ABOUT US

The SistahSpeak! Youth ProjectTM (SYP) is a leadership development program for young Black women, femmes, and girls in Grades 8-12. Our program is a brave and affirming space for our participants to discuss the issues that matter to them, get support and develop their political voice. SYP! focuses on building community, leadership and the movement for Reproductive Justice.

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“I like SYP! because I get to experience new things, build new bonds and make new memories. It’s a safe space with people that look like me that may be going through the same things that I am, just to know I’m not alone.”

- Jasmine Moore, Pittsburgh

NEW VOICES

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A BRAVE SPACE FOR YOUNG BLACK WOMEN, FEMMES, AND GIRLS
A NEW VOICES FOR REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE PROGRAM
Participate in the SYP! Leadership Council:
- Identify as a young Black woman, femme, girl, and/or gender non conforming youth
- Must be in Grades 9-12
- Attend and actively participate in weekly SYP! Leadership Council Sessions
- Fill out the online application at newvoicesri.org/sistahspeak

WHAT DO WE OFFER?
- Free program for participants with meals and transportation support
- Become the next generation of Reproductive Justice leaders
- Weekly programming for the Leadership Council during the program year
- Monthly, youth-centered community events
- Sexual & reproductive health information and resources
- Youth community organizing skills-building
- Learn life skills and critical-thinking skills
- Build a supportive and affirming community
- SYP! t-shirt and swag

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:
- Engage, Educate & Empowerment Program (E3) Series
- Leadership Retreat in Philadelphia
- Letters to Our Leaders Campaign
- Reproductive Justice Youth Summit
- Advocacy Days in Harrisburg
- Summer Employment
- New Voices for Reproductive Justice Events

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