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Welcome! We would like to invite you to participate in our research project. Before you decide whether you want to take part it is important for you to understand why the research is being carried out and what it will involve. Please take time to read the following information carefully. Ask us if there is anything that is unclear or if you would like more information.

What is the purpose of the study and who can take part?

Anyone can take part. The aim of the study is to learn from predominately Lincoln-based residents and groups about their experiences in the City. You will help us and our partners and friends to improve our understanding of how people cope with stigma, prejudice and discrimination. We hope that this will help us develop new ways of supporting people to improve their quality of life and ultimately make Lincoln a happier and safer place to live, visit and study in.

What will taking part involve?

The study will involve completing an online survey, which will include questions about the discriminatory experiences you may have faced, witnessed or heard about and your reactions and your responses to such experiences. Participation should take approximately 20 minutes.

Please complete all surveys by 26 March 2018.

If you have something you want to share with us over the phone please indicate this when you provide us with your email address at the end of the survey and we will get in touch with you.

Incentives

All participants completing the survey will be placed in a draw to win one a £50 Amazon voucher.

What are the possible benefits and risks of taking part?

Benefits

The results from the study will help us to gain a better understanding of the ways in which people respond to discrimination and stigma, including the strategies people find most helpful or unhelpful. This information could be used to inform the development of future interventions to help people cope better with discrimination and stigma, therefore your participation could potentially benefit others who have gone through similar experiences.

Risks

Some questions are of a sensitive nature, which some people may find upsetting to complete, for example having to think about times when you have been treated differently to other people.

Will my taking part be confidential?

We will require your email address so that we can get in touch if you are the winner of the prize draw. Your email address will be kept separately to your questionnaire data and deleted as soon as the data has been collected and the prize winner has been informed. All data will be stored electronically on a password protected computer and only the research team will have access to the data, which will be treated in the strictest confidence.

What will happen to the results of the study?

The findings from this study will be collated and help us to understand the emerging issues in order to inform future projects.

Who should I contact for further information?

If you have any questions or require more information about the study, please contact Sue Ellis using the following contact details: sue@justlincolnshire.co.uk

* 1. I confirm that I understand that by ticking the 'YES' box below I am consenting to these elements of the study:

1. I confirm that I have read and understood the information sheet for the above study and I have had the opportunity to consider the information.

2. I consent to the processing of my personal information for the purposes explained to me. I understand that such information will be handled in accordance with the terms of the UK Data Protection Act 1998.

3. I understand that my information may be subject to review by responsible individuals from JUST Lincolnshire and its agents for monitoring and audit purposes.

4. I understand that confidentiality and anonymity will be maintained and it will not be possible to identify me in any publications.

If you agree with all of the above statements and are happy to provide consent and continue with the study please select Yes and continue

Yes

No

Other (please specify)



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2. Are you a member of a group in Lincoln? If yes please provide details website / Facebook page?

Yes please tick below which type of group

No

Sports

Disability

Other

Artistic

Community

Details of group

3. Are you a member of a group (not in Lincoln) but connected with Lincoln?
If yes, which group

Yes

No

If yes, what group

4. Are you a resident of Lincoln?

Yes


No

* 5. What age bracket do you fall into?

- 18 and under
- 18 –24
- 25 –34
- 35 –44
- 45 –54
- 55 –64
- 65 –74
- 75 and older

* 6. Have you witnessed discrimination in the past 12 months?

- Yes
- No
- If yes please detail where



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7. How would you describe this discrimination?

8. How often have you witnessed discrimination?

- Only once
- Once or twice
- Weekly
- Monthly

9. Was the incident reported to the police?

Yes

No

10. Have you personally been the victim of discrimination in the past 12 months?

If so, where?

No

Yes

In a shop

At work

In the street

Other

Other (please specify)



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11. How would you describe this discrimination?

12. Was the incident reported to the police?

Yes

No

13. If it was reported how was this experience on a scale of 1-100 (1 being very negative and 100 being very positive?)

Very negative Very positive

14. If no, why did you not report the incident?

- Fear
- Didn't know how
- Didn't think it would help
- Didn't think it would help
- Lack of time
- Did not think I would be believed
- Lack of confidence
- Other

15. When you experience discrimination or prejudice did you accept this as a fact of life?

- Yes
- No

16. If you were to experience discrimination what way would you prefer to report it?

- An APP for your phone
- Website
- Completing a form by post
- Telephone number
- In person
- Being able to report anonymously
- Other (please specify)

17. Please rank which of the following you feel are the reasons people are most discriminated against in Lincoln? 1 being the least discriminated and 8 the most.

<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Age
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Nationality
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Race
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Religion
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Gender
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Sexual Orientation
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Disability
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	Other

18. Did you know you can report discrimination in the following ways?

	Yes	No
Police 999(urgent)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
101(non-urgent)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Stop Hate - is one of the leading national organisations working to challenge all forms of Hate Crime and discrimination	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

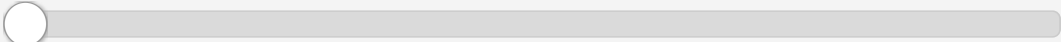
19. Do you feel Lincoln is a welcoming city?

- Yes
- No
- Please give details about your answer or an example

20. Do you feel discrimination and hate crime is a problem in Lincoln?

0 being no problem - 100 a big problem

0 100



21. Please rank 1-3 (1 being the highest) which groups you believe are most discriminated against today in the UK?

	1	2	3
Race related	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Religious beliefs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gender related	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sexual orientation / preferences	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Age related	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Disability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

22. Please rank 1-3 (3 being the highest) which of the following you think can make people better aware of what discrimination is? Please only tick 3 boxes

	1	2	3
School workshops	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Resource pack	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Events	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Workshops	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social Media through filmed and shared stories	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Media through telling stories of high profile cases	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

23. Who do you think can help make people better aware of what discrimination is?

	Yes	No
Police	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Schools	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community groups	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Just Lincolnshire	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Other (please specify)

24. Where would you go to get advice about discrimination?

	Yes	No
Online	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Citizens Advice	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Local group support	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
JUST LINCOLNSHIRE	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Work place	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Police	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Library	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

25. Do you consider yourself to be prejudice in any way?

- Yes
- No
- If yes, please specify

26. Please rate how much you agree with the following statements

	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	UNSURE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE
I am afraid to confront others on their prejudicial views	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I attempt to influence others with my views towards others	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discrimination will always exist	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discrimination is justified	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discrimination hurts others	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I view experiences involving prejudice or discrimination as something that makes me a stronger person	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

27. Please share with us your thoughts on how happy/satisfied you are about the current state of Lincoln's awareness of discrimination and hate crime.

Is it OK? Is it improving? Is in getting worse? Please feel free to write about your thoughts here.

28. Thank you for completing this survey.

Please provide us with your email address for inclusion in the prize draw.

If you would like to chat more about this survey please leave a contact telephone number.

Name

Email Address

Phone Number