BUILDING STRONGER COMMUNITIES BY PROVIDING EXPERT GUIDANCE ON INCLUSION OF PERSONS WITH DIVERSE ABILITIES

SERVICES TO MATCH YOUR ORGANIZATIONAL NEEDS

- Comprehensive evaluation to determine the inclusion needs of your organization
- Individualized training for program staff, coaches, instructors and leadership teams
- Guidance with program development and implementation of identified strategies and procedures
- Assisting with marketing and promotion, including review of descriptive language
- Delivering support to employers in hiring and sustaining a diverse workforce
- Available for public speaking at seminars, conferences or panel discussions

ABOUT LISA

Innovative leader with a demonstrated commitment to building inclusive communities, possesses a specialty and experience in supporting individuals with diverse abilities. Strong professional, skilled in Diversity & Inclusion program development, nonprofit organizations, coaching, event management, and team building. Proficient in staff training creation and implementation and public speaking.

TARGET ORGANIZATIONS

Community organizations providing recreation or social programs for the general population who are seeking to become more inclusive in their practices to ensure community members with diverse abilities are welcomed, engaged and successful in participation. Could include but not limited to: summer camps, Boys & Girls Clubs, YMCA’s, JCC’s, town recreation programs, afterschool programs, fitness, enrichment, arts or sports instructional classes.

DIVERSE ABILITIES PROFILE

Understanding and celebrating that people interact, learn and experience the world around them differently. Supports are beneficial for children, teens or adults with Autism, developmental, intellectual or physical disabilities, mental health or social-emotional issues. Anyone looking to access community programs with their peer group.

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“Lisa's transformative leadership has helped to shape the Y movement around inclusion and equity for individuals and communities with diverse abilities. Her compassionate, thoughtful, strategic, knowledgeable and methodical approach has resulted in an increase in the level of awareness, capacity and competency of hundreds (maybe thousands) of Y staff and volunteers – and beyond – related to inclusion and equity for all.”

Chad Nico Hiu, Director, Diversity & Inclusion
YMCA OF THE USA