

First Annual Alaska Youth Leadership Forum



Accepting Applications From: Young Alaskans with Disabilities Ages 14-24 Statewide



When

August 7-10, 2023

Half days Aug 7 & 11 for travel



Where

UAA Kenai Peninsula College

*Lodging and Meals Included

If you are a young Alaskan between the ages of 14 and 24, who identifies as having a disability, come join us for a multi-day conference where you will:

- Explore & unlock your true leadership potential.
- Advance your individual & systems advocacy skills.
- Develop hard & soft skills to acquire Employment.
- Learn about important services and programs for the employment & self-employment of people with disabilities.
- Learn how to build assets & retain benefits as you earn.
- Develop your own person-centered Personal Leadership Plan.
- Work with a mentor, who will stick with you for a year after the Youth Leadership Forum to support you as you work to achieve your goals.

Those who graduate from this program may participate in additional leadership and career exploration opportunities, including opportunities to participate as mentors and staff for future Youth Leadership Forums.

If you are from outside the Kenai Peninsula or Anchorage areas, travel scholarship opportunities may become available. We encourage everyone to apply, no matter where in Alaska you are from. We will work with all successfully accepted applicants to identify sources of travel assistance.

For more information about this program and how to apply, please contact Michael Christian: michael@alaskasilc.org.

Deadline for Applications is June 9th.