

## The Central Region TAY UnConvention is Coming on March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2012!



If you plan to attend, or send folks, to the Central Region TAY UnConvention—**youth and providers from the Central Region are welcome**—please complete the following **three tasks**:

- 1.) Survey** – this will help us to provide relevant topics and information at the TAY UnCon, so complete this as soon as possible: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/WNYPQM2>
- 2.)** Tell us more about you - **Reply to this e-mail with the following information**: **your name, what county** you are from, whether we have your **permission** to share your contact information with other attendees at the Central Region TAY UnConvention **AND** whether you are any or all of **the following**: TAY Peer Mentor/Advocate, TAY provider, a TAY Youth seeking work in the public mental health system, any special dietary needs. (*You may want to copy and paste this paragraph into the body of an e-mail and then delete what does not apply so you can remember it all!*)
- 3.) Register!** by March 9<sup>th</sup>, 2012 – More details about the event and the **Registration form** are found here: <http://centralregiontayuncon.eventbrite.com>

***We are looking for an equal mix of TAY Youth/Peer Mentors/Advocates and TAY providers. We also want to be sure to get people from across the region, so we ask that each county in the Central Region send a maximum of 25 people—including from provider agencies, so when you spread the word, keep this in mind...***

**“What’s In It For Me?” you ask?:**

**At the conclusion of the UnConvention, participants will be able to:**

- 1.) Identify new resources/ideas/contacts for addressing the needs of TAY youth and TAY Peer Mentors/Advocates in their communities and agencies;
- 2.) Share information, tools and expertise with peers and colleagues; and,
- 3.) Learn how to hire, support, and effectively utilize TAY Peer Mentors/Advocates

**Mileage to and from this event may be reimbursable. Ask for a mileage expense form at registration table during the TAY UnCon.**

**Questions?** Contact me or Wayne Munchel at [wmunchel@starsinc.com](mailto:wmunchel@starsinc.com) .

Kind regards,

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