



VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

OUTright Youth of Catawba Valley
748 4th Street SW
Hickory, NC 28602

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with OUTright Youth. Please review and complete this application and return it to Anna Watson awatson@outrightyouthcv.org or mail to 748 4th Street SW, Hickory, NC 28602.

We view volunteers as a special resource, and we couldn't operate our programs without their help— Thank You!

Because we work with young people ages 12 to 23, a criminal background check and interview are required for all volunteers.

Please complete the following information:

Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about OUTright Youth? \_\_\_\_\_

What interests you in working with OUTright Youth? \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you had any previous experience working with adolescents? LGBTQ adolescents? If so, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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Past volunteer experience \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

List skills/talents you can bring to OUTright Youth \_\_\_\_\_

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List two reasons you wish to volunteer with OUTright Youth

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

When would you be available to start as an OUTright Youth volunteer?

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**Possible areas of interest (check all that apply.)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Group Co-facilitator   | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Social Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Transgender Support Group Co-facilitator |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach           | <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy                | <input type="checkbox"/> Speaking Engagements                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Special Events               | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising             |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program & Services Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Anti-Bullying Committee | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial Strategy Committee             |

Have you ever been convicted of any felony, child abuse, or unlawful sexual offense?

- No  Yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

When we receive your completed application, you will be contacted for the additional information needed to complete a national background check. There is a suggested \$20 donation to offset the cost of each background check.

If you have any questions about OUTright Youth or your application, please contact Anna Watson by phone at 828-292-4243 or email: [awatson@outrightyouthcv.org](mailto:awatson@outrightyouthcv.org)

**Thanks again for your interest in OUTright Youth's volunteer program!**