping Tool</u> on the Youth Health Hub. Add your organization for the chance to be next month's spotlight!



## let's talk mental health

### **Organization Information**

Bring Change to Mind has joined the Youth Health Hub Mapping Tool. Here is some information about this organization.

#### Welcome, Bring Change to Mind!

Location: San Francisco, CA

#### Youth Development Opportunities Offered:

- Youth Advisory Council
- Youth representation on school health committee and/or health center advisory board

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- Peer education, mentoring, counseling, or support groups
- · Health career pathway/student shadowing/ health center aide
- Advocacy activities (local, state, or national)

## Media Content **Do you have something you** want to share?

Do you or someone you know want to be highlighted on our website? Do you have any events coming up at your school or school-based health centers? Are there any webinars or conferences concerning youth development? You are welcome to submit an article or blog post you believe should be in the spotlight of future digests or that concerns health and/or youth development topics, as well as events or nominations through the Youth Health Hub!

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### **Featured Post**

### **Quote of the Month**

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### "Anyone who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new."

Albert Einstein

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