

Walking the Walk: Applying Positive Youth Development Approaches to Adolescent Health

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Positive Approaches to Adolescent Health

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Positive Youth Development (PYD)

“An intentional, prosocial approach that engages youth within their communities, schools, organizations, peer groups, and families in a manner that is productive and constructive; recognizes, utilizes, and enhances young people’s strengths; and promotes positive outcomes for young people by providing opportunities, fostering positive relationships, and furnishing the support needed to build on their leadership strengths.”

– Interagency Working Group on Youth Programs

(<https://youth.gov/youth-topics/positive-youth-development>)



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Dr. Claire Brindis, Professor of Pediatrics and Co-director, Adolescent and Young Adult Health National Resource Center, University of California, San Francisco

Topic: Findings from the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine *Study on the Neurobiological and Socio-behavioral Science of Adolescent Development and Its Applications*



Susan Notkin, Senior Vice President of the Center for the Study of Social Policy

Topic: *Youth Thrive*, a framework rooted in protective factors being used across the country by youth-serving professionals to improve the lives of youth



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Nothing About Us Without Us: Authentic Youth Engagement in Public Health

July 16, 12 - 12:45 p.m. ET



Elizabeth Berard, Youth Branch Chief, Office of HIV/AIDS,
U.S. Agency for International Development
Topic: What is authentic youth engagement



Nikki Payne, Assistant Vice President
Dr. Nakisha Watts, Program Manager
Delta Health Alliance, Stoneville, Mississippi
Topic: Authentic youth engagement in practice



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