

AT CAMP FITCH YMCA

the most important objective is helping children grow in spirit, mind, and body as they develop strong character and develop life long skills of self confidence and independence.

DR. BARCLAY'S CAMP FOR CHILDREN WITH DIABETES, a committee of CAMP FITCH, was established in 1977 and maintained as a camp for children with diabetes. It has provided children with diabetes an opportunity to have fun in a safe environment under the supervision of a team of diabetes specialists.

Dr. Luis Aparicio, Board Certified Pediatric Endocrinologist from Erie, is the camp Medical Director and oversees the children with diabetes at camp. He is assisted by dietitians, physicians assistants and a physician who remain at the camp for the one week period.

CONTACT INFORMATION

For more information about Camp Fitch programs please call 1.877.863.4824 or visit www.campfitchymca.org. For specific information about Diabetes Camp, please contact the Camp Barclay coordinators Megan or Emily at 814.452.2218 at Metabolic Disease Associates.

Tradition: Camp Fitch YMCA is owned and operated by the YMCA of Youngstown, OH and is accredited by the American Camping Association. At Camp Fitch we want to ensure that campers always have fun while creating memories and forming special friendships that will last a lifetime.

Activities: Under the watchful eye of trained counselors and directors, campers can enjoy an extensive aquatic program (sailing, swimming, canoeing, tubing, etc), rock climbing, horseback riding, archery, riflery, fishing, crafts, and campfires.

Sleeping and Restroom Facilities: All campers live together with staff in cabents that are fun, solid structures that have canvas sides which are easily rolled up and down depending on weather conditions. Diabetes campers are divided into cabents based on gender and age. Nearby modern restrooms, with individual private showers, accommodate the genders.

Dining Facility: Nutritious, delicious, and plentiful meals are served family style with assistance from a registered dietitian with expertise in diabetes in our spectacular lake side dining hall.

Location: Camp Fitch YMCA is nestled in the woods along the shores of Lake Erie. Our beautiful lakefront setting in North Springfield, PA is just 30-minutes from Erie, PA, 90-minutes from Cleveland or Youngstown, OH, and two-hours from Pittsburgh, PA.

Camp Barclay Information: Insulin, monitor and strips, and ketostix will be provided by camp. You bring your own pump supplies. These should be labeled and must be kept at Mirto Lodge for safekeeping. Each day the children are invited to an afternoon education session where topics such as nutrition and other diabetes facts are discussed in a game format.

For further information or to register visit www.campfitchymca.org or call 1.877.863.4824.



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**DR. BARCLAY'S CAMP FOR
CHILDREN WITH DIABETES**
JULY 14 - 20, 2019



Diabetes Camp Registration Form

Note: Diabetes Camp is for Children with Diabetes Only. If your child does not have diabetes and wishes to bunk with a friend who has diabetes, please register for Camp Fitch Flagship Experience Session 6.

Camper Name: _____ Preferred Nickname _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: () _____
Gender: _____ Birth Date ____/____/____ Age: ____ Grade during 19-20 school yr. _____
This will be the camper's ____ summer at Camp Fitch. YMCA Member? __No __Yes - Which Y? _____
Request same Cabent as: (list diabetic and non diabetic friends) _____

Please tell us who the child lives with:

Adult #1 Name: _____ Parent _____ Step Parent _____ Guardian _____ Other _____

Adult #1 Cell Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

Adult #2 Name: _____ Parent _____ Step Parent _____ Guardian _____ Other _____

Adult #2 Cell Phone: _____ E-mail address: _____

A \$75.00 deposit must accompany each application for each week, which is non-refundable and non-transferable, but is applied to the total fee. Please make checks payable to Camp Fitch YMCA.

Mail completed application to: Camp Fitch YMCA 12600 Abels Rd North Springfield, PA 16430

Credit Card # _____

Expiration Date ____/____/____ Amount to charge \$ _____

Card Holder Name _____

Signature _____

Parent Packet: A parent packet information guide will be available March 1. This will include health forms for camp & diabetes staff, horseback riding information, and other needed forms.

Balance and Spending Money: Fees & Spending Money must be paid by May 1, 2019. Spending money is deposited in an account for horseback riding, crafts, and camp store items. The parent packet will give specific details on the cost of the above.

Camp Fitch YMCA

12600 Abels Rd
North Springfield, PA
16430

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www.campfitchymca.org

July 14 - 20, 2019

Boys & Girls: Ages 8 - 16

REGISTRATION: Register using the attached form, online at www.campfitchymca.org, or over the phone at 1.877.863.4824.

CAMP FEES: The regular cost of camp is \$670 for the week. Because of grants and the generosity of our sponsors, camp provides children with diabetes with all that is needed to keep their blood sugar in the best possible control. (Insulin, syringes, test strips, snacks)

Financial Assistance for eligible families is available for the child with diabetes and is granted upon review of financial assistance forms. Financial assistance provided is dependent on financial support from various contributors.

To receive a Financial Assistance Request Form for children with diabetes, please contact Camp Fitch at 1.877.863.4824. Please identify camper as having diabetes so you receive the correct form.



Dr. Barclays' Camp for children with Diabetes at Camp Fitch YMCA is the only mainstream Camp for children with Diabetes in Pennsylvania.