



YOUTH RESEARCH ACADEMY

JOB APPLICATION: Research Assistant (Youth Research Academy)

This position is available to youth ages 16–24 with government care experience. Hours of work are Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:00–4:30PM with occasional weekend work. Positions are available from June 25th, 2019 until March 31st, 2020.

You can submit your application by email, mail, or in person at our office.

Email: yra@mcs.bc.ca

Mail or in-person: McCreary Centre Society, 3552 East Hastings Street, Vancouver, BC V5K 2A7

Questions? Call Katie at 604-291-1996 ext. 236 or email yra@mcs.bc.ca.

JOB SUMMARY

With support from McCreary staff you will work on youth health research projects focused on youth in and from government care. Upcoming YRA projects include, but are not limited to, a project to reduce harms from opioid use, workshop development to build healthy relationship skills for LGBTQ2+ youth, and an evaluation of a youth employment program.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Interest in community research
- Interest in youth health issues
- Able to work independently and as part of a team
- No research experience required

Contact information:

First name:

Last name:

Please provide the best way to contact you (e.g., a phone number or email address):

Why are you interested in this position?



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How would a job with the Youth Research Academy help you to achieve your future goals?

Have you ever spent time in government care (e.g., foster home, group home, Kith and Kin Agreement, Youth Custody Centre) or on a Youth Agreement?

No Yes

Are you between the ages of 16 and 24?

No Yes

Is there anything else you want to tell us?

The Youth Research Academy aims to represent the diversity of youth in government care in BC. We particularly welcome Aboriginal youth, youth with a disability, visible minority youth, and LGBTQ2S youth to apply.

**Thank you very much for your application.
Applicants will be contacted to arrange an interview.**