

JDRF Youth Ambassador Program

The JDRF Southeastern Wisconsin Chapter is looking for people to join the Youth Ambassador Program! Youth Ambassadors (YA's) will help the Chapter throughout the year to help "put a face on type 1 diabetes" and help educate the community about what it's like living with the disease, as well as why supporting JDRF's mission to cure type 1 diabetes (T1D) is so important. This program is open to individuals who have T1D, are between the ages of 5-18, and are willing to share their personal story.

Requirements

- Have type 1 diabetes
- Be between the ages of 5 and 18 years old (as of April 1, 2019)

Responsibilities

Walk – September 14, 2019 - 1 YA will be selected for Walk

- Form a 2019 Walk Team and set a team goal of at least \$1,000
- Attend 2019 Pre-Walk speaking engagements including Corporate Recruitment Event, Progress to Type None: Kickoff Lunch, various Corporate team internal kickoffs
- Participate in and be available for ongoing media opportunities
- Attend 2019 JDRF One Walk Milwaukee
- Attend 2019 Post-Walk speaking engagements including JDRF One Walk Awards Ceremony and TypeOneNation Summit

Ride – Summer/Fall 2019 - 1 YA will be selected for Ride

- Be a 'virtual rider' and raise a minimum of \$500 for the JDRF Ride
***Note-If your family participates in the Ride, this will be removed from responsibilities
- Attend 2019 Pre-Ride speaking engagements including Ride information sessions, Ride Kick-Off meeting and various corporate team information sessions
- Participate as the Ride YA for assigned riders who do not have a connection to T1D
- Send Rider(s) a photo and letter about yourself
- Write at least one letter of encouragement to Rider(s) throughout fundraising/training
- Send a thank you note post-Ride
- Attend various Rider fundraising events as able
- Participate in and be available for ongoing media opportunities
- Consider volunteering at the JDRF Ride in La Crosse
- Attend 2019 Post-Ride speaking engagement including JDRF Ride Celebration

All Other YA's will be used throughout the year for the following opportunities:

- Write thank you notes to donors and sponsors
- Participate in at least one Outreach event
- Attend community event/third party fundraisers when applicable
- Be a face for JDRF by visiting corporate sponsor locations to say thank you for involvement when applicable

Program runs from April 1, 2019 – March 31, 2020. Applications are due by Monday, March 25, 2019.

2019-2020 Ambassadors will be announced Friday, March 29, 2019.

For questions or more information, please contact Erin at 414.203.5531 or evella@jdrf.org

Fill out the application on the next page or apply online at <https://goo.gl/forms/PTepV9mtG2lscjeK2>

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Name of Applicant

____/____/____

Birthday

Name of Parent(s)

Address (Street)

City, State, Zip Code

(____) _____

Home Phone

(____) _____

Cell Phone

Email Address

Preferred Contact Method:

Home Phone

Cell Phone

Email

Age When Diagnosed

____/____/____

Date Diagnosed

Which Youth Ambassador Opportunity do you wish to apply for? ____ Walk ____ Ride ____ Other opportunity

What would you like people to know about diabetes? _____

What will you do when there is a cure for T1D? _____

Who is your hero and why? _____

Favorite Color

Favorite Food/Snack

Favorite Book/Movie

Favorite Sports/Hobbies

Favorite Subject(s) in School

What would you like to be when you grow up/finish school?