



Ohio Youth Advisory Board

Statewide Quarterly Meeting

Thursday, October 15, 2026



OHIO YAB Mission

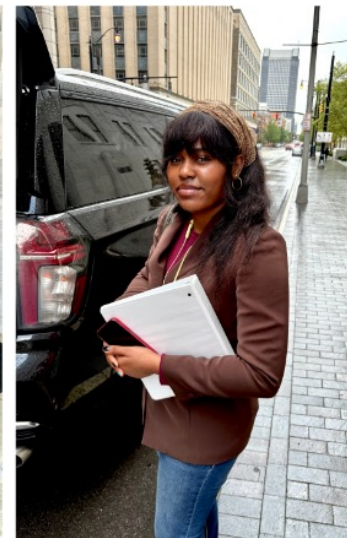
We exist to be the knowledgeable statewide voice that influences policies and practices that impact youth who have or will experience out of home care.



Brainstorming Topics

- 1. Mobile Response Stabilization Services:** Tia Cokes, MRSS Statewide Program Director
- 2. Legislative Study Committee re: Residential Facilities:** Addison Torrence and Caidyn Bearfield
- 3. Federal Updates and Opportunities:** Reporting out and next steps from Three Days on the Hill 2026
- 4. State Legislative Insights and Opportunities:** Follow up from recent virtual and in-person meetings with Ohio legislators, including during the DCY Kids Summit

Ohio Supreme Court Videotaping



2026 DCY Kids Summit



Conversations with state legislators



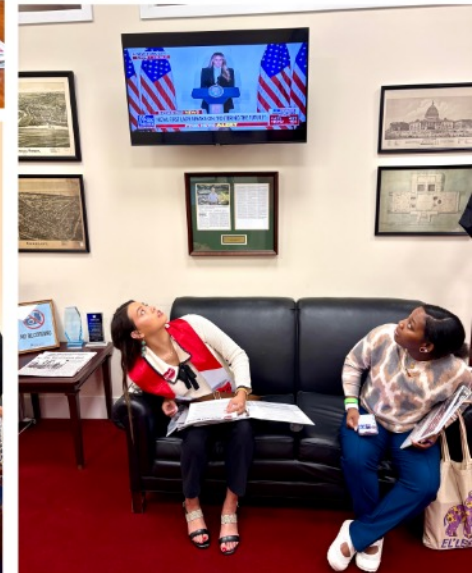
2026 Meeting with ACF



2026 Meeting with HUD



2026 Meetings with Federal Legislators



New and Good

