

We provide vulnerable youth with the individualized and holistic support they need to become productive, self-sustaining adults.

On average, 100% of seniors in our Peer Education program graduate high school and 90% gain admission to college or trade schools. There have been no teen pregnancies among our students. In all, 600 Peer Educators have produced 15 theatrical productions with uplifting messages, reaching over 30,000 youth.



## FUNDERS AND PARTNERS

City of Detroit Comm. Dev. Block Grant	Awareness Group
HHS Family & Youth Services Bureau	Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences
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Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration	Detroit Public Schools Community District
Domino's	Detroit Wayne Integrated Health Network
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Ascension	Michigan Science Center
PNC Bank	Team Wellness Center
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# TEEN HYPE

Positive Youth Development Programs



**TEEN HYPE IS A  
MOVEMENT TO GET  
YOUNG PEOPLE**

**READY**  
FOR THE WORLD

**REACHING MORE  
THAN 3,000 DETROIT  
YOUTH EACH YEAR  
SINCE 2004**

## **WHAT MAKES TEEN HYPE UNIQUE?**

We bring a creative blend of arts, health, leadership, and social justice education to youth development work. We help young people discover their voice, plan for the future, and give back to the community.



## **OUR PROGRAMMING**

### **IN-SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

In an effort to curtail teen pregnancy and encourage a focus on hopeful futures, Teen HYPE provides evidence-based sexual health, substance misuse, and HIV education and prevention programs in more than 15 Detroit area schools each year, reaching more than 1,000 middle school and high school students.

### **AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

Our Peer Education program works with 50 – 80 high school youth each year to research, write, produce, and stage powerful, critically-acclaimed plays for audiences of 2,000 or more youth on topics ranging from broken homes to peer pressure. Project management, leadership development and community service components are included in the development of plays that discourage risk taking behaviors and that model effective coping and communication skills.

### **SPECIAL PERFORMANCES**

Teen HYPE is available to bring dance, spoken word, and performance pieces focused on serious issues such as gun violence, incarcerated parents, and suicide to a variety of audiences.

### **WE WELCOME VOLUNTEERS AND VISITORS.**

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