



Young Mamas Leadership Institute

June 25 - 28, 2018
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What is Birth Justice?

Birth Justice recognizes that all people can birth and be parents. Birth Justice engages pregnant and parenting people to participate in actions to address health and power disparities in their own communities. Birth Justice is bringing midwifery and doula care back into our communities because we deserve to be cared for and supported as young mamas.

Why does it matter?

Nearly 20 percent of babies born to African-American parents are born prematurely. In Miami-Dade county, Black babies are more than twice as likely to die in the first year of life as White babies, reflecting a national trend. African American women/birthing people are four times as likely to die from causes related to pregnancy and birth.

We can change these outcomes through education, support and building power!



What is the YMLI?

The Young Mamas Leadership Institute is a week long program to help you succeed in your next steps as a young parent while making a positive impact as a leader in your community.

Who is it for?

The Young Mamas Leadership Institute is for young parents (mothers, mamas, stud moms, non-binary) in Miami-Dade County and their babies.

What will we be doing?

- hands on skills like sewing and jewelry making
- info on how to become a midwife, doula or breastfeeding educator
- career expo for fields such as technology and community organizing
- leadership skills
- a college field trip
- how to live your best life by turning your passion into a profession
- developing a campaign to support young parents in Miami-Dade

How much does it cost?

It's free! And we will even provide you a stipend of \$100 for the week.

Where will it be happening?

Art Africa Gallery
920 NW 2nd Ave
Miami, FL 33136
We chose Historic Overtown as our location because the history of Black people is super important to building a movement for Birth Justice.

When do I need to show up?

The YMLI will take place June 25- June 28 from 8am-5pm.

How will I get there?

We will be able to provide transportation in the City of Miami and neighboring areas. Hit us up at (786) 490-5902 if you need a ride!

More about our work:

www.southernbirthjustice.org

Sign up now! We only have 12 spots!