

Diversity and Inclusion Chair Report - July 2013 – Board Meeting
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I attended the Eastern Zone Swimming Diversity Summit on June 20-23 in Boston, coordinated by Miriam Lynch, New England Swimming and NE Inclusion Committee, and Nadine Johnson – Jesioneck. This summit was attended by 15 coaches/chairs, 24 swimmers representing 9 Eastern Zone LSC's, including 2 coaches and 4 swimmers from NJ Swimming.

There were extensive discussions of what LSC's, teams and organizations have done, are doing and plan to do to promote water safety and competitive opportunities in all communities. Ideas and experiences were shared to highlight the importance of these efforts to achieve the goals of diversity and inclusion.