



# Professional Community Ambassadors

## Join Erika's Lighthouse

Professional Community Ambassadors are a nationwide group of volunteers dedicated to promoting inclusive school cultures around mental health while advancing their career through professional development, presentations and thought leadership.



### Empower Youth in Your State & Nationally

You can help normalize conversations around mental health in schools across the country.



### Multi-Disciplinary Collaboration & Learning

Help unite schools across the country while learning from other professionals. Our network of ambassadors is comprised of school-based professionals from health education, counseling and social work.



### Be A Recognized Peer Leader

You are a mental health champion, and Erika's Lighthouse is looking for emerging or active leaders in their profession that can promote our work among their peers. As an ambassador, you will be a local liaison for our programs in your state.



### Use your Voice

Present at local conferences and spread the Erika's Lighthouse message.

Your efforts will support student mental health throughout the country and also offer you exciting benefits and recognition.

### Enhance your professional network

- Collaborating with dozens of like-minded, passionate education professionals from around the country

### Training and Support

- Meet with the Erika's Lighthouse team to train on our philosophy, pillars, and suite of programs

### Broaden your knowledge

- Grow your professional development around youth mental health

### Stipend

- \$100 Speaker fee for presenting on our behalf
- Up to \$400 Conference Reimbursement. We'll help cover the costs for attending local conferences, including a registration fee, travel, meals, and accommodations

Ready to join?

Fill out our [interest form](#) in the resource portal

OR

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# Thank you for becoming a Professional Community Ambassador

## Welcome to your onboarding

Review these resources in the Resource Portal

### Overview

- [Ambassador Mandatory Training Video](#)
- [Review the Erika's Lighthouse Printable Flyer](#)
- [Review Introduction to Erika's Lighthouse slides](#)
- Watch the Resource Portal Walkthrough [here](#)

### Classroom Education

- Review slideshow and Watch Level I Full Video
- Review slideshow and Watch Level II Full Video
- Review slideshow and Watch Level III Full Video

### Presentations

- Review Proposal Templates
- Review Presentation Slide Templates

### Staff Training

- Complete the staff training course

### Empowerment Clubs

- Review one Awareness into Action Activity in each category
- Schedule a 15-min review call with Derick [derick@erikaslighthouse.org](mailto:derick@erikaslighthouse.org)

### Family Engagement

- Watch Family Workshop I
- Watch Family Workshop II
- Review 3 Workbooks

### Schoolwide Campaigns

- Review Give Voice page
- Review Positivity Pledge page

**After reviewing the resources above, you are ready to submit your commitment form**

Please email Shantal Saldana - [Shantal@erikaslighthouse.org](mailto:Shantal@erikaslighthouse.org) if you have any questions.