



Code of Conduct

Your Story Matters is a youth-serving, community-based nonprofit organization dedicated to lowering the rates of suicide in teens by combating the issues that lead them there. We focus on raising awareness and providing education on suicide prevention, anti-bullying, mental health, and LGBTQ+ issues. Participation in the organization's programs is subject to the observance of the organization's rules and procedures. The activities outlined below are strictly prohibited. Any participant, volunteer, or staff member who violates this Code is subject to discipline, up to and including removal from the program, website, and or subscription.

- Abusive language towards a staff member, volunteer or another participant.
- Possession or use of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs on Your Story Matters' property or reporting to the program while under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- Bringing onto Your Story Matters' property dangerous or unauthorized materials such as explosives, firearms, weapons or other similar items.
- Discourtesy or rudeness to a fellow participant, staff member or volunteer.
- Verbal, physical or visual harassment of another participant, staff member or volunteer.
- Actual or threatened violence toward any individual or group.
- Conduct endangering the life, safety, health or well-being of others.
- Failure to follow any agency policy or procedure.
- Bullying or taking unfair advantage of any participant.
- Failing to cooperate with an adult supervisor/leader/mentor.

By agreeing you agree that you have read and understand the Your Story Matters' Code of Conduct. You agree to abide by the rules described above and understand that you may be removed as a participant if you violate any of these rules

