PROCESS TO RECEIVE SERVICES THROUGH <u>AUTISM SOCIETY OF NORTH</u> <u>CAROLINA OR TEACCH®</u>

(Necessary to be a <u>LiNC-IT Participant</u>)

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FILL OUT A LINC-IT APPLICATION

After that, you will be connected with a counselor from ASNC or TEACCH®, who will help with the next steps. Those organizations can help fast track the process.

AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDER (ASD)

One needs an official ASD diagnosis to be a LiNC-IT participant. Employment and Independence for People with Disabilities (EIPD) and TEACCH[®] can potentially help one get a diagnosis.





EMPLOYMENT AND INDEPENDENCE FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILIITIES (EIPD)*

Call your local EIPD office, and indicate your interest in employment through LiNC-IT. To find your local office click <u>here</u>. To learn more about EIPD click <u>here</u>.

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CONTINUE EIPD PROCESS

Your EIPD counselor will meet with you a few times and determine your eligibility for services. If you are eligible, you and your EIPD counselor will develop your Individualized Plan for Employment.

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CONNECTION TO ASNC OR TEACCH®

Your Individualized Plan for Employment will likely include a referral to ASNC or TEACCH[®].

MEET WITH YOUR JOB COACH

They can help you with your resume, practice interviewing, and identifying potential jobs from employers who are not a part of LiNC-IT. They also provide support once you start employment.



LINC-IT PARNTERSHIP JOB OPPORTUNITIES

If an employer contacts LiNC-IT about a relevant employment or internship opportunity, your resume may be submitted. You may be invited to interview for the position.

*Employment and Independence for People with Disabilities was formally known as Vocational Rehabilitation.