

# Netzwerk Lippe gGmbH

**Netzwerk Lippe limited liability company of benefit to the public (Netzwerk Lippe gemeinnützige GmbH)** is the communal employment promotion company of the county Lippe. It was founded in 1995. In the meantime, Network Lippe gGmbH has become a solid medium sized social enterprise. Its main task is the reintegration of job seekers who look for work on the regional job market. With this work oriented at peoples interests professional perspectives are created. At the same time Netzwerk Lippe is partner of the local economy and supports Lippe enterprises with a wide range of personal services.

## Focal points of the work

- Development of perspectives for the unemployed and for special target groups of the job market, such as older people, youth, single parents, handicapped persons or migrants by job placement, coaching- and occupational offers
- Extensive direct relations to the enterprises in the county Lippe through its own temporary employment agency (EQUAL PAY)
- Creation of networks, organization of cooperation and complementary offers and measures in county Lippe.

Netzwerk Lippe occupies 80 employees in the core sector and around 400 workers in its non-profit temporary employment agency. As personal service the social enterprise is at the service of the Lippe economy, enterprises of the region.

## Self-conception and aims

Main values as tolerance, appreciation and a respectful cooperation of local people and migrants.

Promotion of a good and creative and productive working atmosphere and compatibility of family and profession

- Creation of new perspectives for people looking for work in Lippe.
- Best possible support, especially for disadvantaged target groups in the labour market
- Support and complementation of institutionalized labour market policy by additional innovative projects
- Close Cooperation with all other labour market actors of the region, especially the regional professional training and employment providers

## Quality

- The name „Netzwerk Lippe“ as a program for cooperative approach to work in the county Lippe and in wider scope
- The name ‚Netzwerk Lippe‘ as brand for a qualitative social service in the labour market
- Multiprofessional and interdisciplinary team of qualified professionals
- Continuous further training of the employees
- Experience and knowledge of the employees as precondition for collective learning processes and creative and innovative solutions