# APRIL Youth Conference 2022

***Every Body, Every Mind* Scholarship Application**

**Application Deadline: August 5, 2022**

**Instructions:** Fill out the following information to help us learn more about you and why you are applying for a Youth Scholarship. Click your mouse in the gray boxes. You will not see a cursor, but when you begin typing words will appear. The boxes will get bigger and expand the more that you write – so feel free to write as much as you need to answer the question.

For assistance filling out this form or for any questions, contact Abby Ritter:

[aritter@april-rural.org](mailto:aritter@april-rural.org) or 774-243-2267

Name:

Address:

City:

State:

Zip:

Phone Number:

Email:

School/Work/Volunteer:

Grade/Title:

Birth Date:

Gender:

Do you have a disability?

Yes

No

If “yes”, please list your disability or disabilities:

Do you identify with any of these populations? (Choose all that apply):

Foster Care

Group Home

BIPOC

LGBTQ+

Are you involved in your Center for Independent Living (CIL)?

Yes

No

**Instructions:** The following questions ask about how you plan to fund your trip to attend the Conference. This is to help determine if you have local community partners who are assisting and what the financial assistance need is from APRIL.

Have you raised money to support your trip cost?

Yes

No

Have you asked any of these organizations for assistance? (Check all that apply)

Vocational Rehabilitation

Council on Developmental Disabilities

Mayors Committees for Person with Disabilities

Center for Independent Living

Statewide Independent Living Council

Other

If “other”, please list here:

How much financial assistance are you requesting? We encourage you to seek other funding in addition to an APRIL scholarship so we can help bring as many youth to the conference as possible.

Registration-$400 + $100 Youth Conference

Lodging-$159+tax per night

Meals

Travel

Personal Care Attendant Cost

Emergency Contact Information:

Emergency Contact Name:

Relationship to you:

Phone Number:

**Additional Information**

**Instructions:** Please answer the following questions. Click your mouse in the gray boxes. You will not see a cursor, but when you begin typing words will appear. The boxes will get bigger and expand the more that you write – so feel free to write as much as you need to answer the question.

Why do you want to come to the APRIL Youth Conference?

Write your answer here:

What would you like to learn or gain from attending the Youth Conference?

Write your answer here:

When you think about your future, what do you imagine for yourself? (for example: what kind of job or volunteering will you be doing, where will you be living, what other goals will you have reached?)

Write your answer here:

Tell us how you are involved in your community. Do you volunteer? Where? For how long?

Write your answer here:

**Please return this completed form to Abby Ritter at** [aritter@april-rural.org](mailto:aritter@april-rural.org)

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**You can also return via mail to:**

**APRIL, Attn Abby Ritter, 11324 Arcade Drive, Little Rock, AR 27712**

**If sending by mail, applications must be received by August 5th 2022**