



Young Volunteers Committee (YVC) – Committee Description

Purpose:

1. To identify and support strategies and solutions that move us toward United Way's FACE 2024, 10 year goals for our community.
 - a. Education- Cut the high school dropout rate in half
 - b. Income - Cut the percentage of financially unstable OC families by 25%
 - c. Health- Increase the number of healthy youth in OC by 1/3
 - d. Housing – Cut the percent of homeless and housing-insecure children in 1/2
2. To distribute and ensure the effective use of YVC efforts through volunteer activities to meet identified needs of youth in the Orange County community.
3. To develop and enhance each Committee member's leadership skills and community volunteerism efforts

Volunteer Title: Young Volunteers Committee Member

Duties and Responsibilities:

1. Represent the Orange County youth community in identifying youths' needs and priorities within the 4 pillars of the communal goals noted above.
2. Develop and enhance group work, planning, note-taking, and decision-making skills. These roles will rotate throughout the year.
3. Identify need(s), work with other members of the Committee to plan community service activities that align with the goals above, with a focus on Global Youth Service Day in April.
4. Encourage the youth in Orange County to participate in community service activities
5. Participate in said identified community service project(s).
6. Identify and evaluate the Committee's achievements in addressing the areas of growth for the Orange County youth community.
7. Other duties as determined by the committee.

Composition: The YVC is made up of diverse high school and college students throughout Orange County. Membership ranges from ages 15-22 and entails students from a variety of backgrounds and experiences.

Membership Relations: Works closely with other YVC members and the Orange County United Way Staff Team.

Time Commitment: The YVC meets once a month September through May, and if the group deems necessary, beginning October through April the group has the option to meet every other week. Meetings will take place on the first Monday of every month between 4:00 pm and 5:00 pm. Participation in volunteering events and fundraiser events are expected outside of regular meeting times. High school and college seniors are asked to complete one year of service. Freshmen, sophomores, and juniors are asked to commit to two years of service. Consistent attendance is required. Throughout the year, 80% attendance is required to remain an active member.

Meeting Location: Unless otherwise noted, monthly meetings will be held at Orange County United Way located at 18012 Mitchell South, Irvine 92614.



Young Volunteers Committee (YVC) - Interest Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

School: _____

Please circle one:

High School:	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior
College:	Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	Senior

How did you hear about YVC? _____

Do you need help arranging transportation to meetings? Y N

Extracurricular activities (please include National Honors Society or any other service clubs or groups that you may be a part of):

What time conflicts do you currently have?

What are your interest/hobbies?

Why do you want to be a YV member?

What special talents or interests do you have that you think would benefit that YV? (for example, video production, social media expert, drawing or painting)



Youth Volunteer Committee - Consent Form

Please fill out, sign, and return this form to:

ATTN: Kautrina Morgan
18012 Mitchell South, Irvine, CA 92614
Email: kautrinam@unitedwayoc.org

Youth:

Student's Name: _____ **School:** _____

Birthday (Month/Day): _____ **Grade:** _____

Student's Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Student's Email: _____

Parent/Guardian #1:

Name: _____ **Relation to youth:** _____

Address: _____
(if different from above)

Home Phone: _____ **Work Phone:** _____

Cell Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

Parent/Guardian #2

Name: _____ **Relation to youth:** _____

Address: _____
(if different from above)

Home Phone: _____ **Work Phone:** _____

Cell Phone: _____ **Email:** _____

I authorize my youth to receive rides to/from YAC activities by: (check all that apply)

- Other YV members: (Please specify) _____
- Other YV parents: (Please specify) _____
- I will regularly be providing rides to and from YV activities for the following YV members:

*In signing this form, I acknowledge that I understand the purpose and mission of The United Way Young Volunteers and I hereby authorize my youth to participate in the YV, including: attending meetings and events such as performing community service off of United Way grounds and providing/receiving rides from the people specified above. **Date:** _____*

Print Name of Parent/Guardian: _____ **Signature of Parent/Guardian:** _____



Young Volunteers - Parent/Guardian Marketing and Social Media Authorization

ATTN: Kautrina Morgan
18012 Mitchell South, Irvine, CA 92614
Email: kautrinam@unitedwayoc.org

Youth Volunteer Name (first and last): _____ DOB: _____

Address: _____

I understand (Youth Volunteer's name) _____ will be participating in volunteer activities with the Young Volunteers of Orange County.

I give the United Way of Orange County permission to take and use photographs of this minor for Marketing and Social Media use. (Initial :____)

I understand that an adult older than eighteen years of age must escort all youths under the age of fifteen. All volunteers must arrange transportation to and from Young Volunteers of Orange County volunteer meetings, events and programs. (Initial :____)

I hereby waive any right or cause of action as a result of this youth's participation in the Youth Volunteer Program of Orange County, or the employees, directors, Vice Presidents or President & CEO collectively or individually. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, I agree that this waiver shall include any rights or causes of action resulting from personal injury to this youth or damage to his/her or our property sustained in connection with his/her activities for Young Volunteers of Orange County. (Initial :____)

In case of emergency, I can be reached at:

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Parent/ Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

I will notify United Way of Orange County if changes to this form need to be made to keep information current.

Email | fax this form on or before July 29, 2016; email to: kautrinam@unitedwayoc.org or fax to: 949-271-8011. For any questions call Kautrina Morgan at: 949-263-6111