



Junior Board | *Role and Responsibilities*

About The Bridge

The Bridge has been providing critical services to the most vulnerable in New York City, and particularly those living with a serious mental illness, since 1954. We offer a wide array of program and treatment options, including transitional and permanent housing, mental health and substance use services, case management and community-based services. These services are designed to enable clients to build essential life skills, manage their health effectively, and maintain their housing. Specialized programming is available for veterans, young adults aging out of foster care, and elderly adults with chronic medical conditions.

Purpose of the Junior Board

The Bridge's Junior Board is comprised of young professionals who volunteer their time, energy, and talents to raise awareness and funds to further The Bridge's mission. Junior Board members have the opportunity to create, plan, and participate in a variety of volunteer and awareness-raising activities, and to plan and host fundraising events that support The Bridge's programs.

Benefits of Service

Members derive several benefits from their work on The Bridge's Junior Board. These benefits include:

- Meeting like-minded young professionals
- Gaining hands-on experience in planning fundraising, volunteer, and other events
- Developing leadership and networking skills
- Enhancing your resume through your Junior Board service and volunteerism

Member Responsibilities

- Commit to a one-year membership term
- Serve on at least one Junior Board committee
- Attend a majority of special events
- Attend the 4 annual General Board Meetings
- Raise a minimum of \$500 for The Bridge through fundraising or a personal gift per calendar year

How to Apply

We are now accepting applications for the Junior Board! Complete an application using [this link](#).

Please contact Theresa Amoruso at tamoruso@thebridgeny.org with any questions about the Junior Board or the application process.