

Draft YAC Work Plan 2025-2026

Subcategories/Action	Alignment with Terms of Reference	Person/ Group Responsible	Resources required other services providers, government, funds, etc.	Time Frame	Desired Outcome	Performance indicators: How will you measure your accomplishments
<p>Priority 1: Health and Wellness. with.an.emphasis.on.resources. for.youth</p> <p>The.following.topics.have.been. identified.as.being.especially. important;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Engaging.with.organizations.to. address.food.insecurity.for. youth.in.HRM Connecting.youth.to.mental. health.supports Learning about Active opportunities for youth in HRM (focus on urban and rural areas) Housing Resources for youth living rough. 		All. Committee. Members	Expertise.of. Committee. Members?staff. members.of.HRM? and.Halifax. community. organizations.with. specialized. knowledge.in. support.for.youth. and.community.on. relevant.topics	2025-26	<p>Committee. members.will. become.more. knowledgeable. about.resources. available.for.youth. wellness</p> <p>Committee. Members.will. review.the.existing. policy.relevant.to. this.priority.and. provide.any. relevant. recommendations. to.Executive. Standing. Committee;</p>	<p>Committee.Members.will. review.at.least.(7).existing. policy.that.impacts. wellness.for.youth.in.HRM;</p> <p>Committee.Members.will. make.7_9.motions.for. action.to.the.Executive. Standing.Committee. pertaining.to.youth.health. and.wellness;</p> <p>Committee.Members.will. receive.presentations.from. community.organizations. with.information.on.health. and.wellness.resources.in. HRM;</p>
<p>Priority 2: Meaningful Employment and Volunteer Opportunities with.an.emphasis. on.lifelong.skills;</p>		All. Committee. Members	Expertise.of. Committee. Members?staff. members.of.HRM? and.Halifax.	2025-26	<p>Committee. members.will. become.more. knowledgeable. about.resources.</p>	<p>Committee.Members.will. review.at.least.(7).existing. policy.that.impacts. wellness.for.youth.in.HRM;</p>

<p>The following topics have been identified as being especially important;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training Opportunities • Resume-Interview skills • Access to job opportunities-postings • Support for youth entrepreneurship. • Grants for volunteer hours 			<p>Community organizations that support youth employment and volunteer opportunities;</p>		<p>available for youth employment;</p> <p>Committee will provide information and resources and guidance for opportunities? training? and skill building for employment;</p>	<p>Committee Members will receive presentations from community organizations with information on health and wellness resources in HRM;</p> <p>Committee Members will use their website and online platforms to connect resources to youth;</p>
<p>Priority 3: Engagement and Outreach with an emphasis on online and in person community building</p> <p>The following topics have been identified as being especially important;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop an engagement strategy (website updates? social media posts? etc) • Promotion of Youth Serving Organizations through website and social media • Engagements with youth in community 		All Committee Members	<p>Expertise of Committee Members? staff members of HRM? and Halifax Community organizations;</p>	2025-26	<p>Committee Members will be present for youth both online and offline;</p>	<p>Committee Members will receive presentations from community organizations with information on health and wellness resources in HRM;</p> <p>Committee Members will regularly update website with resources and opportunities for youth;</p> <p>Committee Members will host at least 7 event to connect youth with local governance;</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none">Promotion.of.youth. participation.in.governance						
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