ANYTOWN is a nationally recognized program that empowers youth to create respectful and just communities for all of us, not just some of us. It gives high school students a chance to dive into engaging exercises and honest dialogue to develop tools of self-awareness, education, conflict resolution, and communication necessary to peacefully resolve prejudice and bigotry.

Imagine a six-day (five-night) experience where young adults, ages 15-18, escape to the outdoors to break down prejudice, develop friendships with people from around the world, and learn to live and play respectfully with others who come from unique backgrounds and values.

Anytown is more than a retreat. Some call it life changing. Why? Because Anytown is a fun and safe experience where teens have the chance to reflect on their beliefs, opinions, and actions. Anytown strengthens the values participants already have, while allowing them to respectfully listen and communicate with others.

WHO CAN ATTEND ANYTOWN?
Anytown is open both for students in sponsored high schools and to the public (for youth between the ages of 15 and 18).

WHAT DO WE DO AT ANYTOWN?
The Inclusion Center uses engaging exercises and activities to stimulate meaningful conversation. All day, delegates participate in programming that explores serious social issues. Unlike other leadership programs, our Anytown program is captivating and relies on youth educating each other based on their own experiences and opinions. With fresh air and mountains all around, participants are in an invigorating and fascinating environment for growth and community building.

ACTIVITIES:
- Culture Night – Exploring and sharing your personal heritage
- Engaging Dialogue – Intense, interesting, & gripping
- Wilderness – S’mores, hiking, and campfires
- Leadership Development – Learning to maintain your identity while guiding others to a common goal

ANYTOWN STAFF
Our staff is comprised of dedicated volunteers that are committed to building communities of peace. Each staff member undergoes an extensive background check and participates in intensive training before attending.

LEADERSHIP, COMMUNITY, JUSTICE, ACTION...IT’S NOT JUST A RETREAT, IT’S A WAY OF LIFE!

For additional information, contact: Cameron Hodgkin, Youth Program Director
chodgkin@inclusioncenter.org
Office: 801-587-0825
Cell: 801-367-1974

Special Thanks to our community partners for their support of Anytown:
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George S. and Dolores Doré Eccles Foundation
American Express
Nicolas & Company
FAQs

WHAT IS THE CAMPSITE LIKE? DO I NEED A TENT?
Camp Tuttle is nestled in Big Cottonwood Canyon, located just outside of Salt Lake City, and surrounded by a deep forest, calm rivers, and unlimited crisp air. The cabins are set up bunk style, complete with mattresses and electricity. There are showers and "regular" restrooms, so don’t worry about getting too “back-to-nature.” Towels, soap, and shampoo are not available, so you’ll notice that they’re on the list of things to bring, along with other toiletry items.

DO I GET MY OWN CABIN?
Uh, no. You will be in a cabin with 7-9 other people of your gender. Respect is a BIG THING at Anytown, so we practice living with different people and getting to know different cultures while also honoring the need for privacy among young adults. There will be 2-3 young staff members sleeping in each cabin and one older staff member assigned to the cabin as an advisor.

WHAT DO WE EAT?
At Anytown, we have a chef who serves three, nutritious meals daily; and no, it’s not like the “average” cafeteria food. In fact, the meals are one reason our volunteers love coming back so much! Yes, each meal is scrumptious, indeed! We’ll even work with you if you have any dietary restrictions or requirements. Let us know if you are vegan, vegetarian, have any food allergies, or are observing other dietary restrictions.

ARE THERE RULES AT ANYTOWN?
Here are the rules you should know before coming up to Anytown:
1. Alcohol, tobacco, or other illegal substances are NOT ALLOWED.
2. Violence or violent behavior is forbidden.
3. No weapons or restricted items (see rule #1).
4. No hookups: romantic or intimate relationships are not allowed. Prior-existing relationships should be handled with discretion.

CAN I LEAVE ANYTOWN TO GO TO A RELIGIOUS FUNCTION?
No, sorry. We realize that the retreat can fall on important dates for different faith groups and we will make accommodations for you if you need time to pray, worship, or be alone.

SO I CAN’T GO HOME FOR A BIRTHDAY PARTY?
Nope, sorry again. Anytown is a lot of fun and we are also busy doing intense activities all day. When someone leaves, they miss too much and come back with their groove thrown off.

DO I NEED TO BRING MONEY?
No! Here is a list of things NOT to bring to Anytown:
- Cell Phones
- Valuable Jewelry
- Mp3 Players/iPods
- Food/Candy
- Fragile Items/Instruments

NO IPODS?
Using music players/cell phones can be exclusive and take away from the experience. There will be a CD player available for entertainment, as well as phones in case of an emergency or need. More importantly, the Inclusion Center cannot be held responsible for lost or stolen items.

WHAT IS THE PRICE OF ANYTOWN?
The cost of Anytown is $300.00, which includes:
- Round-trip transportation from SLC to the campsite
- Programs and materials
- Accidental secondary insurance for participants
- Three catered meals daily, plus snacks
- Lodging, program fees, a t-shirt, and a group photo

NO ONE WILL BE TURNED AWAY BECAUSE THEY CANNOT AFFORD THE FEE.
Scholarships are available to delegates as needed. However, delegates are encouraged to earn as much of the registration fee as possible. Financial difficulties ARE NOT a barrier to attending Anytown. Please contact our office for more information.

WHAT DO I NEED TO PACK?
Here is a basic list to get you started:

Necessities:  
- Sleeping Bag & Pillow  
- Towel
- Shampoo & Body Wash
- Deodorant
- Oral Care Products
- Comfy/Sturdy Shoes
- Sleeping Bag & Pillow
- Towel
- Shampoo & Body Wash

Additional:
- Hat
- Sunglasses
- Flashlight
- Rain Gear
- CD of ‘clean music’
- Insect Repellant
- Something to share
  (guitar, poetry, games)

Clothing:
- LAYERS for Different Weather
- Jacket, Hoodie, and PJs
- Swim Suit – For Showering
If you like
WHAT IF I GET SICK?
We will have one assigned staff member who will collect all medications and prescriptions for safekeeping. If you are not feeling well, they will also have extra medications, toiletry items, and other first aid materials. There are at least 2 certified emergency medical technicians at the retreat at all times, in case of an accident. If the need should arise, we will take you to Alta View Hospital at 9660 South 1300 East in Sandy. Remember, we have secondary insurance for you, even if you do not have any.

CAN PEOPLE COME VISIT ME?
On Wednesday, June 10th, we will open up Anytown to friends and family for Culture Night. Gates open at 7:00 pm. Visitors can get to the campsite by taking I-215 to 6200 South, and following the signs for Big Cottonwood Canyon. We are just up the canyon, above the Solitude Resort and beneath Brighton Resort.

DO I NEED TO PREPARE FOR CULTURE NIGHT?
You can! Talk to your family about what your cultural traditions are; any good stories, or items you can bring to show everyone would be fantastic. However, if this sounds scary or confusing, don’t worry about it. You will be in a group with people like you and together, you’ll figure it out.

GETTING TO ANYTOWN
Participants will be picked up at West High School on the 7th of June at 11:30 am. The bus will be departing no later than 12:00 pm. Please meet at the North parking lot at approximately 300 North and 300 West. Drop off will be between 12:30-1 pm on June 12th.

APPLYING TO ANYTOWN
You can turn in your application by scanning and emailing it to chodgkin@inclusioncenter.org, or by sending it to 14 Heritage Center, Salt Lake City, UT 84112. You can also bring your application in person to our office. Finally, you can fill out and submit an application online at www.inclusioncenter.org (you can also visit this page for directions to our office).

MAP TO CAMP TUTTLE
- Take I-215 to Exit #6 (6200 South)
- Turn Left off of exit onto South Wasatch Blvd.
- Follow this road to the intersection of Fort Union Blvd., Big Cottonwood Canyon Road, and Wasatch Blvd.
- Turn Left onto Big Cottonwood Canyon Road
- Camp Tuttle will be on the right, just past Solitude Ski Resort. If you reach Brighton Ski Resort, you’ve gone too far.
YOUTH CONSENT

I agree to be present for the ENTIRE program and agree to have respectful and responsible behavior while there. I understand that CELL PHONES ARE NOT ALLOWED. In case of an emergency, my family may contact the Inclusion Center staff at 801-367-1974 (Cameron’s Cell) or 801-652-1918 (hande’s Cell) and they will relay the message to me. I understand that no activities are to be engaged in that will endanger other participants or cause damage to the place of training. I understand that I may NOT use Inclusion Center programming or materials outside of the Event. I understand that I may NOT bring any weapons. I understand that I may not bring or use any drugs, alcohol, or cigarettes at the Event. I understand that I will be required to turn in ALL medications to the medical staff to be distributed by them. I understand that I may NOT engage in any sexual activity while at the Event. I understand that I will be required to pay for any damages to the facility for which I am responsible. I understand that, if I fail to follow any of the abovementioned statements, I may be dismissed from the program.

DO NOT SIGN UNLESS READ AND FULLY UNDERSTOOD:

__________________________________________
Youth Signature

__________________________________________
Date

GUARDIAN CONSENT

I understand that my dependent’s participation in an Inclusion Center event or program exposes him/her to risks inherent in camping and youth events. I hereby acknowledge and agree to assume any such risks. I understand that the Event is an intensive human relations program that deals with mature subject matters. I understand that workshop topics may include values-clarification, self-esteem, stereotypes, prejudices, interpersonal communication, racial identity, sexism, sexual orientation, classism, family issues, institutional and personal power, and more. Throughout the week, students may experience confusion, anger, joy, sadness, frustration, hope, and more as they learn. I assure you that my child is capable of handling the subject matter and emotional nature of this program.

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the event, I hereby agree that for my dependent, I shall hold harmless the Inclusion Center and/or its board members, employees, agents, partnering entities, licensees, and volunteers from any and all claims, demands, actions, or suits arising out of or in connection with my dependent’s participation in the Event, including those claims which may arise from the negligence of the Inclusion Center, its board, employees, agents, partnering entities, licensees, and volunteers.

I acknowledge that the health history is correct and complete as far as I know and the person herein described has permission to engage in program activities, except as noted. If my dependent’s medical information should change prior to the program, I will notify the Inclusion Center of any new conditions, medication, limitations, etc.

I understand that CELL PHONES ARE NOT ALLOWED. In case of emergency, I may contact the Inclusion Center at 801-367-1974 or 801-652-1918 and they will relay the message to the applicant.

DO NOT SIGN UNLESS READ AND FULLY UNDERSTOOD.

__________________________________________
Guardian Signature

__________________________________________
Date

ANYTOWN: JUNE 7-12
2015 DELEGATE APPLICATION

Name ________________________________
Address ________________________________
City __________________ Zip __________
Your Phone ____________________________
Parent’s Phone ________________________
Email ________________________________
High School __________________________
Date of Birth ____________________________

How did you find out about Anytown?
__________________________________________

Help us ensure diversity at Anytown, please complete the following:

Your Race ____________________________
You Gender: __________________________
Faith/Spirituality _______________________  
Do you require any language assistance?
__________________________________________

Do you have any special dietary needs or allergies?
__________________________________________

Will you require any accommodations for spiritual/religious worship?
__________________________________________

Will you require any accommodations for physical accessibility?
__________________________________________
FINANCIAL INFORMATION
The total cost of Anytown is $300.00. Financial Aid is available to those with need. Please enclose a small, non-refundable deposit ($10-$50) to hold your reservation at Anytown. This deposit will be credited to your total payment.

I am enclosing a deposit of $ ______________

I can afford the entire $300.00 (circle one):
Yes  No  Gonna Try  I need Financial Aid

I can afford to pay $ ______________

I have a full scholarship from:
____________________________________

I would like to pay by credit card:
Visa _____  Amex _____  MasterCard _____

Payment Amount: $ ______________

Card #: ________________________________
Expiration Date: _____ / _____
Name on Card: _________________________
Signature: _____________________________

I plan to pay online at www.inclusioncenter.org:
Yes  No

MEDICAL INFORMATION
Guardian Contact: ______________________
Phone: _________________________________
Other Phone: ___________________________
Alt. Emergency Contact: __________________
Phone: _________________________________

Has the Applicant been seriously injured in the last year and required medical treatment? Please explain: ________________________________

Please list all known Allergies:
Medical: _______________________________
Food: _________________________________
Other: _________________________________

Please list ALL over-the-counter AND prescribed medications this participant will be bringing with them: ________________________________

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Please check/list any current medical conditions:
Diabetes: _____  Pulmonary Disorder: _____
Neurological Disorder: _____  Asthma: _____
HIV Positive: _____  Seizure Disorder: _____
Gastrointestinal Problems: _____
Heart Problems: _____  Blood Disorder: _____
Other: _________________________________

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INSURANCE INFORMATION
While attending Anytown, the Applicant is covered by the Inclusion Center’s accidental secondary insurance. This will provide supplementary coverage to your primary insurance. Does the participant have medical/hospital insurance?  Y  N
Insurance Carrier: _______________________

Policy Holder Name: _____________________
Holder ID #: ___________________________
Other Information: __________________________

EMERGENCY RELEASE
In the event of an accident or illness which requires emergency medical care, I understand that every effort will be made to contact guardians of the individual involved. In the event that I cannot be reached, I give my permission to the Inclusion Center to transport my dependent to appropriate medical facilities as needed for licensed nurses and/or physicians to order such medical attention as may be deemed necessary for my dependent’s health and safety. I consent and agree to the emergency release terms mentioned above.

__________________________________________________________________________
Guardian Signature

Date

MEDIA RELEASE
I understand that my dependent’s image and/or personal statements might be publicized and/or used by the Inclusion Center and/or its approved partners. I also give permission for my dependent’s information (address, phone, email, and school) to be printed on the contact roster for other participants & staff to access after the retreat.

I DO / I DO NOT consent and agree to the media release terms mentioned above.

__________________________________________________________________________
Guardian Signature

Date