



LONG ISLAND NETWORK OF COMMUNITY SERVICES, INC.

# AT A GLANCE

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### ABOUT US



A community-based not-for-profit, LINCS works to enhance the health and safety of young people across the region by bringing together local leaders and institutions, assessing needs, developing innovative strategies, piloting programs, and scaling-up proven interventions. LINCS uses a community-based, data-driven approach towards environmental and behavioral change. This work is both school and community based.

Additionally, LINCS strengthens the work of other community service providers through the management of pension programs and operation of a state-of-the-art meeting facility.

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### LINCS/BiasHELP

BiasHELP, a Division of LINCS, is a multi-faceted initiative to prevent bias crimes, hate-related harassment, bullying, cyberbullying and discrimination. BiasHELP provides prevention education, community and school-based technical assistance, support of public policies that ensure fair and equal protections of rights.

#### Services include:

- Tailored trainings (bullying, cultural sensitivity, LGBTQ, suicide prevention, anger management, Dignity for All Students Act compliance, etc) to schools, government agencies, and nonprofit community organizations.
- Training and technical assistance in the implementation of the Olweus Bullying Prevention Program in schools across Long Island.
- Against Violence & Oppression in Communities Everywhere (AVOICE) in select communities experiencing youth violence to foster unity and respect among diverse populations.

### The LINCS Approach

**LINCS** convenes and facilitates partnerships with other non-profit agencies in collaborative initiatives that benefit targeted young people.

#### Strategies include:

- An Assessment of needs
- Collaboration among youth-serving institutions and community members
- Implementation of research-based, proven or promising practices
- Multi-year engagements and local capacity building for sustainability.

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