

# The Turning Point PATH Program

The Turning Point PATH program supports young people and their families during the exciting, challenging and always formative adolescent years. We aim to support a platform for young people and families to thrive and grow.



We work with young people to try and foster their connection to the right mix of positive opportunities, supports, roles and relationships. Identification and development of the young person's goals and motivation to change is a key component of all of our programs. We are a community-based program working solely with young people who have come in contact with the criminal justice system. Our goal is to support healthy development, address needs and decrease involvement in the youth justice system.

**Balance**

**Resilience**

**Insight**

**Empathy**

**Community**

## **WHY PATH?**


- A peaceful and safe environment which allows for growth and development
- A sense of belonging and opportunities to cultivate meaningful relationships
- Interactions that foster learning and support the practice of new skills
- Risk-Need-Responsivity approach

## **REFERRALS**

- Youth can be referred to the program by a youth court service or probation officer
- Youth are integrally involved in developing their plan, and caregiver involvement is encouraged
- Send the referral form to Intake via fax (416-929-5587) or telephone (416-925-9250 x 224)

## **FIND US**

- Downtown core at 95 Wellesley Street East (Wellesley TTC subway station)
- Program staff also attend at Toronto region probation offices and in the community

 **Daytime and evening appointments available Monday through Friday.**

## **WHERE DO WE START?**



We begin by exploring what is going well, what changes the young person might like to make in their lives, and ultimately how we might assist them to get there.

### **Service options:**

SNAP-YJ, SNAP-YJ Family Booster, Life PATH, Girls PATH, Counselling, Trauma Counselling, TAPP-C.