

TEEN EMPOWERMENT MONTH SHARE YOUR TALENT CHALLENGE

Guidelines/Agreements

To enter the SHARE YOUR TALENT CHALLENGE, follow these easy steps:

1. **PICK** a POSITIVE MESSAGE to share with peers for *Teen Empowerment Month*. The theme is "Bee Empowered". Healthy, happy and successful youth are essential to the well-being of every community. For this challenge, we are asking youth to share how they are empowered to be happy, healthy and successful. It can be for them personally, tips for other youth, building youth-adult-connections, or more!

Need Ideas? Here are a few:

- Share a response to, "I am powerful when..."
- Respond to, "How are you empowered to make healthy, informed decisions?"
- Highlight ways youth can "bee empowered" to be healthy, or more!

Topic Ideas:

*Getting the Facts * Setting Limits * Responsibility *Healthy Relationships
*Avoiding Risky Behaviors *Being Safe & Protected *Teen Health/Sexual Health
*Resisting Pressure(s) *Prevention & Awareness *Accessing Resources
*Having Conversations with Approachable Adults *Influences on Teens

2. **CREATE** your entry!

• The entry must be an original, creative, medically accurate, &/or age-appropriate message using any of the following:

- * **Video/Movie Clip**
- * **Photography**
- * **Poster/Infographic**
- * **A combo of all platforms**
- * **Another medium of a Public Service Announcement (PSA)**
- * **Song/Lyrics**
- * **Poetry**
- * **Art (including graphic design)**

- Any youth with a voice, vision, a phone/camera, talent, and/or passion can enter.
- Judging is based on content, ideas, & originality!
- Entries can be in any format-whether scripted, live action, stop motion, or animation.
- No real tobacco, alcohol, or other drugs may be present in your video!
- You **MAY NOT** submit any content where anyone gets hurt (sexually, emotionally, physically, or other).
- No graphic or explicit content such as profanity, violence, or nudity.
- Obtain **CONSENT** before including other individuals in your entries.

3. **ENTER** the Challenge!

- There is no entry fee- it is 100% free to submit your talent to the Challenge.
- No matter whom you are or what your story, any youth ages 13-19 that live or attend school in Hamilton, Humboldt, and/or Wright Counties are welcome to enter!
- You may work in a group or individually.
- All entries **MUST** include participant information and media consent form. This includes all actors/subjects whom appear in the entries.
- If the video is completed as part of classroom instruction, please complete the class instructor line.
- By submitting your entry into the Challenge, you give permission for the Bee Inspired Program through Building Families to use for promotional, prevention, and education materials.

Deadline information:

- Entries must be postmarked or delivered by **4pm on June 17, 2019**. A panel of volunteer judges and council members will review all entries. Their decision is final. Entries will become the property of the Bee Inspired CAPP Program through Building Families, and will not be returned. Winners will be announced by June 30, 2019.
- DVDs, flash drives, or email attachments will be accepted. Send or drop off your completed entries to tlarson@co.wright.ia.us, beeinspiredcappprogram@gmail.com, or

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- Questions? Buzz over to bee-inspired.org, or contact the Bee Inspired CAPP Program at 515.602.6371 ext. 4 or tlarson@co.wright.ia.us