

Funding Summary

Initiative:	Louisiana Tech University Division of Nursing
Project Name:	Tobacco Free Lifestyle Initiative
Funding Period:	August 1, 2015 – July 31, 2016
Project Coordinator:	Dewanna Blake, MSN, RN
Project Administration:	Louisiana Tech Division of Nursing
Total Approved Funding:	\$4,721.

Program Summary

The purpose of the grant is to promote education for Louisiana Tech Students and Lincoln Parish residents regarding the dangers of all types of tobacco use as well as the benefits of smoking cessation and smoke free environments.

Grant Objectives:

The primary objectives of the program are:

- (1) To facilitate an increased awareness of the dangers of exposure to first, second, and third-hand smoke;
- (2) to provide accurate information about smokeless tobacco and e-cigarettes;
- (3) to explain the benefits that smoking cessation provides to the heart and lungs; and,
- (4) provide education regarding resources for smoking cessation and the health benefits of a tobacco-free environment.