Do you want to help prevent youth violence?

The MI-YVPC is looking for adults, youth and neighborhood groups to participate in our programs in the Durant-Turri-Mott area of Flint.

Here are ways you can participate:

**Youth:**
- Join the YES or Fathers and Sons Programs
- Volunteer with the Clean and Green/Adopt a Lot Program
- Get to know your neighborhood police

**Adults:**
- Become a neighborhood advocate
- Volunteer on the YES or Fathers and Sons Programs and help with community projects
- Volunteer with the Clean and Green/Adopt a Lot Program

Learn more about ways to participate and share your views on the MI-YVPC blog: [http://yvpc.sph.umich.edu/blog](http://yvpc.sph.umich.edu/blog)

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**MI-YVPC Community Partners**

**Steering Committee:**
- 7th Judicial Circuit Court Family Division
- Boys and Girls Club of Greater Flint
- Church Without Walls
- City of Flint Police Department
- City of Flint Mayor’s Office
- Durant Turri Mott Elementary School
- Flint Area Reinvestment Office
- Flint Downtown District Weed & Seed
- Flint Odyssey House Health Awareness Center
- Genesee County Community Action Resource Department
- Genesee County Community Mental Health
- Genesee County Health Department
- Genesee County Land Bank
- Greater Flint Health Coalition
- Hurley Medical Center Emergency Department
- Kettering University
- McLaren Regional Medical Center
- Mott Children’s Health Center
- Michigan State University School of Criminal Justice
- University of Michigan-Flint
- University of Michigan School of Public Health

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**MI-YVPC Programs**

**Youth Empowerment Solutions (YES)**
**Purpose:** Teach youth about the environment and empower them to change communities.
**Eligibility:** Youth ages 10-15
**Contact:** Natasha Warren, 810-238-7000
ladyywarren@yahoo.com

**Fathers and Sons**
**Purpose:** Enhance youth health behaviors through strengthening father-son relationships.
**Eligibility:** Youth ages 8-14
**Contact:** Cassandra Brooks, 810-234-0684
fathersandsons@umich.edu

**Clean and Green/Adopt a Lot**
**Purpose:** Decrease the number of vacant houses and increase urban beautification.
**Eligibility:** Neighborhood organizations
**Contact:** Natalie Pruett, 810-257-3088 ext 541, natalie.k.pruett@gmail.com
**Website:** http://www.thelandbank.org

**Targeted Outreach Mentoring**
**Purpose:** Provide youth with a mentor from the Boys and Girls Club.
**Eligibility:** Youth ages 10-17 referred by Family Court and local agencies.
**Contact:** Gary Jones, 810-249-3413
ajonesbgclubflint@comcast.net

**Community Policing**
**Purpose:** Form partnerships between the police department and community members to decrease neighborhood crime.
**Eligibility:** Neighborhood organizations
**Contact:** Edmund McGarrell, 517-355-2197
mcgarrel@msu.edu

**Hurley Medical Center Emergency Department**
**Purpose:** The Hurley Medical Center Emergency Department participates in MI-YVPC activities.

**Evaluation Plan**
The MI-YVPC research team will collect outcome data over a five year period. Evaluation data will include:
- Police Records
- Injury Data from Local Health Centers
- Speak to Your Health! Community Survey Data
- Parcel Assessment Data

The MI-YVPC research team will share its research findings with the community.