

Life LOV Outside of Violence



A St. Louis Community-Based
Violence Response Program

WHO

St. Louis City/County residents and **Illinois residents** (within a certain radius), ages 8-30, injured by gunshot, assault or stabbing, who have been seen at one of our participating hospitals.

WHAT

A program **helping those harmed** receive the treatment, support, and resources they need to **end the cycle of violence**. **LOV participants are over 50% less likely to return to the hospital with a violence-related injury** than victims of violence who did not participate in LOV.

HOW

During your hospital visit or shortly after, a member of our team will **develop a plan to stay safe, connect you to community resources**, and help you enroll in the LOV program. Upon enrollment, you will receive **ongoing guidance, support and treatment** for six months to one year.



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We're here to help. Free!

If you or someone you know has an injury due to violence, your social and mental health may be affected. You may have questions about safety, medical treatment, and how to handle stress.



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