



Who should attend?

The Cebrin Goodman Teen Institute (CGTI) is open to any student that will be entering 7th-12th grade during the 2018-2019 school year.

Participants should be students who:

- Are proud to be an alcohol, tobacco, and drug-free student.
- Are motivated to give service to their school and community.
- Have the desire to develop and utilize their leadership skills.
- Will reach out to others and value diversity.
- Want to have fun, meet new people, and have an experience of a lifetime!

What do we do at CGTI?

CGTI is an experience that is hard to describe in words. Youth will hear nationally (sometimes internationally) known motivational speakers daily and attend four workshops throughout the five days. CGTI leaves plenty of time for fun! There is Monday night entertainment, Tuesday Night Live (talent show), a celebration dance, and plenty of free-time to swim, bowl, and meet new people.

In addition to hearing from speakers, participants will take part in teambuilding activities, discussion groups, and Community Action Teams (CATs), which identify the needs in your own community and develop a plan of action!

When and where is CGTI 2018?

Sunday, July 20 – Thursday, July 26, 2018.

Registration is from 12:30-2:30PM on Sunday, July 22. CGTI will conclude at approximately 12:00PM on Thursday, July 26.

CGTI will be held at Eastern Illinois University (EIU) in Charleston, IL.

What is the cost?

The registration fee is \$359 per person. This includes tuition, meals, lodging, all workshop material, a t-shirt, entertainment, and activities.

Early bird special pricing is as follows:

- \$299: February 15 – March 15
- \$319: March 16 – April 30
- \$359: May 1 – May 31
- \$389: June 1 – June 30

The fee must accompany the application for reduced rates.

What else should I know about CGTI?

Transportation is on your own through your school, club, or parent/guardian. CGTI does not provide transportation to or from the Institute.

Lodging: CGTI participants will be staying in dorms on EIU's campus. Males and females will stay on separate floors. Adult staff will be present on every floor for supervision. Each participant will have a roommate. Participants will select their roommate, along with their workshop choices when they receive their acceptance letter.

Meals: Meals are provided by EIU and offer a variety of entrée options. Special dietary needs should be indicated on the application.

Sunday: Dinner only

Monday-Wednesday: Breakfast, lunch & dinner

Thursday: Breakfast only

Additional snacks and beverages will be available for purchase this year in the CGTI store. *Participants and mentors are not allowed to order outside food to campus.*

Medical: A nurse will be present 24 hours a day for first-aid care and to dispense any prescribed medication. A local hospital will be used should any attendee require further medical treatment.

Volunteer Staff: The Cebrin Goodman Teen Institute is staffed by adult volunteers chosen by IABH. All volunteers go through an extensive interview process including a background check. Volunteer Staff take part in a two-day training prior to the arrival of participants.

Scholarships: Many clubs, schools, and organizations see the positive effect CGTI can have on a school and/or community and may be willing to provide scholarships or other financial support. CGTI/IABH is unable to offer scholarships for CGTI 2018.

