

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

## YOUTH CSE DEFENDERS



### BACKGROUND

Centre for Youth Empowerment and Civic Education (CYECE), with support from Amplify Change through SAYWHAT, is implementing the Sexuality Education Transformation (SET 2.0) Project in Malawi. The goal of the project is to build a robust youth-led movement that promotes the Sexual Health Rights of young people in Southern Africa by 2026. CYECE invites applications from young people aged 18 - 25 years to participate in the project as Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) Defenders which will run for 18 months.

### CSE DEFENDERS

CYECE aims to recruit five (5) dynamic and motivated young people from diverse backgrounds including those from rural and urban areas, young people with disabilities and those living with HIV. Selected candidates will serve as CSE Defenders, leading youth led advocacy for Comprehensive Sexuality Education and Sexual Reproductive Health for young people.

### ROLE OF CSE DEFENDERS

CSE Defenders will:

- Lead youth-led advocacy on Comprehensive Sexuality Education and Sexual Reproductive Health Rights.
- Participate in policy platforms, stakeholder engagements, and national caucus meetings.
- Create digital content and contribute to multimedia campaigns on CSE and SRHR
- Document stories, experiences, and impact from their communities.
- Engage with policymakers, CSOs, media houses, and government institutions.

### COMPETENCIES

- Strong communication and leadership skills, including storytelling, public speaking, and writing
- Passion for youth empowerment, advocacy, and SRHR
- Creativity and ability to engage with diverse stakeholders

**CYECE is an equal opportunity employer and encourage applications from qualified individuals regardless of gender, ethnicity, or disability to apply.**

### ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- The ideal candidate must be aged 18-25 from Lilongwe and Salima
- The ideal candidate should be conversant with SRHR issues in Malawi, regional and global level.
- The ideal person should have at least a Degree in Gender and Development, Human Rights, Community Development, Public Administration, Nursing or Law (Those awaiting graduation are encouraged to apply)
- The ideal candidate must possess digital knowledge and skills (including digital content creation such as podcasts, social media or radio programs)
- The ideal candidate must be interested and committed to actively participate in trainings, campaigns, and policy platforms throughout the 18 months of the project period
- The ideal candidate must possess a National ID and a passport

### APPLICATION DOCUMENTS

The interested applicants must submit the following documents:

1. A motivation letter (not more than 300 words) explaining why they are motivated to apply, their suitability for the role, any relevant experience, and how they intend to contribute to youth-led advocacy.
2. Curriculum vitae outlining the applicants' academic qualifications, experience and three traceable referees.
3. Copies of certificates
4. National ID

### APPLICATION PROCESS

The due date for submitting applications is 3rd December 2025. All applicants must submit their applications to the following email address [vacancies@cyecemw.org](mailto:vacancies@cyecemw.org) Alternatively, applications can be sent to the following address indicating CSE defender in the subject line of your email/envelope

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