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Who we are: Youth Power is a New York State network hosted by Families Together in NYS that is run for and by youth and young adults. Together, we ensure that young people get the support they need with the respect and dignity they deserve.

What we do: Youth Power works to ensure young people have meaningful involvement on all levels of the services they receive. We ensure the availability of Peer Support through persistent advocacy, technical assistance, and holding educational programming for community members. We also maintain a network of youth leaders and Certified Youth Peer Advocates within our region to support our workforce connections.

What services we provide: We support and amplify youth voice and involvement on local, regional, statewide, and national events. We host a variety of events dedicated to empowering young people and providing opportunities for young people to meet directly with state leaders. One of our events includes the annual youth conference titled, "University of Youth Power," which aims to connect statewide youth leaders aging between 18 and 30 years on a college campus for a mock college experience. We also provide FREE technical assistance and training opportunities for both youth (12-17), young adults (18+), and service providers.

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Is a referral needed? No referrals, but we do have a membership form to partner with our network system.

Adirondack North Country Gender Alliance

Who we are:

Adirondack North Country Gender Alliance is an all-volunteer 501c3 non-profit serving the LGBTQI+ community, families and allies in Clinton, Essex & Franklin counties.

Adirondack North Country Gender Advocacy & Education is as the name suggests the Advocacy & Education arm of ANCGA.

What we do:

ANCGA puts on a number of events & programs throughout the year including: Partnering with Human Rights Campaign/Welcoming Schools for National Day of Reading Children's Affirming book, Transgender Day of Visibility, Tri-Lakes Pride (June in Saranac Lake), Adirondack North Country Pride (Sept./Oct in Plattsburgh) and Transgender Day of Remembrance in November. ANCGA also tables & provides support to our community partners at various events throughout the region.

ANCGAE - is a for-profit entity that provides professional development training programs and opportunities to regional & state wide organizations - educational, civic, religious, community

What services we provide:

Adult LGBTQI+ Peer Group sessions via Zoom every Wednesday evening beginning at 7 pm. Email us for login information.

LGBTQI+ Youth Group at Saranac Lake Youth Center, 2nd & 4th Saturday each month from 4 - 5:30 pm.

Targeted organizational Professional Educational Training programs focusing on LGBTQI+ community, families and allies.

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Is a referral needed?

No

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