

## **Youth Adult Partnership call notes: January 18, 2013**

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**\*\*Next call Monday Jan. 28 at 2:30 EST (11:30 BC, 1:30 SK, 2:30 ON, 3:30 NB/NS)\*\***

**Action:** send out the updated coding manual, Kitchener questions, model, report template

### **Team updates:**

1) Provincial Youth Council, Boys and Girls Club ON:

- ethics going in today! Feb 15-17 focus groups with youth and adults, presurvey before
- Sharif presented results of prov youth conference evaluation at the Ontario meeting, really positive response – Exec Directors better understand why it's important, more are planning to send youth to PYC conference, youth from clubs coming to the upcoming SC conference
- ripple effects, connecting to other things
- our national YAP collaboration continues, build towards other projects beyond March

2) National Youth Council, Boys and Girls Club ON:

- ethics submitted! Youth will be running focus groups at their clubs with youth and adults. Qualitative questionnaire with the NYC members and staff/board.

3) YMCA GTA:

- Ethics submitted! Lots of info and they've redesigned how they want to work in the group: youth engagement project as a way to inform the Board and give them advice
- ethics application includes going back to the notes and facebook as part of the records of the committee, will be getting consent from everyone to do that - to describe the journey of the group and relationships from the beginning of the committee to now
- included overall/shared questions

3) Kitchener

- couple days of analysis left

4) NB Youth Centre and John Howard:

- Ethics submitted! Had a focus group with adult staff in the fall
- focus groups in Feb with youth and staff in jail, and program at John Howard
- not recording, 3 note-takers, classic forum discussion with 4 correctional officers, youth team
- is a followup in the NB Youth Centre and an ongoing program in John Howard
- important context to look at (NB Youth Centre)

### **Face-to-face (mid/end of March)**

- Cross-analysis together
- Produce something on our experiences
- Identify places where we can share this, other organizations, through website

- Share individual stories/projects
- Global project write-up: who and how? Could do together when we meet
- Make a template for each project to fit their report to make it easier to do a cross-site report (Mark and Rebecca will draft a template to share on next call)
- different aspects we will cover: program, relationship, context
- Could have the meeting prior to the national Youth Conference (Ottawa), already have a venue, could develop a workshop, present to other policy-makers, etc. or could have a smaller gathering
- could use the next calls to have conversations re: coding