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**YOUTH MENTORING  
NETWORK COORDINATOR**  
Serving Hancock, Brooke, Ohio, Marshall &  
Wetzel Counties in West Virginia &  
Belmont County in Ohio

## YMN Mission

The Youth Mentoring Network provides children facing adversity, a strong and enduring, professionally supported one-on-one relationship that enhances their lives. The program empowers youth to make positive life choices.

## Volunteer Requirements

- Over 18 years of age
- Emotionally mature & of good character
- Willing to spend time with a child between the ages of 6 to 17
- Have adequate transportation & car insurance

## Mentor Role

- Take the lead in supporting a young person through an ongoing one-on-one relationship
- Serve as a positive role model and friend
- Plan and participate in activities with your mentee
- Strive for mutual respect
- Build self-esteem & motivation
- Help set goals & work toward accomplishing them together

## Time Commitment

- Make a one-year commitments
- Spend a minimum of 4 hours per month, one-on-one with a mentee
- Communicate with the mentee weekly
- Attend an initial 2 hour orientation session
- Attend optional mentor/mentee group events, mentor support groups, & program recognition events

## Mentor Benefits

- Personal fulfillment through contributions towards community & individuals
- Satisfaction in helping someone mature & achieve goals
- Mentor training sessions & group activities
- Participation in a mentor support group
- Personal ongoing support & supervision to help the match succeed
- Mentor/mentee group activities, complimentary tickets to community events, & participation recognition

For more information or to complete a Volunteer Referral please visit,  
<https://youthmentoring.youthservicessystem.org/>