

## Kalihi Y Mission

The Kalihi YMCA has been serving our neighborhood since 1946. Kalihi Y is part of the Honolulu YMCA, which has been serving Hawai'i since 1869. The YMCA has nine facilities on O'ahu.

Our over-all mission is to assist children and teenagers to develop a healthy body, mind and spirit by providing recreational and educational opportunities and by helping them to change behaviors that are causing them problems.

In 1962, the board of the Kalihi Y founded the first outreach program to work with gang members in Honolulu. Over time, the Kalihi Y has added adolescent substance abuse programs funded by the Family Court, the Office of Youth Services and the Department of Health. The Kalihi Y has been providing substance abuse services for O'ahu teens for over twenty years.

Our philosophy is to provide positive peer and adult support for teens, both at their schools and in their communities. This year-round support aims to reconnect them to family, school and recreational resources in the community.



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and

**The Alcohol and  
Drug Abuse Division  
of the Hawai'i State  
Department of Health**

providing

**School and  
Community-Based  
Substance Abuse  
Treatment**

*for O'ahu Teens*