

Transition Together

Weekly Newsletter



We hope that you are staying safe and taking this opportunity to spend some time with your families. Remember to stay positive and use this time at home to do things that you normally do not have the time for or have had on a bucket list!

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Movie Night Update!

We had so much fun watching The Incredibles last week! Thank you for those of you who logged on and be on the lookout for our next virtual activity!

Announcements

- **Monthly Mentor Reports** are due **Thursday the 30th!** <http://j.mp/39Cf6EH>
- **New Epilepsy Foundation Newsletter:** This newsletter has a *full schedule* of EFNE events and resources, including information about virtual chat rooms for teens and parents! Click here to stay updated! <https://mailchi.mp/b60c362e4e4c/this-week-for-the-yln>

COVID-19 Resources

Visit this [Google Docs](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1OZuzgfKkOjmlDMtDldIZ1RjiCoJ4PXjt9FJQhFO1zXM/edit?usp=sharing) for a full list of resources that might be helpful to your mentees, parents, and you!:

Safety Reminders:

- Wash your hands for 20 seconds (sing 'Happy Birthday' twice!)
- Wear a mask when you go out in public
- Remain at least 6 feet apart from people to practice social distancing
- Avoid touching your face



Epilepsy and Coronavirus (COVID-19)

LATEST INFORMATION AND RESOURCES

New: Youth Advisory Council!

Introducing... TECC's new group of teen and young adult leaders who will be collaborating on a number of projects related to epilepsy awareness, advocacy, and quality improvement!

- Our first, successful meeting was held last week with special guest Dr. Douglass
- Our second meeting will be held on May 7th
- Mentors! Feel free to let your mentees know about YAC if they are interested in joining now or in the future!

Onboarding Process Updates

Congratulations to our new mentors for completing their initial training! Welcome to TECC!

Mentee/Family Orientation 1 has been tentatively set for the week of May 3rd

Although not all of you will be matched immediately, please be on the lookout for an email from us for an update!

Upcoming Events

- The **Teen Social-Support Virtual Group** meets weekly on **Wednesdays at 4:00 PM**. Let your mentees know!
 - Zoom Meeting ID: 876 7858 2236
 - Password: 944131
- The **2020 Virtual Boston Walk for Epilepsy** is **Saturday, May 16th!** Register at <https://www.classy.org/team/276033>

Thank You for Being a Mentor!



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