



# LINCOLN HEALTH FOUNDATION

*Improving Health Care and Outcomes for Residents of Lincoln Parish*

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<b>Initiative:</b>	Healthier Living
<b>Project Name:</b>	Sexual Health: Raising STI Awareness (Year 2)
<b>Funding Period:</b>	March 1, 2013 – February 28, 2014
<b>Project Coordinator:</b>	Patti McFadden, Primary Investigator
<b>Project Administration:</b>	Louisiana Tech University Division of Nursing
<b>Total Funding Requested:</b>	\$926.39

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## **Program Summary**

The purpose of the grant is to procure instructional aides to promote sexually transmitted infections (STI) awareness by Louisiana Tech University nursing students as a component of Service Learning, an academic instructional tool that involves community education and civic engagement.

## **Grant Objectives:**

The primary goal of the STI Awareness program is to promote awareness of STI to an estimated 7,000 students during the grant period. The primary mode of program delivery is as follows:

1. Peer instruction, aided by instructional tools, campus referral information, hands-on materials, simulated odors, and visual aids.
2. Scheduled interactive discussions on STI prevention, detection, and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases.