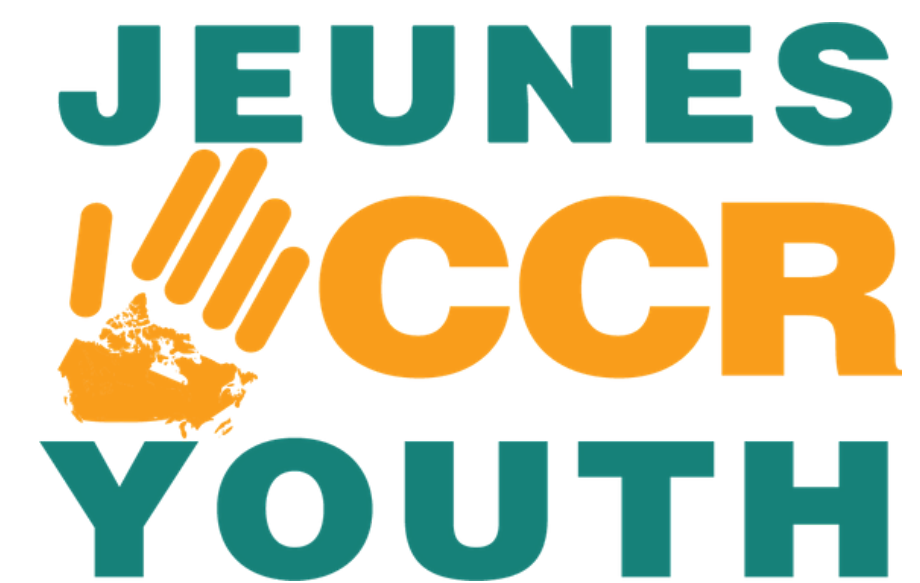
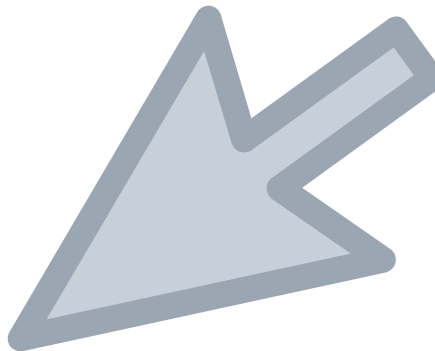
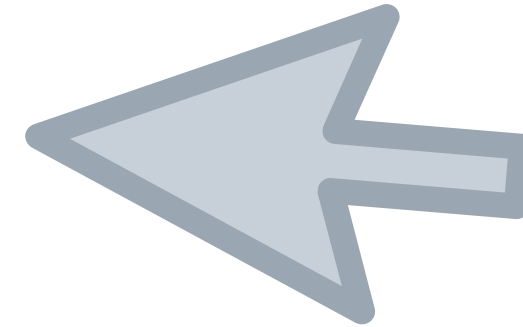
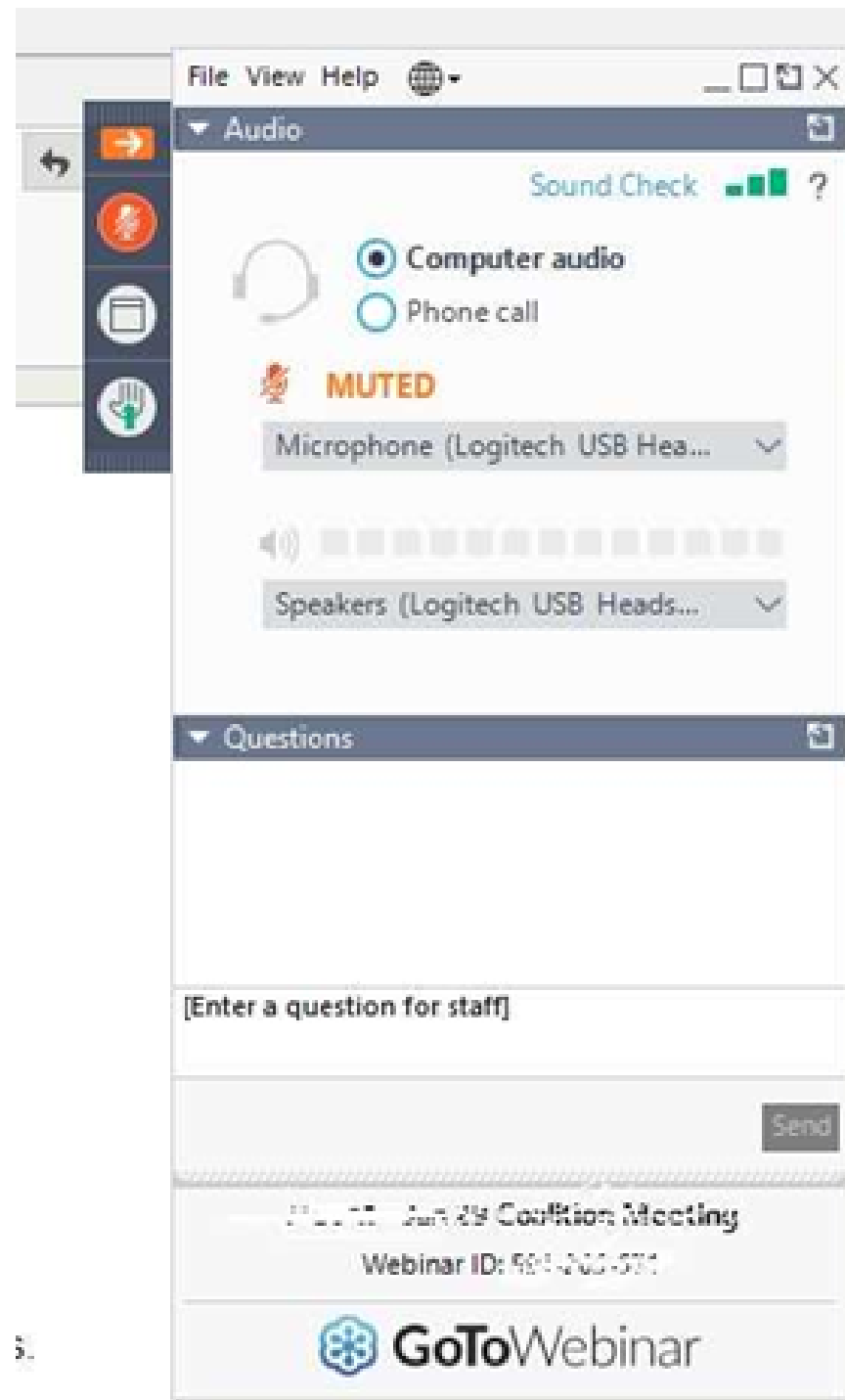


# Promising Practices and Advocacy Efforts for Newcomer Youth



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# The Purpose of this Meeting

During this meeting, we will be sharing promising practices to address the needs of newcomer youth.

We will also talk about advocacy efforts and how organizations have been able to bring forward the challenges newcomer youth are facing.

# Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Ice-breaker
3. FCJ Refugee Centre
4. New Brunswick Multicultural Council
5. Tool created by the CCR Youth Network
6. Participants can take turns and share their experiences  
about promising practices and advocacy
7. Invitation to join EQUITAS workshop

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# The CCR Youth Network



We are the youth division of the Canadian Council for Refugees. The Youth Network gives refugee and newcomer youth a voice to address challenges faced by newcomer youth and a space to share ideas on how to meet these challenges.

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# The Team

## Today

### Moderators

- Chinue Bute, Co-Chair CCR Youth Network Core Team
- Juliana Cortes, National Youth Network Coordinator

### Panelists

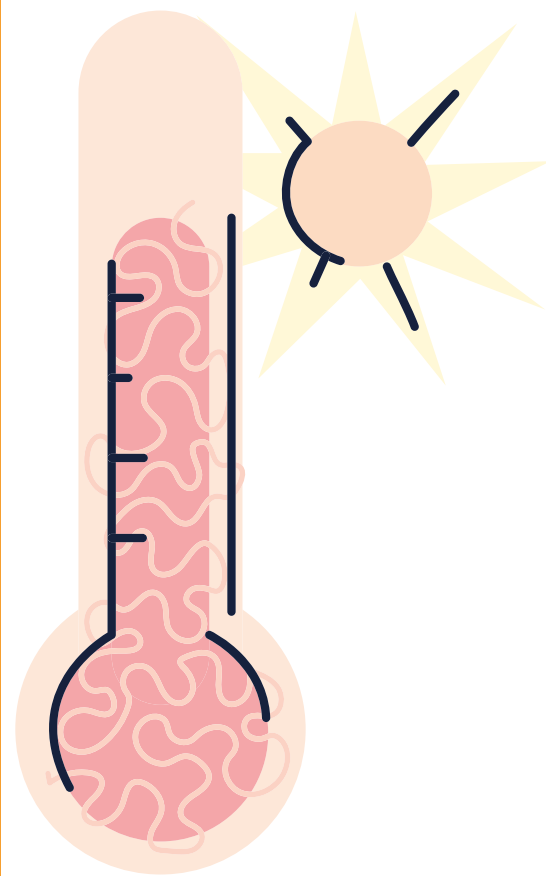
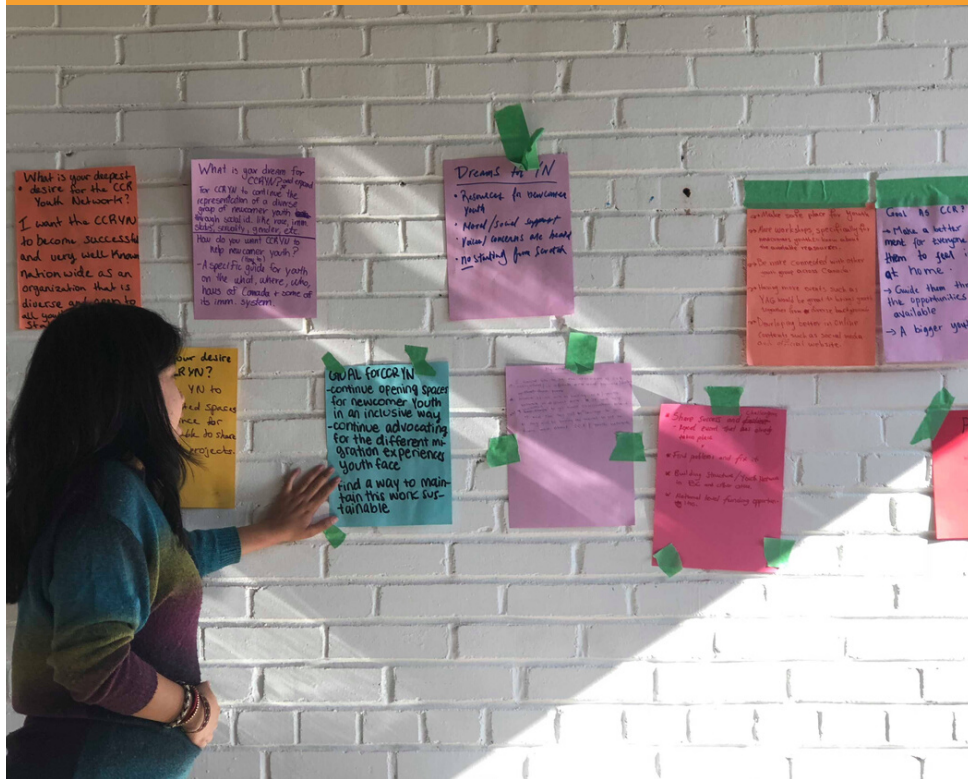
- Maria Alejandra Ramirez, Youth Leader, FCJ Refugee Centre
- Loly Rico, Co-director FCJ Refugee Centre
- Arianne Melara, Manager of Youth Initiatives, New Brunswick Multicultural Council

### Technical support

- Janet Dench, Executive Director

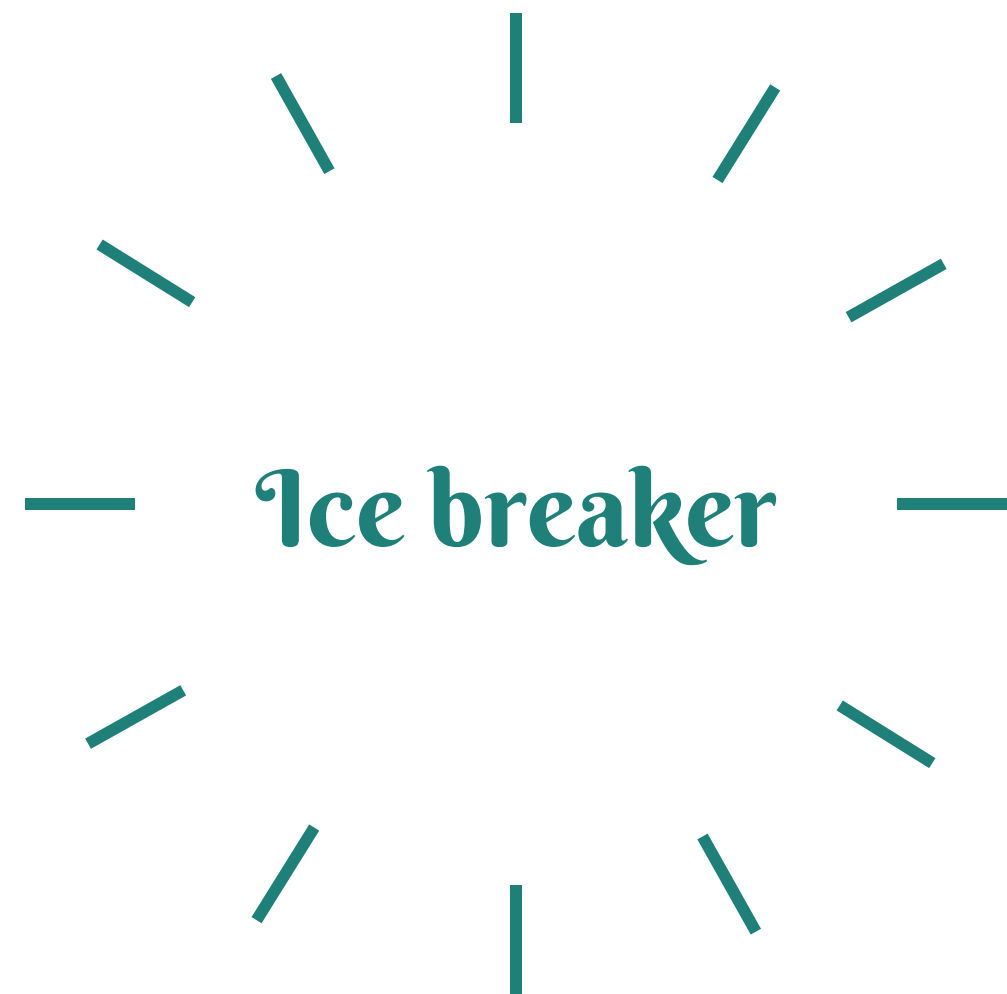






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# — Panelists —

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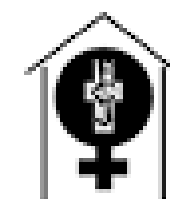
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# COVID-19 IMPACTS ON REFUGEE AND NEWCOMER YOUTH ADVOCACY TOOL

This document summarizes the following:

- Challenges CCR Youth Network members have identified
- Promising practices
- What our members would like to see happen in order to better address the needs of newcomer youth

# Now the floor is yours!!



- DO YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS FOR THE PANELISTS?
- WHAT ARE SOME PROMISING PRACTICES YOU CAN SHARE WITH THE GROUP?
- WHAT ARE SOME ADVOCACY EFFORTS THAT HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL FOR YOU?

# Now the floor is yours!!



- WHAT ARE OTHER TOPICS YOU WOULD LIKE US TO COVER IN FUTURE WEBINARS?
- WHAT DID YOU THINK ABOUT THIS WEBINAR?



# JOIN THE CCR CONSULTATION

## CCR SPRING VIRTUAL CONSULTATION



19 May -  
26 June  
2020



- 20 workshops
- Webinar: Youth Engagement Sustainability:  
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- Youth Caucus: Youth advocacy during covid-19

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**Protecting Youth Rights in a Pandemic: A space for learning, awareness and support**

English: Thursday, June 4th 3:00 pm - 4:30 pm

**Protégeons les droits des jeunes: Un espace d'apprentissage, de sensibilisation et de support**

Francais: Jeudi 11 juin 2020, 10h30 à 12h00

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