There are many resources out there for Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming (TGNC) people! This is a guide to community organizations and social and supportive services in the NYC-Metro area that are either known to have experience working with TGNC people, or who offer unique services that some in our community might need. However, the presence of an organization here does not mean that it will be a safe referral for all TGNC people. If you have any concerns, it is always a good idea to bring a friend or other supportive ally with you.

**Finally:** Resource guides are always evolving! We hope to keep up-to-date. If you are starting an organization or service for TGNC people and want to be added to this resource guide, please call 212-271-7200 and ask to speak to the Transgender Health Care Coordinator

This guide is created for TGNC people in the NYC-Metro area. Inclusion of organizations here should not be taken to imply endorsement by Callen-Lorde of these organizations.

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**LGBT Support**

**TGNC Support Chatrooms and Suicide Prevention**
Laura’s Playground  
Online support forums and peer support groups for TGNC people, loved ones, and family.

**GLBT National Help Center Hotline**  
[www.glnh.org/](http://www.glnh.org/)  
Local Hotline: (212) 989-0999  
National Hotline: (888) 843-4564  
Youth Talkline: (800) 246-7743  
Free and confidential helpline for the GLBT community.

**Hopeline**  
[www.hopeline.com](http://www.hopeline.com) and [www.imalive.org/](http://www.imalive.org/)  
(800) SUICIDE / (800) 784-2433 (English)  
(800) SUICIDE / (800) 784-2432 (Español)  
Crisis intervention and suicide prevention hotline. Online chat support at [imalive.org](http://imalive.org).

**LGBT Warm Line**  
(518) 338-3884 Mon-Fri  

**How to (Help Someone) Stay Alive**  
[www.feministoutlawz.com/](http://www.feministoutlawz.com/)  
- Go to “Resources” link.  
Online support guide published by Feminist Outlawz.

**Intimate Partner and Domestic Violence**

**Anti-Violence Project Hotline**  
24 Hr. Bilingual Hotline: (212) 714-1141  
Assistance for LGBT survivors of violence.

**NYC 24-hour Domestic Violence Hotline**  
(800) 942-6906 (English)  
(800) 942-6908 (Español)  
Crisis intervention and domestic violence. Shelter is for women DV survivors including LGBT women.

**National Domestic Violence Hotline**  
(800) 799-SAFE  
Counseling, shelter, legal, and supportive services for survivors of intimate partner/domestic violence and/or hate violence in NYC. English and Spanish speakers available.

**Safe Homes Project**  
HOTLINE: (718) 499-2151  
Assistance for LBT homeless people in NYC  
[www.goodshepherds.org/programs/community/shp.html](http://www.goodshepherds.org/programs/community/shp.html)

**Safe Horizons Hotlines**  
Domestic Violence: (800) 621-4673  
Crime Victims: (866) 689-6908  
Rape, Sexual Assault and Incest: (212) 227-3000  
TDD for all hotlines: (866) 604-5350  
Crisis intervention, referrals, assistance getting home, and advocacy for runaway youth.

**Youth and Young Adults**

**National Runaway Switchboard**  
**Ages 12-21**  
[www.1800runaway.org/](http://www.1800runaway.org/)  
(800) RUN-AWAY / (800) 786-2929  
Crisis intervention, referrals, assistance getting home, and advocacy for runaway youth.

**Trevor Project**  
**Ages 13-24**  
[www.thetrevorproject.org/](http://www.thetrevorproject.org/)  
Trevor Lifeline: (866) 488-7386  
Crisis intervention & suicide prevention for LGBTQ Youth.

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**Anti-Violence, Self Defense, and Resources for Survivors**

**The Anti-Violence Project**  
[www.avp.org/](http://www.avp.org/)  
Manhattan: 240 West 35th St., Suite 200  
(212) 714-1184  
24 Hr. Bilingual Hotline: (212) 714-1141  
Free, confidential assistance for LGBT and HIV-affected people who have experienced intimate partner/family/domestic violence and/or hate violence in NYC. English and Spanish speakers available.

**Center for Anti-Violence Education**  
[www.caeny.org/](http://www.caeny.org/)  
Brooklyn: 327 7th St., 2nd Floor  
(718) 788-1775  
Self-defense classes for women, girls, LGB, and TGNC people. Free classes available to survivors. Power Action Change program for teen women and TGNC youth.

**generationFIVE**  
Oakland, CA and National  
(510) 251-8552  
Through survivor and bystander leadership development, community prevention and intervention, public action, and cross-movement building, generationFIVE works to interrupt and mend the intergenerational impact of child sexual abuse on individuals, families, and communities. Puts on leadership training events, provides resources, and collects survivors and bystanders stories.

**New York City Domestic Violence Hotline**  
1-800-621 HOPE (4673)  
24 Hour NYC Hotline that helps callers locate available shelter beds in safe locations. English and Spanish speakers available. Can also call 311 to ask for hotline.

**Right Rides**  
[www.rightrides.org/](http://www.rightrides.org/)  
Brooklyn: 26 Court St., Suite 505  
Office number: (718) 522-0822  
Dispatch number: (718) 964-7781 and (888) 215-SAFE / (888) 215-7233  
Right Rides operates on Friday nights from 12-3 am and provides free rides home within their service area (see website for more info) to women and all TGNC people.

**Sanctuary for Families**  
[www.sanctuaryforfamilies.org/](http://www.sanctuaryforfamilies.org/)  
(212) 349-6009  
Counseling, shelter, legal, and supportive services for survivors of intimate partner/domestic violence and their children in NYC. Work with clients from all backgrounds; specialized services for immigrants, LGBTQ people, and victims of sex trafficking.

**Safe Homes Project**  
[www.goodshepherds.org/programs/community/shp.html](http://www.goodshepherds.org/programs/community/shp.html)  
HOTLINE: (718) 499-2151  
Hotline crisis intervention, short-term individual counseling, safety planning, information, referrals, and advocacy for LGBTQ survivors of intimate partner/domestic violence. Shelter is for women DV survivors (including LGBT women).

**Safe Horizon**  
[www.safehorizon.org/](http://www.safehorizon.org/)  
**Domestic Violence**: (800) 621-4673
Crime Victims: (866) 689-4357  
Rape, Sexual Assault and Incest: (212)227-3000  
TDD for all hotlines: (866) 604-5350  
Provides counseling, shelter, legal, and other services to victims of domestic violence, rape and sexual assault, stalking, trafficking, and child abuse in New York City. Special programs for youth and young adults and families of homicide victims. Offers shelters, supportive services, counseling, court advocacy and legal assistance, child advocacy centers, youth drop-in centers, and more. Project SAFE provides free lock replacements.

Sexual Assault and Violence Intervention Program  
www.mssm.edu/SAVI/  
Manhattan: Mt. Sinai Hospital, 1468 Madison Ave.  
(212) 423-2140  
Counseling for survivors of rape, sexual assault, child abuse, domestic violence, and intimate partner violence and support services for friends and families of survivors; Takanot Project, counseling and support services for Orthodox Jewish survivors of sexual assault and domestic violence; Legal advocacy; Education and training; Emergency room advocates called in at these hospitals:  
Manhattan: Harlem Hospital; Lenox Hill Hospital; Metropolitan Hospital; The Mount Sinai Hospital  
Queens: Elmhurst Hospital Center; Queens Hospital Center; The Mount Sinai Hospital of Queens.

Ages 13-24 (Youth)  
See also: Anti-Violence; Health Care; Housing and Shelter

Camp Aranu’tiq  
www.camparanutiq.org/  
New England and California locations  
(617) 467-5830  
Week-long overnight summer camp for transgender and gender-variant youth ages 8-15. Southern California and Southern New England locations.

Community Centers and Supportive Services

Camp Ten Trees  
www.camptentrees.org/  
Seattle: 1122 E Pike ST, PMB #1488  
(206) 288-9568  
Offers one camp for LGBTQ youth and allies ages 8-17 and another for the children of LGBTQ and/or non-traditional families. Washington State location.

Center Lane  
Ages 13-21  
www.centerlaneny.org/  
(914) 358-1006  
Yonkers: 20 South Broadway, Ste. 420. Mon and Fri.  
(914) 423-0610  
Emotional and social support, individual, group and family counseling, advocacy, education/training, talent shows, dances, poetry slams, etc.

COLAGE: People with a LGBTQ Parent  
All ages  
www.colage.org/  
San Francisco: 1550 Bryant St., Suite 830  
(415) 861-5437  
National support organization of people of all ages with 1 or more LGBTQ parent/s. Youth empowerment and leadership development opportunities, summer camp programs, and advocacy for LGBTQ families. Resources for loved ones of TGNC people of any age.  
- Kids of Trans Guide (for people with a TGNC parent): www.colage.org/resources/kot/  
- Let’s Get This Straight: The Ultimate Handbook for Youth with LGBTQ Parents: www.colage.org/featured/letsgetthisstraight/

Cometfire  
Ages 11-14  
Manhattan: The JCC, 334 Amsterdam Ave.  
www.pflagnyc.org/support/cometfire  
scottquasha@me.com  
Non-sectarian discussion and support group for LGBT and Questioning young people. Topics include sexuality and gender identity, youth empowerment, and self-esteem.

The Door  
Ages 12-21  
www.the-door.org/  
Manhattan: 555 Broome St.  
(212) 941-9090  
Social and supportive services. Drop-in center, college advisement and tutoring, counseling, creative arts, English Language (ESOL), foster care support, GED prep, jobs and internships, legal and immigration services, health and dental care, sexual health and birth control, LGBTQ programming, support for runaway and homeless youth, and supportive housing.

FIERCE  
Ages 13-24  
www.fiercenyc.org/  
Manhattan: 147 West 24th St., 6th Floor  
(646) 336-6789  
Leadership development, political education, community building, youth-led campaigns, and cultural expression through arts and media.

Hetrick Martin Institute  
Ages 12-21  
www.hmi.org/  
Manhattan: 2 Astor Place, 3rd Floor  
212-674-2400  
Newark: YES Center, 200 Washington St.  
Social and supportive services for LGBTQ young people. Drop-in center, mental health services, case management, arts and culture, health education, and HIV testing/counseling. NY location also works closely with the Harvey Milk School, a public high school for LGBT students.

Hudson Pride Connections Center  
Ages 13-18—Youth Connect  
Ages 19-25—GRAVE  
www.hudsonpride.org/  
Jersey City, NJ: 32 Jones St.  
(201) 963-4779  
Youth Connect (youth support group, tutoring, empowerment workshops, job development assistance,
computer access, meals); CRAVE—Creating Relationship and Visions of Empowerment (young adult support group, addressing employment and education, relationships, sexual health, and domestic violence) HIV testing and prevention education, and more); Transgender Support Groups – GLITZ (Girls Living In the Trans Zone), and BLITZ (Boys Living in the Trans Zone).

LGBT Community Center—Youth Enrichment Services (YES)
Ages 13–21
www.gaycenter.org/youth
Manhattan: 208 West 13th St. (212) 620-7310
Offers social, supportive, and mental health services to the New York’s LGBT community, including drop-in center support groups, social events, youth programming, supportive counseling, and recovery.

National Runaway Switchboard
Ages 12–21
www.1800runaway.org/
Crisis intervention and information and referrals for runaway youth as well as help connecting with families and/or agencies, free bus tickets home, prevention and education, and online resources.

New Alternatives
Ages 16–24
www.newalternativesnyc.org/
Meets at Marble Collegiate Church
Manhattan: 50 E 7th St.
Social and supportive services, including: case management, life skills workshops, community building, educational and discussion groups, hot meals, food pantry, clothing, and toiletries. Walk-in Sundays 6–8 pm and Tuesdays 5–9 pm.

Long Island Gay and Lesbian Youth (LIGALY)
Ages 13–21
www.ligaly.org/
Bay Shore, NY: 34 Park Ave. (631) 665-2300
Garden City, NY: 400 Garden City Plaza, Suite 110 (516) 323-0011
Social and supportive services for LGBT and Questioning young people in Nassau and Suffolk County, including drop in center, computer lab, support groups, referrals, safe schools initiative, HIV testing and counseling, and leadership development.

Urban Justice Center—Peter Cicchino Youth Project
Up to age 25
www.urbanjustice.org/ujc/projects/peter.html
Manhattan: 123 William St. 16th Floor, (646) 602-5600
Free legal services to homeless and street involved youth. Any young person can call 877-LGBT-LAW to make an appointment with PCYP (though youth have to be members of Streetwork or AFC to come to our legal clinics). In addition to general legal services (including name changes) we also do immigration work.

Transition Youth Family Allies
www.imatyfa.org/index.html
(888) 462-8932
Support for TGNC youth and their families. Online message boards, newsletter, educational programs, and support for educators, health care practitioners, and other service providers in working with TGNC youth. Reading lists for youth and adults. Spanish language resources.

Willie Mae Rock Camp for Girls
Ages 8–18
www.williemaerockcamp.org/
Brooklyn: 87 Irving Place (347) 599-0716

Ages 18+ (Adults)
See also: Anti-Violence and HIV/AIDS Services
Audre Lorde Project
www.alp.org/
Manhattan: 147 West 24th St., 3rd Floor (212) 463-0342
Brooklyn: 85 South Oxford St. (718) 596-0342
Works with LGB, Two Spirit, and TGNC (LGBTSTGNC) People of Color towards mobilization, education and capacity-building, for community wellness and social and economic justice.

3rd Space Support Program addresses barriers to employment, education, health care, and immigration status, and runs a health and wellness program that offers acupuncture, reiki, meditation, yoga, health screenings, and registered nurses.

TransJustice mobilizes TGNC people of color around: access to jobs, housing, and education; Trans-sensitive healthcare, HIV-related services, job-training programs; and resisting police, government and anti-immigrant violence.

Bluestockings Books
www.bluestockings.com/
Manhattan: 172 Allen St. (212) 777-6028
Radical bookstore, fair trade café, and activist center. TGNC-specific books. Frequent community events and readings that feature work by TGNC people.

Bodies Like Ours
www.bodieslikeours.org/
Online community and peer support for people born intersexed and/or with atypical genitals.

CK Life
cklife.org/
(347) 881-7005
Bronx: 1067 Ogden Avenue
Offers a transgender support group (RSVP required), a scholarship for gender-confirming surgeries, and runs the CK Life Trans Clinic in partnership with Bronx Lebanon.

Cross Dressers International (CDI)
www.cdiiny.org/
(212) 564-4847
CDI is a support and social activity group for MTF crossdressers, transgender women, drag queens, and genderqueers.

Deaf Queer Resource Center & Planet Deafqueer
www.deafqueer.org/ and planet.deafqueer.com/
San Francisco, CA: PO Box 14431, SF CA, 94114
Resource and information for, by, and about the deaf queer community. Specific pages for Deaf Queer Youth and Deaf Transgender/Transsexual people. Planet Deafqueer is a project of the Deaf Queer Resource Center.

**Hudson Pride Connections Center**
www.hudsonpride.org/
Jersey City, NJ: 32 Jones St.
(201) 963-4779
Social and supportive services including groups: GLITZ (Girls Living In the Trans Zone), BLITZ (Boys Living in the Trans Zone), SAGE-NJ, and Youth Connect.

**Identity House**
www.identityhouse.org/
(212) 243-8181
Manhattan: 208 West 13th St. (@ the LGBT Center)
Walk-In Hours: Saturday and Sunday 6-8 pm.
Provides LGBT and questioning people with drop-in supportive peer counseling, referrals, and support groups.

**LGBT Community Center**
www.gaycenter.org/
Manhattan: 208 West 13th St.
(212) 620-7310
Social, supportive, and mental health services to the LGBT community, including social events, youth services, and recovery services.

**Center Wellness** offers many different wellness groups, including recovery and 12-step groups, health, support, and education. www.gaycenter.org/health/wellness.

**Gender Identity Project** offers individual peer counseling, referrals, identity-based support groups: Masculine Spectrum; Feminine Spectrum; Partners, Family, and Friends; and TGNC Parents. www.gaycenter.org/gip/.

**Lesbian Cancer Initiative** provides support groups, counseling, education, outreach, and early detection services to lesbians, bisexual women, women who partner with women, TGNC people, and friends/family/partners/caregivers. www.gaycenter.org/health/lci.

**The LOFT—LGBT Community Services Center for the Lower Hudson Valley**
www.loftgaycenter.org/
White Plains: 252 Bryant Ave.
(914) 948-2932
Support groups: transgender support group, AA, SAFE (Spirit and Faith for Everyone); adult education groups; a library and computer center; referrals for services; Pro-Bono Name Change Project for TGNC people and Drop-In Legal Clinic for LGBT legal questions; HIV testing and counseling; group for LGBT parents and their children.

**Long Island GLBT Community Center**
www.liglbtcenter.org/
Bay Shore, NY: 34 Park Ave.
(631) 665-2300
Garden City, NY: 400 Garden City Plaza, Suite 110
(516) 323-0011
Long Island Trans Experience (LITE) offers support groups for trans people and partners/family/friends; periodic Name Change Clinic; Mental Health; 12-step Recovery; services for GLBT Seniors; Anti-Violence Project; Adoptive Parent Prep Class; Parenting Support Group; SAGE-LI, youth programming, and computers.

**Make the Road By Walking**
www.maketheroadny.org/

Brooklyn: 301 Grove St.
(718) 418-7690
Queens: 92-10 Roosevelt Ave., Jackson Heights
(718) 565-8500
Staten Island: 479 Port Richmond Ave.
(718) 727-1222
Free bilingual English-Spanish legal and supportive services aimed at holistic support; Assistance with Public Benefits, SSD/I, Fair Hearings, Housing, Immigration, Healthcare and insurance access, Civil Rights issues; Community organizing and advocacy.

**North East Two Spirit Society**
www.ne2ss.org/
(646) 351-7360
Education for communities regarding indigenous and Two-Spirit histories and traditions; community building among Two-Spirit people in the NE by promoting health and spiritual well-being; building alliances with allied community organizations.

**PFLAG**
www.pflag.org/
www.pflagnyc.org/
NY Chapter: (212) 463-0629
Support for parents, families, and friends of LGBT people. Regional support networks and national resources. **Transgender Network (TNET)** supports loved ones of TGNC people.

**Queens Pride House**
www.queenspridehouse.org/
Queens: 76-11 37th Ave., St. 206, Jackson Heights
(718) 429-5309
Social and support groups, including Transgender Discussion Group, health education, and referrals. Drop-in center with computer lab and lending library.

**Queers for Economic Justice**
www.q4ej.org/
Manhattan: 147 W. 24th St., 4th Floor
(212) 564-3608
Shelter organizing project for LGBT people living in NYC shelters, leadership development, and advocacy for poor and low-income LGBT New Yorkers.

**Pride Center of New Jersey**
www.pridecenter.org/
Highland Park, NJ: 85 Raritan Ave., Suite 100
(732) 846-2232
Community center and supportive services for LGBTQ adults and teens. Support groups include “True Selves” for TGNC people.

**Sex Workers Project**
www.sexworkersproject.org/
Manhattan: 123 William St, 16th Floor
(646) 602-5617
Provides client-centered legal and social services to individuals who engage in sex work, regardless of whether they do so by choice, circumstance, or coercion. Online resource guide available on SWP website.

**Staten Island LGBT Center**
www.silgbtcenter.org/
Staten Island: 25 Victory Boulevard, 3rd Floor
(718) 808-1360
Social and supportive services, TRANSistors support group for TGNC people, free counseling services, “Clean, Sober, and Happy!” group, seniors group, prospective parents group, and other group services, Youth services,
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HIV testing and counseling, computer lab, and referrals. 

Ages 50+ (Elders)
See also Community Centers—Ages 18+

Griot Circle
www.griotcircle.org/
25 Flatbush Ave., 5th Fl., Brooklyn
(718) 246-2775
Culturally diverse social and supportive services for LGBT elders 50+. Buddy program, support group for people living with HIV/AIDS, computer classes, and more.

SAGE (Services and Advocacy for GLBT Elders)
www.sageusa.org/
Manhattan: 305 7th Ave., 6th Fl.
(212) 741-2247
Advocacy, social and supportive services for LGBT seniors. SAGEWorks provides employment assistance; SAGECAP provides assistance and support to caregivers; SAGEConnect is an online resource library and web discussion for providers and advocates. Community Services at the LGBT Center on 13th street, including Drop-In; Discussion Series; Case Management; and Individual and Group Counseling; SAGEHarlem provides events and support to LGBT Seniors in upper Manhattan.

SAGE Long Island
www.sageli.org/
Bay Shore, NY: 34 Park Ave.
(631) 665-2300
Garden City: 400 Garden City Plaza, Suite 110
(516) 323-0011
Advocacy, social, and supportive services for LGBT seniors. Discussion groups, Gay-Straight Alliance at Huntington Senior Center, Advisory Groups, PFLAG meetings, and trainings for providers working with LGBT seniors.

SAGE Hudson County
www.hudsonpride.org/programs-services/pride-connections/lgbt-seniors/
Jersey City, NJ: Hudson Pride Connection, 32 Jones St.
(201) 963-4779
Weekly support group and referral services for LGBT Seniors.

Willie Mae Rock Camp for Girls
www.williemaerockcamp.org/
Brooklyn: 87 Irving Place
(347) 599-0716
Summer Rock Camp and yearlong education at the Willie Mae Music Lab for girls, women & TGNC youth & adults.

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Community Advocacy Organizations

ACT-UP (AIDS Coalition to Unleash Power)
www.actupny.org/
Manhattan: 332 Bleecker St., Ste G5
Diverse, non-partisan group united in anger and committed to direct action to end the AIDS crisis.

Empire State Pride Agenda
www.prideagenda.org/
Manhattan: 16 West 22nd St., Second Floor
(212) 627-0305
Political advocacy for LGBT New Yorkers, including advocacy for TGNC New Yorkers.

GLAAD: Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation
www.glaad.org/
Promotes fair, accurate, and inclusive media representation of LGBT people to combat discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity.

**Human Rights Campaign**  
http://www.hrc.org/  
Washington, DC: 1640 Rhode Island Ave. N.W.  
(800) 777-4723  
Advocacy and organizing for LGBT rights. Resources for TGNC people include guides for TGNC people and employers and the Corporate Equality Index which measures workplace inclusivity.


**National Center for Transgender Equality**  
[transequality.org](http://transequality.org)  
Washington, DC: 1325 Massachusetts Ave., Ste. 700  
(202) 903-0112  
Federal advocacy. Conducts government oversight and builds alliances. Provides Fact Sheets and Guides for TGNC people on topics like correcting Passports and interacting with the TSA (airport security).

**National Gay and Lesbian Task Force**  
[www.thetaskforce.org](http://www.thetaskforce.org)  
Manhattan: 80 Maiden Lane, Ste. 1504  
(212) 604-9830  
Transgender Civil Rights Project provides leading legislative, policy, and strategy assistance towards increasing the rights of transgender people. Guides for TGNC people include:

- Opening the Door to the Inclusion of Transgender People: The Nine Keys to Making LGBT Organizations Fully Transgender-Inclusive: [www.thetaskforce.org/reports_and_research/opening_the_door](http://www.thetaskforce.org/reports_and_research/opening_the_door)

**New York Association of Gender Rights Advocacy (NYAGRA)**  
[www.nyagra.com](http://www.nyagra.com)  
Manhattan: 24 W. 25th St., 9th Floor  
(212) 675-3288  
NYAGRA advocates for freedom of gender identity and expression for all.

**Pride at Work**  
[www.prideatwork.org](http://www.prideatwork.org)  
Washington, DC: 815 16th St., NW  
(202) 637-5014  
AFL-CIO LGBT Constituency group mobilizing support for TGNC people and the Corporate Equality Index which measures workplace inclusivity.

**Servicemembers Legal Defense Network (SLDN)**  
[www.sldn.org](http://www.sldn.org)  
Washington DC: PO Box 65301, Washington DC 20035  
(202) 328-3244 or (202) 328-FAIR  
Legal services, watchdog, and policy work that supports LGB and TGNC servicemembers and is dedicated to full equality and ending discrimination and harassment based on sexual orientation or gender identity. Free legal services to active service members and veterans.


**Transgender American Veterans Association**  
[www.tavausa.org](http://www.tavausa.org)  
Akron, OH: PO Box 4513, Akron, Oh 44310  
Support and advocacy for TGNC veterans. Works to ensure that TGNC vets are able to access health care and are treated fairly and equally. Collaborates with Servicemembers Legal Defense Network

**Transgender Health Initiative of New York**  
[www.transgenderlegal.org](http://www.transgenderlegal.org)  
Manhattan: 151 West 19th St., Suite 1103  
(646) 862-9396  
THINY is TLDEF’s community group that works to improve access to trans-specific health care in New York.

**Transgender Students Rights**  
[www.transgenderstudents.org](http://www.transgenderstudents.org)  

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**EDUCATION**

**Harvey Milk High School**  
[www.schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/02/m586/default.htm](http://www.schools.nyc.gov/schoolportals/02/m586/default.htm)  
Manhattan: 2 Astor Place  
(212) 477-1555  
Public transfer high school for school-aged LGBTQ students that works closely with the Hetrick Martin Institute.

**TONI Project (Transgender On-campus Nondiscrimination Information)**  
[www.transstudents.org](http://www.transstudents.org)  
(202) 903-0112  
Washington DC: 1325 Massachusetts Ave NW, Suite 700  
Online resource for TGNC people to share information about the policies and practices of colleges and universities across the US.
Promotes rights of TGNC students across the globe. Resources for students, teachers, and administrators and online community for TGNC student activists and organizers.

**Employment**

**Association of Transgender Professionals**
www.transgenderprofessionals.org/
TGNC people seeking to advance careers, and facilitate networking and mentoring in TGNC communities.

**Human Rights Campaign Employer Database**
www.hrc.org/resources/entry/search-our-employer-database
Database of employer non-discrimination policies and practices with regards to LGBT employees.

**Out and Equal's LGBTCareerLink**
outandequal.lgbtcareerlink.org/jobseekers/
Job database for LGBT people looking for employment.

**Transgender Job Bank**
www.transgenderprofessionals.org/
Job database for TGNC people looking for employment.

**Food**

**HRA—SNAP/Foodstamps**
HRA Infoline: (718) 557-1399
See eligibility information at nyc.gov/accessnyc. Apply in person at an HRA or Foodstamps office, online, or by phone. Find Foodstamps offices online or by calling (800) 342-3369. You can also enroll with a Food Stamps Facilitated Enroller—call (212) 894-8060.

**NYC Coalition Against Hunger**
www.nyc coalition.org/get-food
Manhattan: 50 Broad Street, Suite 1520
(212) 825-0028
Neighborhood Guides for finding food sources in NYC. Searchable online database of available food sources. Food sources include food pantries, soup kitchens, information about applying for foodstamps and WIC, and Greenmarkets. Neighborhood-specific info available.

**Hair Removal: Laser & Electrolysis**

**Electrolysis**

**Berkowits School**
berkowitsschool.com
Queens: 107-25 Metropolitan Ave., Forest Hills
(718) 544-4234
Discounted rates, work done by students. TGNC friendly.

**A American Electrolysis Studio**
www.americanelectrolysisstudio.com
Manhattan: 347 5th Avenue, Suite 1207
(212) 689-3254
Electrolysis and waxing. Package deal for 10 sessions.

**A Perfect Skin**
www.aperfectskin.com
Bronx: 35-10 Bainbridge, Ave.
(718) 231-1313
Electrolysis and skin care available.

**A Hollywood Way Electrolysis**
ahollywoodway.com
Manhattan: 1270 Broadway
(212) 736-4925
Electrolysis, photoepilation, waxing, and skin care. Habla Espanol y Portugues.

**Affordable Permanent Electrolysis**
www.affordablepermanentelectrolysis.com
Manhattan: 201 West 21st St. #15D
(212) 633-1503
Electrolysis. Out transgender provider.

**Breier Hair Removal and Skin Care**
www.breierhairremovalandskincare.com
Queens: 85-15 Main St. #9N
(718) 206-2744
Electrolysis, Skin Care, Massage.

**Joy Anzarouth, CPE**
www.bare-and-beautiful.com
Manhattan: 150 East 5th St.
(917) 670-6878
Electrolysis and skin care.

**Lucy Peters International**
www.lucypeters.com
Manhattan: 150 East 5th St.
(212) 486-9740
Hair removal using their own “integrated system.” Locations in NYC; Cherry Hill, NJ; Philadelphia & Bryn Mawr, PA; Brentwood, TN; and Dallas, TX.

**Nios Spa: The Permanent Hair Removal Center**
www.niosspa.com
Manhattan: 315 West 55th St., Lobby D
(917) 670-6878
Electrolysis and skin care services. Donates portion of sales to non-profit organizations.

**Rainbow Electrolysis**
http://www.rainbowelectrolysis.com/
Provider Name: Kalani Catbagan
Brooklyn: 143 Columbia Street
Tel: (917)-207-0790
Email: rainbowelectrolysis@gmail.com
Electrolysis for lower surgeries

**Susan Nasta**
snasta.tripod.com
Staten Island: 97 New Dorp Lane, Ste. D
(917) 596-9701
Electrolysis.

**Laser**

**Berkowits School**
laserhairinstitute.com
Queens: 107-25 Metropolitan Ave., Forest Hills
(718) 544-4234
Discounted rates, work done by students.

**Body Beautiful Spa & Laser Center**
www.bodybeautifulspa.com/
Manhattan: 116 East 7th St.  
(212) 979-5515  
Laser, waxing, skin care.

Light Touch Laser Spa  
www.lighttouchnyc.com  
Manhattan: 1133 Broadway, Suite 303  
(646) 926-7202  
Laser hair removal, spider vein removal, pigmented lesion removal, rosacea therapy, skin tightening.

Mitchell A. Kline, MD  
www.nycdermatologyandcosmeticcenter.com  
Manhattan: 700 Park Ave.  
(212) 517-6555  
Laser hair removal, discounts for TGNC community members (as per NYAGRA directory).

Queens Laser & Electrolysis Hair Removal  
www.queenshairremoval.com  
Queens: 87-08 Justice Ave., Suite 2J, Elmhurst  
(718) 507-1921  
Laser, electrolysis, skin rejuvenation. TGNC friendly.

Satori Hair Removal  
www.satorilaser.com  
Manhattan: 481 Eighth Ave., Ste. 1202  
(212) 268-7799  
Manhattan: 133 W. 14th St.  
(212) 366-2588  
Hicksville, LI: 247 W. Old Country Road  
(516) 932-2008  
Laser, spider vein removal, skin tightening, skin resurfacing. Donates 15% of sales.

Health Care: Holistic & Wellness

3rd Space Support at the Audre Lorde Project  
www.alp.org/  
Manhattan: 147 West 24th St., 3rd Floor  
(212) 463-0342  
Brooklyn: 85 South Oxford St.  
(718) 596-0342  
Addresses barriers to employment, education, health care, and immigration status, and runs a health and wellness program that offers acupuncture, reiki, meditation, yoga, health screenings, and registered nurses.

Alicia O Yoga  
www.ayoyoga.com/  
Classes are a balance between vigorous Vinyasa flow, breath, anatomical awareness, self reflection and care. Combines yoga with social justice & specializes in yoga for youth, activists & those dealing with injuries.

Brooklyn Open Acupuncture  
www.brooklynopenacupuncture.com/  
(347) 871-6736  
Brooklyn: 388 Atlantic Ave., 3rd Floor  
Offers individualized acupuncture and herbal treatments from skilled practitioners in a comfortable community setting. Sliding scale.

Gael Guevara, Certified Personal Trainer  
www.gaelquevara.blogspot.com/  
917-459-8779  
Founder and Owner of ViPRtrainingNYC. Offers one-on-one personal training sessions as well as small group sessions.

Geleni Fontaine Acupuncture  
www.geleiniacupuncture.webs.com/  
(718) 374-1703  
Licensed acupuncturist offering a supportive environment to facilitate your healing. Seniors, families, people of color, queer and trans folks, survivors of violence, and everyone in all bodies is welcome. Sliding scale fees: $15 - $45. English and Spanish.

Integrative Movement—Jeanne Reilly  
www.integrativemovement.org/  
(646) 641-4508  
Pilates, gyrotonic, gyrokinesis, and acupuncture. brings passion, caring, and reverence for the human body to every session.

Dr. Kate Klemer  
www.drkateklemer.com/  
Manhattan: 32 Union Square East, Suite 411  
(888) 375-2835  
Chiropractor with experience with TGNC people. Offers Biodynamic Craniosacral Therapy and Nutrition Counseling. Some private insurance accepted.

Rock Dove Collective  
www.rockdovecollective.org/  
Coordinated network of health practitioners in the NYC area who provide physical, mental, sexual, emotional, social and spiritual care. Many practitioners in network accept mutual aid as payment and/or offer sliding scales for services. Directories include: Alternative Medicine, Bodywork, Community Education, Conventional Medicine, Counseling/therapy, Reproductive Health, Sexual Health, Spiritual-Based Healing, and Traditional Eastern Medicine.

Stone Circles  
www.stonecircles.org/  
Mebane, NC: 6602 Nicks Road  
(919) 304-5000  
Offers accessible retreats, educational tools, convenings, training and community events for individuals, groups and social movements. SOUL Sanctuary, a five-day refuge program for agents of progressive change, four to five times per year at no charge. Each SOUL Sanctuary retreat is comprised of at least 50% people of color.

Third Root Community Health Center  
www.thirdroot.org/  
Brooklyn: 380 Marlborough Road  
(718) 940-9343  
Provides holistic, collaborative care in an accessible and sustainable manner. Offers Queer & Trans Yoga and offers TGNC-friendly services. Community and Individual Acupuncture, Massage-Tuina and/or Shiatsu, Yoga, Herbal and Nutrition Consults, and Community Health Workshops. Sliding scale.
**Health Care: New York City**

See also: HIV/AIDS Service Organizations

**Ages 13-24 (Youth)**

**CK Life Trans Clinic—Bronx Lebanon**
cklife.org/
(347) 881-7005
Bronx: 1067 Ogden Avenue
Services offered to people under 18 who are emancipated minors or who have parental consent.
Offers Primary Care, HIV Care, Hormone Therapy, Trans-Affirmative GYN, STI screenings and HIV counseling/testing, short term mental health counseling and referrals. Additionally offers assistance in accessing transition related surgeries.

**Health Outreach To Teens Clinic @ Callen-Lorde**
www.callen-lorde.org/
Manhattan: 356 W. 18th St.
(212) 271-7200
Welcoming, non-judgemental, confidential medical and mental health services for LGBTQ, homeless, runaway, and other street-oriented young people. Located at Callen-Lorde Community Health Center and on the HOTT medical van, which goes to various Manhattan locations. Free or low-cost services (Insurance is accepted). New patients 21 and younger, and care is offered until age 24 (patients transition into the adult clinic at Callen-Lorde).

**HEAT Program (Health and Education Alternatives for Teens)**
Kings County Hospital
www.heatprogram.org/
Brooklyn: 760 Parkside Ave., Rm. 308
(718) 467-4446
Medical and Supportive Services for young people ages 13-24. Adolescent HIV Primary Care, Perinatal HIV Care, Hormone therapy, STI screening and treatment and HIV testing and counseling, Anal Paps, Case Management, Mental Health services, sexual/reproductive health care, and pre-natal health care for young mothers.

**Mt. Sinai Adolescent Health Center**
www.mountsinai.org/patient-care/service-areas/adolescent-health/
(212) 423-3000
Manhattan: 312 East 94th St.
Comprehensive medical, mental health, and supportive services for young people ages 10-22. Reproductive health services, SEEK Peer Educator program, eating disorders program, nutritionist, teen parenting program, substance use prevention and treatment, teen sexual assault survivor program, learning disabilities evaluation, and legal services.

**Ages 18+ (Adults and Elders)**

See also HIV and AIDS Service Organizations

**APICHA Community Health Center**
www.apicha.org/
Manhattan: 400 Broadway
(212) 334-7940
Adult primary Medical Care with emphasis on Asian and Pacific Islander (API) LGBT Health and Wellness. Transgender Health Clinic, HIV Care, Sexual Health Services, Chronic Disease Management (Diabetes, Asthma, Hepatitis B and C, HIV, Hypertension), Short term mental health counseling and referrals.

**Beth Israel Medical Center, LGBT Health Services**
www.lgbthealthservices.org
Manhattan and Brooklyn
212-844-6389
BIMC LGBT program offering information, referral and patient navigation for LGBT patients and consumers; outreach and health education for LGBT organizations and communities in New York City, professional education and training for providers in LGBT health care topics. Beth Israel Medical Group: Primary Care Practices In Manhattan and Brooklyn offering Trans*-affirmative primary care, hormones and referrals for subspecialty care, for adolescents and adults, full range of insurance plans accepted.

**Beth Israel Medical Group**
Manhattan: 222 W 14th St.
(212) 604-1800
Adult primary care, including transgender care. Health First & most private plans

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www.lgbthealthservices.org
Manhattan and Brooklyn
212-844-6389
BIMC LGBT program offering information, referral and patient navigation for LGBT patients and consumers; outreach and health education for LGBT organizations and communities in New York City, professional education and training for providers in LGBT health care topics. Beth Israel Medical Group: Primary Care Practices In Manhattan and Brooklyn offering Trans*-affirmative primary care, hormones and referrals for subspecialty care, for adolescents and adults, full range of insurance plans accepted.

**Callen-Lorde Community Health Center**
www.callen-lorde.org/
Manhattan: 356 W. 18th St.
(212) 271-7200
Adolescent, adult, and senior primary medical care with emphasis on LGBT Health and Wellness and HIV Primary Care. Hormone treatment, Transgender Sexual Health Clinic, trans-affirmative gynecology, Alternative Insemination program, STI screenings and HIV testing and counseling, dentistry, short-term mental health care, and case management.

**CK Life Trans Clinic—Bronx Lebanon**
cklife.org/
(347) 881-7005
Bronx: 1067 Ogden Avenue
Offers Primary Care, HIV Care, Hormone Therapy, Trans-Affirmative GYN, STI screenings and HIV counseling/testing, short term mental health counseling and referrals. Additionally offers assistance in accessing transition related surgeries.

**Community Health Network**
chnny.org/
Main Number: (866) 246-8259
Bronx: 975 Westchester Ave.
(718) 320-4466
Manhattan: 150 Essex St.
(212) 477-1120
Queens: 90-04 161st St.
(718) 523-2123
Adult and senior primary health care, Transgender Care, HIV Care, mental health services, gynecology, STI screening and HIV testing and counseling, podiatry, and dentistry. Services for teens. Health Centers, offices, and mobile units in the Bronx, Brooklyn, Manhattan, and Queens. Most Medicaid and private plans, sliding scale.
NYC-Metro Area Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming (TGNC) Community Resources

Gouverneur Hospital LGBT Health Program
Manhattan: 227 Madison St.
(212) 238-8188
Adult primary care for LGBTQ people, including transgender health. Most Medicaid and private plans.

Housing Works
www.housingworks.org/
Many Locations in Manhattan and Brooklyn
(877) 296-9264
Services for low-income people who are HIV+, including: Medical, Dental, and Mental Health care; COBRA Case Management; ADHC; Emergency assistance and referrals; substance use counseling; Legal Services, Transgender Services, Transgender Support Group, and Transgender Transitional Housing Program.

Persist
persisthealthproject.org/
Community health partnersh in support of individuals in the sex trade. Links individuals to culturally competent providers and provides resources to support in self-advocacy in medical settings.

Peter Krueger Center
Manhattan: 317 E 17th St.
(212) 420-2620
wehealny.org/services/BI_Aidsservices/KruegerCenter.html
Adult primary care, including transgender care. Straight Medicaid only; HIV+ patients with select Medicaid plans

Sidney Hillman and Phillips Family Practice
Institute for Family Health
www.institute2000.org/
Manhattan: 16 East 16th St.
(212) 206-5200
Adult and senior primary care, HIV primary care, diabetes care, STI testing and treatment and HIV testing and counseling, sexual and reproductive health care.

Village Care
www.vcny.org/
Manhattan: 121A West 20th St.
(212) 337-9290
Adult and senior primary care and HIV primary care, AIDS day treatment, Adult Day Health Center, treatment adherence, services for seniors, case management, residential care: skilled nursing and independent living.

Health Care: U.S. LGBT Clinics

Many clinics provide services to LGBT people throughout the US. Check your local LGBT Center for referrals.

Directories
GLMA—Find a Provider: glma.org/
Scarleteen—Find a Doc: scarleteen.com/find_a_doc
Judgement Free Providers: jfhcp.org/

Planned Parenthood
www.plannedparenthood.org/
Services vary by affiliate, and may include: hormonal therapy, sexual & reproductive health care, clinical breast/chest exams, HIV testing, pregnancy testing, emergency contraception, and abortion services.

East

Baltimore: Chase-Brexton
www.chasebrexton.org/
Baltimore, MD: 1001 Cathedral St.
(410) 837-2050
Primary care, hormone therapy, dental care, mental health services, HIV care, psychiatry, and podiatry, STI screening and HIV testing, gynecology.

Massachusetts: Fenway
www.fenwayhealth.org/
Boston, MA: Ansin Building: 1340 Boylston St.
(617) 267-0900
Boston, MA: Borum Health Center: 130 Boylston St.
(617) 457-8140
Adult and adolescent primary care, HIV primary care, transgender care and hormone therapy, dental care, optometry, STI testing and treatment and HIV testing and counseling, LGBT parenting services, Violence Recovery Program, sexual and reproductive health services, support groups, psychiatry, mental health services, and case management.

Pennsylvania: Mazzoni Center
www.mazzonicenter.org/
Philadelphia, PA: 809 Locust St.
(215) 563-0658
Adolescent and adult primary care, HIV care, drop in health clinic for young people under 24, transgender health services and hormone treatment, laser hair removal, sexual and reproductive health care, STI screening and treatment and HIV testing and counseling, counseling and recovery, support groups, mental health services, case management, and legal services.

Washington DC: Whitman Walker
www.whitman-walker.org/
Elizabeth Taylor Medical Center
1701 14th St., NW
Max Robinson Center
2301 Martin Luther King, Jr. Ave., SE
(202) 745-7000
Adult primary medical care, transgender health care and hormone treatment, sexual and reproductive health care, anal cancer screenings, STI screening and treatment, HIV testing and counseling, Breast Health Initiative, medical adherence, dental clinic, PEP, mental health services, legal services, and case management.

Midwest

Illinois: Howard Brown
www.howardbrown.org/hb_services.asp?id=37
Chicago, IL: 4025 N. Sheridan Rd.
Richmond, VA: 1010 North Thompson St.
Virginia: Fan Free Clinic
HIV testing, psychological evaluation.
(757) 640-7435

Virginia: Transition your Life Clinic (TLC)
ACCESS AIDS Care
www.accessaids.org/site/our-services/community-programs/74-transgender-clinic.html
Norfolk, VA: 3415 Granby St.
(757) 640-0929
Hormone therapy, referrals to primary care, confidential HIV testing, psychological evaluation.

Virginia: Fan Free Clinic – Transgender Clinic
www.fanfreeclinic.org/
Richmond, VA: 1010 North Thompson St.
(804) 358-6343
Primary care, hormone therapy, support services, STI screening, mental health referrals

Virginia Transgender Resource and Referral List
www.vdh.state.va.us/epidemiology/DiseasePrevention/Hotline/TransRRList.pdf
Published by the Virginia DOH, Division of Disease Prevention and The Virginia Transgender Taskforce on behalf of the Virginia HIV Community Planning Group.

West
California: LGBT Center of LA
McDonald/Wright Building
www.laqlc.org/
Los Angeles, CA: 1625 N Schrader Blvd.
(323) 993-7518
Primary health care for TGNC people, including pap smears and pelvic exams, prostate exams, hormone therapy, post-surgical care for those who have had gender confirming procedures.

California: Dimensions
Castro-Mission Health Center
www.dimensionsclinic.org/
San Francisco, CA: 3850 17th St.
(415) 934-7757
Primary Medical Care, HIV Care, Transgender Care, STI testing and treatment and HIV testing and counseling, sexual and reproductive health care, PAP and pelvic exams, pregnancy testing, birth control, immunizations, mental health care, and case management.

California: Lyon-Martin
www.lyon-martin.org/index.php
San Francisco, CA: 1748 Market St., Suite 201
(415) 565-7667
Primary care, HIV care, hormone therapy, pelvic exams and PAPs, breast/chest exams, mental health services, behavioral health services, referrals. Accepts Medi-Cal, SF Health Plan, Medicare, Healthy San Francisco, Family PACT, Every Woman Counts, and sliding scale payment.

California: Tom Waddell
www.sfdpd.org/dph/comupg/oservices/medsys/hlthctrs/tmwaddellhlthctr.asp
San Francisco, CA: 50 Lech Walesa (Ivy) St.
(415) 355-7588
Primary care, hormone therapy, HIV Care, mental health, social services, and nutrition.

Oregon: Outside In Clinic
www.outsidein.org/
Portland, OR: 1132 SW 13th Ave.
503-535-3800
Services for youth and adults, focusing on homeless youth and medically marginalized people, including transgender people. Primary medical care, sexual and reproductive health care, transgender health services and hormone therapy, STI testing and treatment and HIV testing and counseling, acupuncture and Chinese medicine, chiropractor, dental care, psychiatry, tattoo removal, syringe exchange, and case management.

Washington: Gender Alliance of the South Sound
Transgender Resource Guide
www.southsoundsgender.com/
www.southsoundsgender.com/GASS-RESOURCE-GUIDE.pdf
Published by Gender Alliance of the South Sound and has resources for Western Washington.

AIDS Center of Queens County (ACQC)
www.acqc.org/
Queens: 161-21 Jamaica Avenue, 6th Floor
Main: (718) 896-2500

773-388-1600
Primary care, hormone therapy, mental health, HIV care, substance use treatment, case management, smoking cessation, alternative insemination, older adult services, youth services.

Ohio: LGBT Pride Clinic
McCafferty Health Center
www.metrohealth.org/body.cfm?id=2410
Cleveland, OH: 4242 Lorain Ave.
(216) 957-4905
Primary Health for children, adolescents, and adults, transgender health care and hormone therapy, chronic disease management (hypertension, diabetes, etc), sexual and reproductive health care, mental health services, and case management.

South
Florida: T-House
www.t-houseonline.com/
Broward County/South Florida
(954) 467-4700 x 5604
Referrals to TGNC Medical Care, HIV/AIDS services, social and supportive services, and TGNC community in South Florida.

Georgia: Feminist Women’s Health Center
www.feministcenter.org/
Atlanta, GA: 1924 Cliff Valley Way NE
(404) 248-5445
Annual physicals, pelvic exams, clinical chest exams, STI screening and lab work for non-trans women, intersex, and transmasculine-spectrum people.

Georgia: Intown Primary Care
www.intownprimarycare.com/
Atlanta, GA: 730 Ponce de Leon Pl. Unit B
(404) 541-0944
Primary care, HIV care, hormone replacement, psychiatry, STI testing, laser hair removal, other laser treatments. Accepts many private and public plans, including Medicare and GA Medicaid.

Texas: Resource Center Dallas
Nelson-Tebedo Community Clinic
www.resourcercenteredallas.org/
Dallas, TX: 4012 Cedar Springs Rd.
(214) 528-2336
Low-cost hormone therapy and lab monitoring with no-fee consultation.

Tennessee: CHOICES: Memphis Center for Reproductive Health
www.mcrh-tn.org/
Memphis, TN: 1726 Poplar Ave.
(901) 274-3550
Hormone therapy, primary care, STI testing and treatment, pelvic exams and PAP, fertility services, HIV testing, HIV case management, and Referrals, menopause counseling and management.

Virginia: Transition your Life Clinic (TLC)
ACCESS AIDS Care
www.accessaids.org/site/our-services/community-programs/74-transgender-clinic.html
Norfolk, VA: 3415 Granby St.
(757) 640-0929
Hormone therapy, referrals to primary care, confidential HIV testing, psychological evaluation.

Virginia: Fan Free Clinic – Transgender Clinic
www.fanfreeclinic.org/
Richmond, VA: 1010 North Thompson St.
### HIV/AIDS Service Organizations

**Jamaica Hillside:** (718) 739-2525  
**Far Rockaway:** (718) 868-8645  
**Long Island City:** (718) 472-9400

Case Management, Housing, Legal, Preventive Education, Mental Health, Harm Reduction and a Syringe Exchange program for HIV-positive and HIV-affected people in Queens.

**Asian & Pacific Islander Coalition on HIV/AIDS**  
[www.apicha.org/](http://www.apicha.org/)

- **Manhattan:** 400 Broadway  
  (212) 334-7940
- **Adult primary Medical Care with emphasis on Asian and Pacific Islander (API) LGBT Health and Wellness. Transgender Health Clinic, HIV Care, Sexual Health Services, Chronic Disease Management (Diabetes, Asthma, Hepatitis B and C, HIV, Hypertension), Short term mental health counseling and referrals.**

**Gay Men's Health Crisis**  
[www.gmhc.org/](http://www.gmhc.org/)

- **Manhattan:** 446 West 33rd St.  
  (212) 367-1000

Social and supportive services for people living with HIV/AIDS, including case management and referrals, legal services, counseling, nutrition, wellness, workplace readiness, and more. Experience with TGNC people, services in English & Spanish.

**Hispanic Aids Forum (HAF)**  
[www.hafnyc.org/](http://www.hafnyc.org/)

- **Manhattan:** 213 West 35th St., Floor 12  
  (212) 563-4500  
- **62-07 Woodside Ave., St. 300, Woodside, Queens**  
  (718) 803-2766

Supportive services for HIV+ people. Queens location has support groups and services for women of transgender experience.

**HIV Law Project**  
[www.hivlawproject.org/](http://www.hivlawproject.org/)

- **Manhattan:** 15 Maiden Lane, 18th Fl.  
  Serves HIV+ Bronx and Manhattan residents with housing, immigration, benefits, and healthcare. Bilingual English/Spanish.

**Housing Works**  
[www.housingworks.org/](http://www.housingworks.org/)

Many Locations in Manhattan and Brooklyn  
(877) 296-9264

Services for low-income people who are HIV+, including: Medical, Dental, and Mental Health care; COBRA Case Management; ADHC; Emergency assistance and referrals; substance use counseling; Legal Services; Transgender Services, Transgender Support Group, and Transgender Transitional Housing Program.

**Ages 13-24 (Youth)**

**Ali Forney Center**  
[Ages 16-24**](http://www.aliforneycenter.org/)

224 W. 35th St., Ste 1102, Manhattan  
(212) 222-3427

Emergency housing, transitional housing, and social services for homeless LGBTQ young people. Day program, street outreach, case management, medical care, HIV testing & counseling, mental health, food, showers, employment assistance, and housing.

**Green Chimneys**  
[Ages 16-20**](http://www.greenchimneys.org/)

For information and referrals: (718) 732-1501

For referrals for homeless young people: (718) 732-1507

The NYC Division of Green Chimneys provides housing and social services to LGBTQ young people who are homeless or in foster care in multiple NYC locations.

**Sylvia's Place**  
Metropolitan Community Church of New York Charities  
**Ages 18-24**

[www.sylviasplace.org](http://www.sylviasplace.org)  
(800) 708-6600  
Drop-in centers with meals, supportive services, social activities, support groups, syringe exchange, medical care, and referrals to residential programs.

**Streetwork Harlem Drop-In Center**  
209 W. 125th St., Manhattan  
(212) 695-2220  
M, T, Th, F 12-5 pm

**Lower East Side Drop-In Center**  
Manhattan: 33 Essex St.  
(646) 602-6404  
M 2-5 (injection drug users only); T, Th, F 2-7

**Transgender Housing Network**  
[www.transhousingnetwork.com/](http://www.transhousingnetwork.com/)

On-line clearing house of available housing options, including couches, apartments, shelters, and other resources.

**Trinity Place**  
**Ages 18-24**

[www.trinityplaceshelter.org/](http://www.trinityplaceshelter.org/)

Manhattan: 164 W. 100th St.  
(646) 580-7045  
10-bed transitional shelter for LGBTQ young people. Referrals to medical, social, and supportive services.

**True Colors**  
**Ages 18-24**

[www.intergenerational.org/truecolors.php](http://www.intergenerational.org/truecolors.php)

Manhattan: 267-269 W. 154th St.  
(212) 873-6300  
Permanent supportive housing and social services for runaway and homeless young people.

**Ages 18+ (Adults and Elders)**

**TGNC-Specific Housing Networks**

**Queer Housing Listserve**

[groups.google.com/forum/?hl=en&fromgroups#!forum/qc-housing-list](http://groups.google.com/forum/?hl=en&fromgroups#!forum/qc-housing-list)

Housing listserv advertising housing opportunities for LGBTQ people in NYC.

**Queer Housing Nacional (NYC)**

[groups.google.com/forum/?hl=en&fromgroups#!forum/queer-housing-nacional](http://groups.google.com/forum/?hl=en&fromgroups#!forum/queer-housing-nacional)

Housing listserv advertising housing opportunities for Women of Color and allies, welcoming of TGNC people,
with a NYC focus.

**Transgender Housing Network**
www.transhousingnetwork.com/
On-line clearing house of available housing options throughout the US, including couches, apartments, shelters, and other resources.

**Shelters**

***KNOW YOUR RIGHTS***
Under DHS policy, you have the right to be housed according to the gender you identify as. Shelter workers are required to call you by the name and pronouns you use and to place you in a shelter that matches your gender, regardless of what your ID documents say.
- You cannot be forced to use or go to a facility that does not match your gender
- You cannot be forced to dress in a way that does not match your gender
- For more information, or for assistance if you are experiencing trans discrimination in the shelter system, contact SRLP at 212-337-8550.

**New York City Shelter System**
If you are homeless, you have a right to shelter in New York City. You can seek assistance by going to any of the intake shelters listed below. There are no adult LGBT or trans-specific shelters in New York City. If you are having difficulty applying for shelter or receiving a bed, or if you have any questions, you can get help at the Coalition for the Homeless Crisis Intervention Program. 129 Fulton St., Manhattan. Arrive before 9 AM to receive help on a first-come-first-served basis.

**City Intake Shelters**
30th St. Men's Shelter
Manhattan: 400-430 30th St. at First Ave.
6 train to 28th St and walk to 30th St & 1st Ave.

Brooklyn Women's Shelter
Brooklyn: 116 Williams Ave.
Take the C train to Liberty Ave.

Franklin Women's Shelter
Bronx: 1122 Franklin Avenue at East 166th St.
Take the 2 or 5 train to 149th St / 3rd Ave and the 55 Bus to 3rd Ave and E.166th St.

**Prevention and Temporary Housing (PATH)**
For families with children under 21
Bronx: 151 East 151st St.
Take the 2, 4, or 5 train to 149th Street/Grand Concourse. Walk north on Grand Concourse two blocks, to E. 151st St. and turn left. Walk two blocks to Walton Avenue.

**MainChance Shelter**
www.grandcentralneighborhood.org/services/mainchance-drop-in-center/
Manhattan: East 32nd St.
(212) 883-0680 Ext. 301
Food, clothing, showers, space for resting, and social services including housing assistance, treatment referrals, and employment counseling. Has some experience working with transgender people.

**Sanctuary for Families**
www.sanctuaryforfamilies.org/
(212) 349-6009
Provides counseling, shelter, legal, and other services to victims of domestic violence and their children in New York City. Work with clients from all backgrounds, with specialized services for immigrants (including targeted outreach to African women and Spanish-speaking women), LGBTQ people, and victims of sex trafficking.

If you or someone you know is in need of help, call Sanctuary for Families: (212) 349-6009.

**Safe Home Project**
HOTLINE: (718) 499-2151

**Safe Horizon**
www.safehorizon.org/
Hotlines:
Domestic Violence: (800) 621-4673
Crime Victims: (866) 689-4357
Rape, Sexual Assault and Incest: (212)227-3000
TDD for all hotlines: (866) 604-5350
Provides counseling, shelter, legal (including court advocacy), and supportive services to victims of domestic violence, rape and sexual assault, stalking, trafficking, and child abuse in New York City. Special programs for youth and young adults and families of homicide victims. Project SAFE provides free lock replacements.

**Public & Supportive Housing Programs**

**HIV/AIDS Service Administration**
(212) 971-0626
People who are HIV+ and meet HASA's medical and financial eligibility requirements may be eligible for housing and financial assistance from HASA. If you are interested in HASA please see a case manager at your medical facility or at an HIV/AIDS service organization.

**Mental Health Housing—Office of Mental Health**
People who experience serious mental illnesses and meet OMH’s mental health requirements may be eligible for supported housing. Homeless people living with serious mental illness may qualify for priority housing. If you are interested in Supported Mental Health Housing, please see a case manager at your medical facility, ask your therapist, or ask a case manager at any mental health support program you attend.

**NYC Housing Authority (NYCHA)**
www.nyc.gov/html/nycha/ (718) 707-7771
Bronx/Manhattan: 478E Fordham Rd. 2nd Fl., Bronx
Brooklyn/S.I.: 787 Atlantic Ave., 2nd Fl., Brooklyn
Queens: 90-27 Sutphin Boulevard, 4th Fl.
Very long wait lists (2+ years). Eligible applicants will be added to waitlist. Must meet the income limits, be a citizen or documented resident, and be over 18. Call to get an application, or visit a Customer Contact Center (Open M-F 8-5).

**Section 8**
New Section 8 applications are not being processed.

**Housing Works: Transgender Transitional Housing Program**
www.housingworks.org/locations/detail/transgender-transitional-housing-program
Brooklyn: 2611 Pitkin Ave.
718-827-8700 x150
Transitional housing for transgender people living with HIV/AIDS who have HASA. The program has 23 scattered-site apartments and residents also participate in Housing Works East Adult Day Health Care programming.

**Support for Homeless People**
Coalition for the Homeless
www.coalitionforthehomeless.org/
Manhattan: 129 Fulton St.
(212) 776-2000
Assistance for people who are homeless or at risk, including: problems at shelters and intake centers; benefits; mailing address; housing; referrals for: shelter, clothing, food, counseling, legal services, recovery and detox, job training, medical and mental health services, domestic violence counseling, immigration services, assistance with IDs, and more. Walk-in M-F before 9 AM for first-come-first-serve basis.

Goddard Riverside Outreach Team
goddard.org/our-programs/homeless-adults/manhattan-outreach-consortium/
(212) 595-3066 and (212) 785-6690
Provides outreach to street-homeless people in NYC residing in specific areas, including the subway system.

Lower East Side Harm Reduction Center
www.leshrc.org/
Manhattan: 25 Allen St. (212) 226-6333
Syringe Exchange, Case Management, Therapy and Psychiatry, Medical, HIV and Hep C Testing, Peer Education, Nutrition, Drop-In Center, Wellness Services, Transgender Advocacy Group, and support groups.

Immigration and Services for

See also Legal Services
Citizenship NOW! At City University of NY
www.cuny.edu/about/resources/citizenship.html
(646) 344-7245
Provides free and confidential immigration law services. Many locations. One-on-One consultations assess participants’ eligibility for legal benefits and assist with applications. Referrals to community, educational, and volunteer opportunities. Tutoring in English and for immigration exam. Not LGBT specific.

Desis Rising Up and Moving (DRUM)
www.drumnation.org/
Queens: 72-18 Roosevelt Ave. (718) 205-3036
Builds leadership in low-income South Asian immigrant communities, particularly of women and youth, undocumented immigrants, and immigrants who are detained, in NYC. Runs several projects including the Immigrant Justice Program, Azaadi Legal Defense Project, Youth Power! and the Queens Drivers License Coalition.

Families for Freedom
www.familiesforfreedom.org/
Manhattan: 35 West 31th St, #702 Hotline: (646) 290-5551 (646) 290-8720
NY-based multi-ethnic defense network by and for immigrants facing and fighting deportation.

HealthRight International
www.healthright.org/
Manhattan: 80 Maiden Lane (212) 226-9890
Assists in applications for asylum based on human rights violations. Experience working with TGNC people.

Immigration Equality
www.immigrationequality.org/
Manhattan: 40 Exchange Place, St. 1705 (212) 714-2904
Free immigration legal services for HIV-affected and LGBT people, including asylum seekers.

Legal-Aid Society
www.legal-aid.org/
Manhattan: 199 Water St. (212) 577-3300
Provides Civil and Criminal legal services to low-income New York residents.
Immigration Law Detention Hotline: (212) 577-3456 Community Law Office: (212) 426-3000 Employment Law Project: (888) 218-6974 Health Law Project: (212) 577-3575 HIV/AIDS Representation Project of the Harlem Homeless Rights Project: (800) 649-9125 Low-Income Taxpayers Clinic: (212) 426-3013 Prisoners Rights Project: (212) 577-3530 or write to Prisoners’ Rights Project / The Legal Aid Society / 199 Water St. / New York, NY 10038

Lorena Borjas Community Fund
lorenaborjasqueens@hotmail.com
Supports low-income LGB and TGNC immigrants to deal with the collateral consequences of arrest, criminal
conviction, jail time and court appearances including the financial burdens, loss of personal property, and the many pressures to accept unfavorable pleas.

**New York Legal Assistance Group**
www.nylag.org/lgbt
Manhattan: 7 Hanover Square, 18th Floor
General, Immigration, and Family: (212) 613-5000
LGBT Law Project: (212) 613-5000 ext. 5107
Offers legal support to low-income New Yorkers: General Legal Support, Immigration Protection Unit, LGBT Law Project, Matrimonial and Family Law, Legal Health, Total Life Choices (wills, proxies, powers of attorney), Special Litigation, Special Education, Financial Counseling, and Holocaust Compensation Assistance.

**Make the Road By Walking**
www.maketheroadny.org/
Brooklyn: 301 Grove St. 
(718) 418-7690
Queens: 92-10 Roosevelt Ave., Jackson Heights
(718) 565-8500
Staten Island: 479 Port Richmond Ave.
(718) 727-1222
Free bilingual English-Spanish legal and supportive services aimed at holistic support; Assistance with Public Benefits, SSD/I, Fair Hearings, Housing, Immigration, Healthcare and insurance access, Civil Rights issues; Community organizing and advocacy.

**NY Immigration Coalition**
www.thenyic.org/
(212) 627-2227
Manhattan: 137-139 West 25th St., 12th Floor
Policy/advocacy work, education, technical assistance, and leadership development to support immigrants in NYS: focus on health, education, immigration, housing and parks, civic participation, and language access. Offers a comprehensive list of low-cost immigration service providers in NY.

**Sylvia Rivera Law Project**
www.srlp.org/
Manhattan: 147 W 24th St, 5th Floor
(212) 337-8550
Provides free legal services to TGNC people of color and low-income TGNC people, call for drop-in hours.

**INTERSEX/DSD RESOURCES**

**Accord Alliance**
www.accordalliance.org/
NJ: 531 Rt 22 East #244, Whitehouse Station, NJ 08889
(908) 349-0534
Provides education and advocacy for people and families affected by DSD (“Disorders of Sexual Development”) or intersex conditions, including support information.

**Intersex Society of North America (ISNA)**
www.isna.org/
ISNA is no longer an active organization, however its website hosts a wealth of information about intersex conditions, both for people who have them and for parents/family/friends.

**Organisation Intersex International (OII) USA**
oiiusa.org
The Organisation Intersex International (OII) is a global advocacy group for people born with bodies which have atypical sexual characteristics. It is the largest intersex support group in the world, with branches on six continents. Provides education, support, and advocacy information.

**LEGAL SERVICES**

**See also Immigration**

**Name Change Assistance**
These orgs can help you file to change your name:

**New York—NYC:** Sylvia Rivera Law Project; Transgender Legal Defense and Education Fund; West Village Name Change Clinic; LGBT Law Project at NYLAG; and the Peter Cicchino Youth Project at the Urban Justice Center.

**New York—Long Island:** The Long Island GLBT Community Center


**New Jersey:** Legal Services of New Jersey;
Procedure available online: www.judiciary.state.nj.us/prose/10551_namechg_adult.pdf
Getting needed documentation for your name change:


**Rap Sheet,** if you have a record. Contact the Legal Action Center at www.lac.org/ or (800) 223-4044. Additional documents might be requested, based on your individual situation. Contact a lawyer if you have any questions.

**Name change in Civil Courts in NYC**
www.nycourts.gov/courts/nyc/civil/
NYC residents may file name change petitions at civil courts in any of the 5 Boroughs. You can go to Manhattan court even if you live in another borough. SRLP has detailed explanations of the process in NYC in English & Spanish at srlp.org/resources/namechange

**Court locations:**
Manhattan: 111 Centre St., Rm. 118, 646-386-5609
Brooklyn: 141 Livingston St., Bronx: 851 Grand Concourse, Queens: 89-17 Sutphin Blvd., Staten Island: 927 Castleton Ave.

**Gender Marker/Sex Designation Changes**
To change your gender marker on your ID (State ID, SS Card, Passport, Birth Certificate, and Benefits card) you will need a letter from a licensed PCP meeting specific requirements. See below, and Callen-Lorde has a guide at callen-lorde.org/Graphics/2013/02/Changing-Gender-Markers-Federal-NY-NJ-CT-Web2.pdf

**Birth Certificates:** Vary by state. Please see:
www.drbecky.com/birthcert.html

**Medicaid:** No official policy exists.
**Passport:** Letter from licensed medical provider. See: www.transequality.org/Resources/passports_2012.pdf

**Social Security:** A letter from surgeon or provider verifying that “sex change surgery was completed.”

**State ID—New York:** Letter from licensed medical provider indicating that one gender predominates

**State ID—New Jersey:** Completed form: www.state.nj.us/mvc/pdf/Licenses/genderchange.pdf

**New York State Vital Records Offices**

Request birth certificates and file requests to change your name or gender marker on your birth certificate for people who were born in NYS.

**Other Legal Services**

**American Civil Liberties Union: LGBT Project**
www.aclu.org/lgbt/
Manhattan: 125 Broad St., 18th Floor
(212) 549-2500

Advocacy, impact litigation, and legal services for LGBT people focusing on: LGBT rights, relationships/marriage, parenting, youth & schools, and TGNC discrimination.

**For assistance regarding discrimination** based on LGBT identity or HIV status go to: www.aclu.org/lgbt/.

- ACLU of New Jersey: www.aclu-nj.org
  www.aclu-nj.org/yourrights/fileacomplaint/
  (973) 642-2084

Gay and Lesbian Rights and Discrimination cases, has experience working with TGNC people.

**New York Civil Liberties Union (NYCLU)**
www.nyculo.org/
www.nyculo.org/content/getting-legal-assistance

Manhattan: 125 Broad St.
Provides legal services, advocacy, and public education to fight for civil rights.

**HIV Law Project**
www.hivlawproject.org/
Manhattan: 15 Maiden Lane, 18th Fl.
(212) 577.3001

Serves HIV+ Bronx and Manhattan residents with housing, immigration, benefits, and healthcare.

**Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund**
www.lambdalegal.org/
Manhattan: 120 Wall St., Ste 1500
(212) 209-8585

Serves LGBT and HIV+ people through impact litigation, education, and public policy work.

**Legal Aid Society**
www.legal-aid.org/
Manhattan: 199 Water St.
(212) 577-3300

Provides Civil and Criminal legal services to low-income New Yorkers. Projects include:
- Community Law Office: (212) 426-3000
- Employment Law Project: (888) 218-6974
- Health Law Project: (212) 577-3575
- HIV/AIDS Representation Project of the Harlem Homeless Rights Project: (800) 649-9125
- Immigration Law Detention Hotline: (212) 577-3456
- Low-Income Taxpayers Clinic: (212) 426-3013

Prisoners Rights Project: (212) 577-3530 or write to Prisoners’ Rights Project / The Legal Aid Society / 199 Water St. / New York, NY 10038

**Legal Services of New Jersey**
www.lsnj.org

Web Intake: https://lsnjlawhotline.org/
(888) 576-5229

Provides legal assistance on civil matter to low-income New Jersey residents. Offers guidance on name changes on the telephone (but does not represent clients for the name change process). Experience with TGNC people.

**LGBT Law Association of Greater New York**
www.le-gal.org/site/
Manhattan: 799 Broadway, #340
(212) 353-9118

Resource center, lawyer assistance program, LGBT Life Planning, Legal Walk-In Clinics on Long Island and in Manhattan, the West Village Trans-Legal Clinic.

**West Village Trans-Legal Clinic: Name Change Project** @ the LGBT Center on the First Monday of each month, assistance for legal name change.

**LGBT Law Project at NY Legal Assistance Group**
www.nylag.org/units/lgbt-law-project/
Manhattan: 7 Hanover Square, 18th Floor
(212) 613-5000 ext. 5107

Free representation regarding: discrimination based on sexual orientation or gender identity; Landlord/Tenant disputes; Legal name and document change; Immigration Issues; Orders of Protection; Public Benefits; Second Parent or Joint Adoption; Relationship dissolution; Custody and Visitation; Will, Health Care Proxy and Living Will Preparation.

**The LOFT—LGBT Community Services Center for the Lower Hudson Valley**
www.loftgaycenter.org/
White Plains: 252 Bryant Ave.
(914) 948-2932

Pro-Bono Name Change Project for TGNC people and Drop-In Legal Clinic for LGBT legal questions.

**Long Island GLBT Community Center**
www.lgbtcenter.org/
Bay Shore, NY: 34 Park Ave.
(631) 665-2300

Long Island Trans Experience (LITE) offers support services for TGNC people, including Name Change Clinic.

**Prisoners’ Legal Services of New York**
www.clsny.org/
Ithaca, NY: 114 Prospect St. Ithaca, NY 14850
Free legal services for NYS prisoners. Submit inquiries via mail.

**Servicemembers Legal Defense Network (SLDN)**
www.sldn.org/
Washington DC: PO Box 65301, Washington DC 20035
(202) 328-3244 or (202) 328-FAIR
Legal services, watchdog, and policy work that supports LGB and TGNC servicemembers and is dedicated to full equality and ending discrimination and harassment based on sexual orientation or gender identity. Free legal services to active service members and veterans.


**Sylvia Rivera Law Project (SRLP)**
www.srlp.org/
Manhattan: 147 W 24th St, 5th Floor
(212) 337-8550
Provides free legal services to TGNC people of color and low-income TGNC people, call for drop-in hours.

Transgender Law and Policy Fund
www.transgenderlaw.org/
Brooklyn: 328 Flatbush Ave., Box 312
Advocates for TGNC people and brings together experts and advocates to work on law and policy initiatives designed to advance transgender equality.

Transgender Legal Defense & Education Fund (TLDEF)
www.transgenderlegal.org/
Manhattan: 151 West 19th St., Suite 1103
(646) 862-9396
Addresses discrimination against TGNC people through impact litigation and advocacy. The Name Change Project provides free legal representation during the name change process.

Urban Justice Center
www.urbanjustice.org/
Manhattan: 123 William St. 16th Floor
(646) 602-5600
Provides direct legal service, advocacy, community education and political organizing to NYC’s most vulnerable residents.

Peter Cicchino Youth Project
www.urbanjustice.org/ujc/projects/peter.html
Free legal services for LGBT young people; drop in clinics at Ali Forney, Streetwork Project, and Hetrick Martin Institute.

Sex Workers Law Project
www.urbanjustice.org/ujc/projects/sex.html
(646) 602-5617
Free legal services for sex workers, former sex workers, and those that are profiled or at risk for engaging in sex work, including victims of human trafficking.

Complaints: Discrimination

Equal Opportunity Employment Commission, NY District Office
www.eeoc.gov/
Manhattan: 33 Whitehall St.
(212) 336-3620; (800) 669-4000 / TTY (800) 669-6820
Call to file complaints regarding employment discrimination under federal law. Intake hours are Monday-Friday, from 9:00am to 3:00 pm.

NYC Commission on Human Rights
www.nyc.gov/html/cchr/
311 or (212) 306-7450
Call to file NYC human rights violations and discrimination complaints. NYC’s Anti-Discrimination law includes protections for people based on gender identity and sexual orientation as well as race, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, marital status, familial status, military status, domestic/intimate partner violence victim status, arrest or conviction record, or genetic characteristics.

NYS Division of Human Rights
www.dhr.ny.gov/
Bronx: One Fordham Plaza, 4th Floor
(718) 741-8400 / TDD: (718) 741-8300
Files NY State discrimination claims based on: race, religion, national origin, sex, age, disability, sexual orientation, marital status, familial status, military status, domestic/intimate partner violence victim status, arrest or conviction record, or genetic characteristics.

Complaints: Lawyers/Attorneys Grievances

NYS Attorney Grievance Committees (by county)
nycourts.gov/ip/attorneygrievance/complaints.shtml
Takes complaints about unethical conduct by attorneys.

Bronx and Manhattan:
Manhattan: 61 Broadway, 2nd Floor
(212) 401-0800
Brooklyn, Queens & Staten Island:
Brooklyn: 335 Adams St., Suite 2400
(718) 923-6300
Dutchess, Orange, Putnam, Rockland and Westchester Counties:
White Plains, NY: 399 Knollwood Road, Suite 200
(914) 824-5070
Nassau and Suffolk Counties:
Hauppauge, NY : 150 Motor Parkway, Suite 102
(631) 231-3775

Complaints: Licensed Providers

NYS Office of Professional Discipline
www.op.nysed.gov/opd/
www.op.nysed.gov/opd/complain.htm
(800) 442-8106 / Fax: (212) 951-6420
File complaints about unethical practice by licensed providers: acupuncturists, massage therapists, therapists, social workers, pharmacists, dentists, dental hygienists, nurses, midwives, occupational therapists, physical therapists, speech-language pathologists, and more. Complaints about (MDs) go to the Office of Professional Medical Conduct.

Office of Professional Medical Conduct
www.health.ny.gov/professionals/doctors/conduct/
Complaints: (800) 663-6114, Main: (518) 402-0836
433 River St., Suite 303, Troy
File complaints about unethical practice by licensed medical providers including: general practitioners, internists, cardiologists, gynecologists, pediatricians, urologists, psychiatrists, surgeons, radiologists, oncologists, anesthesiologists, ophthalmologists, orthopedists, and other specialists.

Complaints: NYPD/POLICE MISCONDUCT

Civilian Complaint Review Board
www.nycourts.gov/html/ccrb/html/contact.html
Manhattan: 40 Rector St., 2nd Floor
(212) 306-7450
Accepts complaints about NYPD misconduct by the mail, phone, or internet.

NYPD—GLBT Liaison Unit
Manhattan: One Police Plaza, Room 308
(646) 610-6017
NYPD Liaison to the LGBT Community.
Mental Health Services

ACKERMAN INSTITUTE FOR THE FAMILY
www.ackerman.org/
Manhattan: 149 East 78th St.
(212) 879-4900
Couples, and family counseling. Gender and Family Project provides groups and family therapy to families with TGNC children and adolescents.

ASSOCIATION OF LESBIAN & GAY AFFIRMATIVE PSYCHO THERAPISTS (ALGAP)
www.algap.org/
(646) 486-3430
Referral service to a small network of LGBT affirmative psychotherapists. Therapists work on sliding scale only.

GAY AND LESBIAN AFFIRMATIVE PSYCHO THERAPY @ ICP
www.glapnyc.org/
Manhattan: 1841 Broadway
(212) 333-3444
LGBT affirmative psychotherapy 1-3 sessions a week.

GATEWAY PROGRAM OF INTEGRATED HEALTH SERVICES FOR LGBT PEOPLE
Westchester County Medical Center
www.westchestermedicalcenter.com/
Valhalla, NY: 100 Woods Rd.
(914) 493-1753
Individual, family, couple, group, and substance abuse treatment specifically for LGBT people. Pre-teens through seniors. Linkages to primary care and specialty health services provided.

HEIGHTS HILL MENTAL HEALTH—LGBT AFFIRMATIVE PSYCHO THERAPY PROGRAM
www.rainbowheights.org/affirmative_program.php
Brooklyn: 25 Flatbush Ave.
(718) 875-1420
Outpatient program with dedicated services for LGBT people living with major mental illness. Psychiatric/psychological assessment; medication management; individual, family, and group therapy; educational groups; and social services.

INSTITUTE FOR PERSONAL GROWTH
www.ipgcounseling.com/
NJ: Jersey City, Highland Park, Freehold
NYC: Chelsea, Union Square, and the Village
(800) 379-9220
Individual, group, couples and family therapy. Specialties in working with LGB and TGNC people, queer and poly relationships, BDSM, kink, and sex therapy.

JEWISH BOARD OF FAMILY AND CHILDREN'S SERVICES—GLBTQ COUNSELING UNIT
www.jbfcso/programs.php?id=273
Manhattan: 135 West 50th St.
(212) 632-4482
Individual, group, couples and family therapy addressing issues relevant to the GLBTQ community such as identity formation, coming out, HIV/AIDS and the impact of homophobia, as well as general mental health problems; Psychiatry and medication management available.

OUR COLLECTIVE MENTAL HEALTH
www.mytherapistnewyork.info/
Manhattan: 817 Broadway
LGBT-affirmative individual, couples, and family therapy. Sliding scale from $40-150.

POST GRADUATE CENTER FOR MENTAL HEALTH: CENTER FOR ADULT PSYCHO THERAPY
www.pgcmh.org/index.html
Manhattan: 71 West 23rd St., 7th Floor
(212) 576-4195
Client-centered outpatient mental health services including therapy, group therapy, psychiatry, and medication management. Experience working with LGBT people. Other Postgraduate sites offer additional services.

RAINBOW HEIGHTS
www.rainbowheights.org/
Brooklyn: 25 Flatbush Ave. 4th Fl.
(718) 852-2584
LGBT-focused psychosocial club and advocacy for adults who experience major mental illness. Psychotherapy, psychiatry, and substance use treatment available through Heights Hills.

ROBERTO CLEMENTE
www.clementecenter.org/
Manhattan: 540 E. 13th St.
(212) 387-7400
Bilingual & bicultural (English-Spanish) outpatient mental health including therapy, psychiatry, social work, and a day treatment program. Not LGBT-specific.

ROCK DOVE COLLECTIVE
www.rockdovecollective.org/
Coordinated network of health practitioners in the NYC area who provide physical, mental, sexual, emotional, social and spiritual care. Many practitioners in network accept mutual aid as payment or offer a sliding scale.

SEXUAL ASSAULT AND VIOLENCE INTERVENTION PROGRAM
Mt. Sinai Hospital
www.mssm.edu/SAVI/
Manhattan: 1468 Madison Ave.
(212) 423-2140
Counseling for survivors of rape, sexual assault, child abuse, domestic violence, and intimate partner violence and support services for friends and families of survivors; Takanot Project, counseling and support services for Orthodox Jewish survivors of sexual assault and domestic violence; Legal advocacy; Education and training; Not LGBT-specific. Emergency Room Advocacy
at: **Manhattan:** Harlem Hospital; Lenox Hill Hospital; Metropolitan Hospital; The Mount Sinai Hospital; **and** Queens: Elmhurst Hospital Center; Queens Hospital Center; The Mount Sinai Hospital of Queens

**St. Lukes Roosevelt—Child and Family Institute**
[cpnyc.org/services/slr_cfi/index.html](http://cpnyc.org/services/slr_cfi/index.html)

Manhattan: 411 W. 114th St.
Manhattan: 1090 Amsterdam Ave.
(212) 523-4885

Outpatient long-term individual, family, and group psychotherapy for young people ages 0-18 with health insurance. Offers DBT (Dialectical Behavioral Therapy) program and a trans-inclusive therapy group for LGBT youth ages 15-18.

**The Staten Island LGBT Center**
[www.silgbtcenter.org/](http://www.silgbtcenter.org/)

Staten Island: 25 Victory Island
(718) 808-1362
Free Individual and Group psychotherapy.

**Peer Mental Health Support Resources**

**The Icarus Project**
[www.theicarusproject.net/](http://www.theicarusproject.net/)

Network of people living with and/or affected by experiences that are diagnosed as psychiatric conditions. Offers a website community, distributes publications on personal mental health care, offers tools, shares skills, creates art, engages in advocacy and activism, enhances community capacity, and offers technical assistance. Local and campus groups in many areas.

**Queer Mental Health**
[www.queermentalhealth.org](http://www.queermentalhealth.org)

Community-based support and resource site for queer people with mental health issues and their partners/family/friends. We welcome anybody including (but by no means limited to) people who are LGB, TGNC, two-spirited, intersex, queer, questioning, and/or allies.

**NYC COLAGE Chapter** – Local group to support TGNC parents in NYC area [www.colage.org/chapters/](http://www.colage.org/chapters/)
- Kids of Trans Guide (for people with a transgender or gender non-conforming parent) – [www.colage.org/resources/kot/](http://www.colage.org/resources/kot/)

**Human Rights Campaign**

Washington, DC: 1640 Rhode Island Ave. N.W.
(800) 777-4723

Advocacy and organizing for LGBT Equal Rights. HRC has a number of resources for TGNC people. Parenting page offers guides on adoption, assisted reproduction, foster parenting, protecting your family, and schools. Not trans specific, but useful information.

**LGBT Collaborative Practice**
[www.lgbtqcollabnyc.org/index.html](http://www.lgbtqcollabnyc.org/index.html)

Helping families separate with dignity. Practice of family lawyers, mental health providers, and financial advisors specializing in working with LGBT couples/families.

**LGBT Community Center: Center Families**
[www.gaycenter.org/families](http://www.gaycenter.org/families)

Manhattan: 208 West 13th St.
(212) 620-7310

**Center Families:** Support groups (TGNC Parenting Group, Parenting Support and Networking, and more); support for family-making processes (insemination, adoption, fostering, cooperative parenting, and more); financial planning; and events for families with young children.

**Marriage Resource Project:** Resources for LGBT marriage in NY.

**LGBT Foster Care Project:** Collaborative project between the Center and ACS to train and support foster care agencies in supporting LGBT young people in foster care, including parent resources on fostering and adoption, and resources for young people in foster care.

**Partnership, Parenting, and Families**

**Acknowledgment Institute for the Family**
[www.ackerman.org/](http://www.ackerman.org/)

Manhattan: 149 East 78th St.
(212) 879-4900

The Gender and Family Project (GFP) provides outpatient clinical services (groups and family therapy) to families with gender nonconforming and transgender children and adolescents.

**Alternatives to Marriage Project**
[www.unmarried.org/](http://www.unmarried.org/)

Seattle, WA: PMB 136, 10002 Aurora Ave N. #36

Advocates for equality and fairness for unmarried people, including those who are single, who choose not to marry, who cannot marry, or who live together before marriage. Provides support and information to constituents, fights discrimination based on marital status, and educates the public about related social and economic issues. Specific support and information or LGBT people, about domestic partnerships, and about parenting.

**COLAGE (People with a Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender or Queer Parent)**
[www.colage.org/](http://www.colage.org/)

San Francisco, CA: 1550 Bryant St., Suite 830
(415) 861-5437

COLAGE is a national movement of children, youth, and adults with one or more lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and/or queer (LGBTQ) parent/s. We build community and work toward social justice through youth empowerment, leadership development, education, and advocacy.

**NYC COLAGE Chapter** – Local group to support LGBTQ parents in NYC area [www.colage.org/chapters/](http://www.colage.org/chapters/)
- Kids of Trans Guide (for people with a transgender or gender non-conforming parent) – [www.colage.org/resources/kot/](http://www.colage.org/resources/kot/)

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NYC-Metro Area Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming (TGNC) Community Resources

(PFLAG)
www.community.pflag.org/
Washington, DC: 1828 L St., NW, Suite 660
(202) 467-8180
Offers support to LGBT people and their families through the coming out process
  • PFLAG Transgender Network (TNet) focuses on support for transgender people and their parents, families, and friends.

Trans Youth Equality Foundation
www.transyouthequality.org/
(207) 478-4087
Provides education, advocacy, and support for TGNC children, youth, and their families. Fact sheets, reading lists, and resources lists for children, youth, and adults.

Transition Youth Family Allies
www.imatyfa.org/index.html
(888) 462-8932
Support for TGNC youth and families. Online message boards, newsletter, educational programs, and support for people working with TGNC youth. Reading lists.

Parenting: Reproductive Services

It’s Conceivable: Directory of LGBTQ-Friendly Fertility Clinics & Hospitals in NYC-Metro Area
LGBT-affirming reproductive services providers in NYC.

California Cryobank
www.cryobank.com/
Manhattan: 369 Lexington Ave, St. 401 (Donors/Clients)
(212) 779-1608
Manhattan: 635 Madison Ave, 10th Fl. (Sperm Storage)
(866) 477-3762
Sperm banking and storage; Anonymous and Identity-Release Donor programs; Andrology services. TGNC experience. Locations in Los Angeles and Palo Alto (CA), Cambridge (MA), Las Vegas (NV), and Norwalk (CT).

Callen-Lorde Community Health Center Alternative Insemination Clinic
www.callen-lorde.org/
Manhattan: 356 W. 18th St.
(212) 271-7200
Transgender Sexual Health Clinic, including routine trans-sensitive gyn services, screenings, and alternative insemination program.

The Doula Project
www.doulaproject.org/
New York City
Provides free emotional, physical, and informational support to people across the spectrum of pregnancy. Offers low-cost birth doula services to pregnant people, works with an adoption center to provide doula services for birth mothers, and works with abortion clinics to provide doula services for those seeking abortions.

Idant Technology
www.idant.com/
Manhattan: 350 5th Avenue, Suite 7120
(212) 330-8500
Sperm banking and storage; Anonymous Donor program; Andrology services.

LGBT Community Center: Center Families
www.gaycenter.org/families
Manhattan: 208 West 13th St.
(212) 620-7310
Center Families: Support groups (TGNC Parenting Group, Parenting Support and Networking, and more); support for family-making processes (insemination, adoption, fostering,); financial planning; and events for families with young children.

New Jersey Fertility Center
www.gayivf.com/index.cfm
Locations in MA, RI, and NH
(800) 858-4832
Donor sperm and egg programs, surrogacy program, IVF, infertility, sperm and egg freezing.

Reproductive Science Center of New England
www.gayivf.com/index.cfm
Locations in MA, RI, and NH
(800) 858-4832
Donor sperm and egg programs, surrogacy program, IVF, infertility, sperm and egg freezing.

Sperm Bank of California
www.thespermbankofca.org/
Berkeley, CA: 2115 Milvia Street Ste 201
(510) 841-1858
Sperm banking and storage; Anonymous and Identity-Release Donor programs; Andrology services.

First-Person Narratives and Other Resources

Art of Transliness: artoftransliness.tumblr.com/post/8453321600/egg-retrieval-and-ivf-for-trans-guys
Baby Steps: transgenderbabysteps.blogspot.com/
Gender Centre: The Baby Game—How to Make Babies in a Transgender Relationship:
gendercentre.org.au/84article8.htm
HipMama: hipmamazine.com/hip_mama_zine/Home.html (very queer & trans friendly)
LGBTQ Family Connection (Canada): www.lgbtqparentingconnection.ca/
Milk Junkies (breastfeeding): www.milkjunkies.net/
Musings of a (soon-to-be) Transgender Father: transfather.blogspot.com/
Radical Doula: radicaldoula.com/
Rainbow Health Ontario—Reproductive Options for Trans People: www.rainbowhealthontario.ca/admin/contentEngine/contentDocuments/Reproductive_Options_for_Trans_People_final.pdf
Transparent: www.transparentthemovie.com/
TS Roadmap: Reproductive Options for Trans Women:
NYC-Metro Area Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming (TGNC) Community Resources

www.tsroadmap.com/physical/storage.html

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**PRISON & REENTRY SERVICES**

**Fortune Society**  
www.fortunesociety.org/  
Queens: 29-76 Northern Boulevard, Long Island City  
(212) 691-7554  
Holistic, one-stop services: Alternatives to Incarceration, drop-in, employment, education, family, health, housing, substance abuse treatment, reentry/transitional services, recreation, and lifetime aftercare.  
**Walk-in Hours are from 8:00am-4:00pm, M-F**


**Trans in Prison Newsletter**  
www.gicofcolo.org/tip.aspx  
HOTLINE: (303) 586-1452  
Published to support TGNC people who are incarcerated. Free to all prisoners who request it. $25 subscription for people who are not currently incarcerated.

**Welcome Home: A Resource Guide for Reentrants and their Families**  
www.realcostofprisons.org/materials/welcome-home.pdf  
Harlem Community Justice Center  
Manhattan: 170 East 121st St.  
(212) 360-4131  
NYC referrals to support people after incarceration.

**Hearts on a Wire Collective**  
heartsongaware@gmail.com  
Philadelphia, PA: PO Box 36831; Philadelphia, PA 19107  
Produces quarterly newsletter for transgender and intersex people incarcerated in Pennsylvania, with contributions by trans & gender variant people who are currently or formerly incarcerated, as well as supportive community members.

- This is a Prison, Glitter is Not Allowed: Experiences of Trans and Gender Variant People in Pennsylvania’s Prison System:  
  [www.scribd.com/doc/56677078/This-is-a-Prison-Glitter-is-Not-Allowed](www.scribd.com/doc/56677078/This-is-a-Prison-Glitter-is-Not-Allowed)

**New York Public Library**  
Correctional Services Program  
[www.nypl.org/help/community-outreach/correctional-services-program](www.nypl.org/help/community-outreach/correctional-services-program)  
Provides books to people who are currently incarcerated in NY and community resources and referrals.

- Connections: A Guide for Formerly Incarcerated People to Information Sources in NYC and The Job Search:  

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**Sylvia Rivera Law Project**  
Prisoner Advisory Committee (PAC)  
www.srlp.org/  
Manhattan: 147 W 24th St, 5th Floor  
(212) 337-8550  
Provides free legal services to TGNC people of color and low-income TGNC people, call for drop-in hours. Prisoner Advisory Committee made of TGNC people and allies who are currently incarcerated. Works on changing policies, building community, and sharing information and strategies. Produces a newsletter, In Solidarity.

- It’s War In Here: A Report on the Treatment of Transgender and Intersex People in New York State Men’s Prisons:  

**Prison Writing Program**  
Pen American Center  
[www.pen.org/prison-writing](www.pen.org/prison-writing)  
Handbook to assist writers in developing skills, writing workshops, and assists in getting writing published. Runs an annual Prison Writing competition.

- Handbook for Writers in Prison:  
  [www.pen.org/order-handbook-writers-prison](www.pen.org/order-handbook-writers-prison)

**Women’s Prison Association**  
[www.wpaonline.org/](www.wpaonline.org/)  
Manhattan: 110 Second Avenue  
(646) 292-7740  
Provides women with holistic services and advocacy after release from prison/jail. Some experience working with TGNC people. Offers Residential and Family Services, Reentry Services, and Neighborhood-Based Services in East New York.

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**RELIgIOUS ORGANIZATIONS AND**

**TransFaith Online**  
[www.transfaithonline.org/](www.transfaithonline.org/)  
Interfaith online support for TGNC people.

**Human Rights Campaign**  
[www.hrc.org/](www.hrc.org/)  
Washington, DC: 1640 Rhode Island Ave. NW  
(800) 777-7777  
Advocacy and organizing for LGBT Equal Rights. HRC has a number of resources for TGNC people.

- Religion and Faith –  
  [www.hrc.org/resources/entry/living-openly-in-your-place-of-worship](www.hrc.org/resources/entry/living-openly-in-your-place-of-worship)

**Buddhist: Int’l Transgender Buddhist Sangha**  
[www.transgenderandbuddhism.socialgo.com/](www.transgenderandbuddhism.socialgo.com/)  
International network to support transgender Buddhists.

**Christian: Institute for Welcoming Resources**  
[www.welcomingresources.org/](www.welcomingresources.org/)
Searchable map of Christian congregations that welcome LGBTQ people, supportive organizations, educational resources for individuals and congregations, and more.

**Christian: Judson Memorial Church**
www.judson.org/
Manhattan: 55 Washington Square South
(212) 477-0351
A sanctuary for progressive activism, artistic expression, and spiritual nurture that welcomes all LGBT people to participate fully in the life and ministry of the church.

**Christian: Metropolitan Community Church of NY**
mccny.org/
Manhattan: 446 West 36th St.
(212) 629-7440
A spiritual home for the LGBT community, open to all. GenderPeople transgender support group.

**Christian: Unity Fellowship Movement**
www.unityfellowshipchurch.org/
Brooklyn: 2578 Atlantic Ave
(718) 385-2406
Welcoming and liberationist congregation, around gender, sexuality, and race. Many locations in the US.

**Jewish: Eshel**
www.eshelonline.org/
Builds community for traditional, Orthodox, and frum LGBT Jews. Develops community programming including a Shabbaton, educational initiatives, and a resource library of welcoming resources for individuals & Rabbis.

**Jewish: Institute of Judaism and Sexual Orientation**
www.huc.edu/ijso/
Directory of LGBT and Welcoming synagogues, Jewish LGBT organizations, educational resources, and research.

**Jewish: Congregation Beit Simchat Torah**
www.cbst.org/
Manhattan: 57 Bethune St.
(212) 929-9498
Synagogue serving LGBTQ community of NYC since 1973. Has an active Trans Empowerment Committee.

**Jewish: Kolot Chayeinu**
www.kolotchayeinu.org/
Brooklyn: 1012 Eighth Ave. (at Church of Gethsemane)
(718) 390-7493
Independent synagogue with a diverse community including varying sexual orientations, gender identities, races, family arrangements, and Jewish identities and backgrounds.

**Muslim: Muslims for Progressive Values**
www.mpvusa.org/

**Muslim and Hindi: The Queer East**
www.queereast.org/resources.html
Resources for LGB and TGNC people of Asian descent, including Hindi and Muslim resources.

**Radical Faeries**
www.radfae.org/
Spiritually and politically radical queer communities. Links to information about regional Radical Faerie activities and individual Faerie websites.

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**12 Step Resources**
The Long Island LGBT Center, Staten Island LGBT Center, and The Loft have 12 Step Recovery groups.

**Trans Network AA:** TransAA@nyc@gmail.com

**Queer & Sober:** nycqueerandsober.org/

**LGBT Center:** www.gaycenter.org/groups/12step

**NYC LGBT AA Listings:** www.royy.com

**NYC Young People AA:** www.nycypaa.org/

**NYC/NYS 12 Step Listings:**
www.nyintergroup.org/

**Agnostic AA Meetings:**
www.agnosticaanyc.org/

**Alcoholics Anonymous:** (212) 647-1680

**NYC Al-Anon:**
www.nycalanon.org/

**Al-Anon:** (212) 941-0094

**Crystal Meth Anonymous NY:**
www.nycma.org/

**Crystal Meth Anonymous:**
(212) 642-5029

**Sexual Compulsives Anonymous:**
www.sca-recovery.org/ and (212) 439-1123

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**Harm Reduction and Syringe Exchange**

**Frost'D**
www.frostd.org
Manhattan: 290 Lenox Ave. Basement Fl.
(212) 924-3733
Syringe exchange, HIV and Hep C testing, psychotherapy for people living with HIV, Harm Reduction Planning and Overdose Prevention.

**Harm Reduction Coalition**
www.harmreduction.org/

**Oakland, CA:**
1440 Broadway, Suite 510
(510) 444-6969
Overdose prevention; training, leadership development; and advocacy to support the health and dignity of individuals and communities affected by drug use.

**Lower East Side Harm Reduction Center**
www.leshrc.org/
Manhattan: 25 Allen St.
(212) 226-6333
Syringe Exchange, Case Management, Therapy and Psychiatry, Medical, HIV and Hep C Testing, Peer Education, Nutrition, Drop-In Center, Wellness Services, Transgender Advocacy Group, and support groups.

**Positive Health Project at Housing Works**
www.housingworks.org/heal/
Manhattan: 301 West 37th St., 2nd Floor
(212) 465-8304
Support groups, Case Management, Crisis Intervention,
and Syringe Exchange.

**Detox and Residential (Inpatient)**

**Addictions Institute**  
www.addictioninstituteny.org/  
Manhattan: 1000 Tenth Ave.  
(212) 523-8373  
Experience working with TGNC people. Medicaid, Medicare, and many private plans.

**Arms Acres**  
www.armsacres.com/index.html  
In– and Out-Patient recovery services. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, and many private plans. Some experience working with the LGBT community.

**Brick Dragon**  
Bronx Psychiatric Center  
www.oasas.ny.gov/atc/bronx/index.cfm  
Bronx: Building #13, 1500 Waters Pl.  
(718) 904-0026 x323  

**Brattleboro Retreat, Mental Health and Addiction Care**  
www.brattlebororetreat.org/  
Brattleboro, VT: 75 Linden St,  
(802) 258-3700  
Offers LGBT specific unit, gender neutral bathrooms. Accepts Medicare, Private Insurances.

**Palladia, Inc.—Starhill**  
www.palladainc.org/  
Bronx: 1600 Macombs Rd.  
(718) 299-3300  
Must be NYC resident to be eligible for services. Has some experience offering services to TGNC people.

**Pride Institute**  
www.pride-institute.com/  
Locations in Minnesota and Florida  
(800) 547-7433  
Treats sex addiction. Access to concurrent groups focusing on LGBT DV, anger management and seniors. Some experience with transgender people.

**Day Programs (Outpatient)**

**Addictions Institute**  
www.addictioninstituteny.org/  
Manhattan: 1000 Tenth Avenue  
(212) 523-8373  
Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, and many private plans. Experienced working with TGNC people. Crystal Clear Methadone Maintenance program.

**Center CARE @ the LGBT Community Center**  
www.gaycenter.org/health/recovery  
Manhattan: 208 West 13th St.  
(212) 620-7310  
Center CARE Recovery Intensive Outpatient Substance Abuse Program (OASAS Certified).

**Gateway Program of Integrated Health Services for LGBT People**  
Westchester County Medical Center  
www.westchestermedicalcenter.com/  
Valhalla, NY: 100 Woods Rd.  
(914) 493-1753  
Provides individual, family, couple, group, and substance abuse treatment specifically for LGBT people. Pre-teens through seniors. Linkages to primary care and specialty health services provided.

**Greenwich House**  
www.greenwichhouse.org/  
Manhattan: 122 West 27th St., 6th Fl.  
(212) 691-2900  
Alcohol and Substance Abuse Treatment, Methadone Maintenance. Medicaid, ADAP on limited basis.

**Realization Center**  
realizationcenternyc.com/  
Manhattan: 19 Union Square West  
(212) 627-9600  
Broad range of specialized programs including ones for people who are dually diagnosed with serious mental illness, a sexual addiction program, a program for LGBT people, and for people who are using crystal meth.

**Surgery Scholarships**

**CK Life**  
cklife.org/  
(347) 881-7005  
Bronx: 1057 Ogden Avenue  
Offers scholarships for gender-confirming surgeries, runs a transgender support group & the CK Life Trans Clinic.  
*Those receiving NYS insurance will not be eligible*

**Jim Collins Foundation**  
jimcollinsfoundation.org/  
North Branford, CT: P.O. Box 1002  
Offers scholarships for gender-confirming procedures.

**Vocal Coaching**

**Christie Block**  
www.transgendersvoice.net/  
Manhattan: 65 Broadway, Suite 901  
(347) 677-3619  
Transgender Voice Training and Speech Therapy for people of all genders. Provides low-cost workshops and individual sessions.

**Norma Garbo**  
mikemusc.wix.com/normagarbo  
Manhattan: 830 Broadway  
(212) 475-2233  
Classes and DVD on voice feminizing as well as voice coaching. Rooted in performance techniques.
Rhonda K. Rulnik, MA, CCC-SLP  
Voorhees, NJ: 15 Hopkins Street  
(856) 309-7110  
Adult and adolescent speech/voice therapy.

**Voice Care Center**  
Westchester Institute for Human Development  
Valhalla, NY: Cedarwood Hall  
(914) 493-7294  
Voice assessment laboratory, as well as providing assessment and treatment of voice disorders for children and adults. Offers TGNC voice training.

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**For Providers and Professionals**

**Resources**

**TransLine**  
project-health.org/transline/  
Free transgender medical consultation service with up-to-date clinical information and individualized case consultation across a broad range of clinical TGNC issues.

**10 Tips for Improving Services for TGNC People**  
transline.zendesk.com/entries/21714001-10-tips-for-providers  
Cultural competency guide for working with TGNC people in clinical settings.

**How to Support Trans Clients**  
Cultural competency guide for working with TGNC people in varied settings, including mental health and social services.

**Professional Associations**

**Endocrine Society**  
Devoted to research on hormones and the clinical practice of endocrinology.

- Endocrine Treatment of Transsexual Persons:  
  www.endo-society.org/guidelines/final/upload/Endocrine-Treatment-of-Transsexual-People.pdf

**Gay & Lesbian Medical Association**  
www.glma.org  
Largest association of LGBT health care professionals. Support for providers and a provider search to assist in finding LGBT-affirmative care.

**World Professional Association of Transgender Health (WPATH)**  
www.wpath.org/  
Promotes evidence based care, education, research, advocacy, public policy and respect in transgender health.

- WPATH Standards of Care Version 7:  
  www.thisishow.org/Files/soc7.pdf

**Provider Networks**

**Gender Variant Youth and Family Network NYC**  
GenFamNYC@gmail.com  
Network of providers in NYC seeking to increase awareness of available local resources for gender variant youth and their families.

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**Reading List: Memoirs and Personal Writing**

The Queer Zine Archive Project has many, many writings by TGNC and queer people. [qzap.org](http://qzap.org/)

- A Queer and Pleasant Danger, Hello Cruel World: 101 Alternatives to Suicide for Teens, Freaks, and Other Outlaws, My Gender Workbook, & Gender Outlaw—by Kate Bornstein
- Both Sides Now: One Man’s Journey through Womanhood—by Dhillon Khosla
- Butch is a Noun—by S. Bear Bergman
- Exile and Pride: Disability, Queerness and Liberation—by Eli Clare
- From the Inside Out: Radical Gender Transformation, FTM and Beyond—by Morty Diamond
- GenderQueer: Voices from Beyond the Sexual Binary—Edited by Joan Nestle, Riki Wilchins, and Clare Howell.
- I Rise—by Toni Newman
- Just Add Hormones: An Insider’s Guide to the Transsexual Experience—by Matt Kailey
- Kicked Out—Edited by Sassafras Lowrey
- Mark 947: A Life Shaped by God, Gender, and Force of Will—by Calbernia Addams
- Nobody Passes: Rejecting the Rules of Gender Conformity, Why Are Faggots So Afraid of Faggots, and That’s Revolting! Queer Strategies for Resisting Assimilation—by Mattilda Bernstein Sycamore
- Persistence: All Ways Butch and Femme and many other works—by Ivan Coyote
- Seasonal Velocities—by Ryka Aoki
- She’s Not There—by Jennifer Finney Boylan.
- Tango: My Childhood, Backwards and in High Heels—by Justin Vivian Bond
- The Testosterone Files—by Max Valerio Wolf
- The Transgender Child: A Handbook for Families and Professionals—by Stephanie Brill and Rachel Pepper
- Teeny Weenies & Other Short Subjects—by Matt Kailey
- Through the Door of Life: A Jewish Journey Between Genders—by Joy Ladin.
- Transfeminist Perspectives—by Anne Enke
- Trans Forming Families: Real Stories About Transgendered Loved Ones—by M. Boenke.
- Transgender History—by Susan Stryker
- Transgender Rights—by Paisley Currah
- Transgender Voices: Beyond Women and Men and Becoming a Visible Man—by Jamison Green.
- Transition and Beyond: Observations on Gender Identity—by Redi Vanderburgh
- Transposes—by Dylan Edwards
- Whipping Girl: A Transsexual Woman on Sexism and the Scapegoating of Femininity—by Julia Serrano
E-MAIL GROUPS

E-mail Groups (Listserves)
- Aging Listserves (ElderTG and TAN Professionals): forge-forward.org/aging/listservs/
- Dina List (Transgender Orthodox Jews): starways.net/beth/dina.html
- Facial Feminization Surgery Support: groups.yahoo.com/group/FFS-support
- FTM Phalloplasty Info: groups.yahoo.com/group/ftmhalloplastyinfo
- FTM Surgery Financial Planning: groups.yahoo.com/group/Finances_SurgeryFTM
- FTM Surgery Info: groups.yahoo.com/group/ftmsurgeryinfo
- FTM Medoidioplasty: groups.yahoo.com/ftmmetoidioplasty
- Genderqueer and Transgender Parenting: groups.yahoo.com/group/GQTGParenting/
- Long Island Transgender Community Forum: groups.yahoo.com/group/StonyBrookTransSolidarityProject/
- MTF Surgery Info: groups.yahoo.com/group/MTF-SRS-FTM
- Phalloplasty Info: groups.yahoo.com/group/Phalloplastyinfo/
- Re/De/Untransitioning: groups.yahoo.com/group/nogoingback
- The Art of Tucking: groups.yahoo.com/group/theartoftucking
- The Deciding Line (FTM Lower Surgeries): groups.yahoo.com/TheDecidingline
- Trans Couples (MTF/FTM couples): groups.yahoo.com/group/Transcouplesmtfftm
- Trans Muslims: groups.yahoo.com/group/TransMuslims/
- Trans Sobriety: groups.yahoo.com/group/Transsobriety
- Transgender Vets: groups.yahoo.com/group/TSVets
- TransSistahs-TransBrothas: groups.yahoo.com/group/Transsistahs-Transbrothas
- TSParenting: groups.yahoo.com/group/TSParenting
- Voice TS Group: groups.yahoo.com/group/voicets

TGNC AND TGNC-SUPPORTIVE CONFERENCES
- Black Transmen Advocacy Conference (Dallas, TX): retreat.blacktransmen.org/index.html
- Butch Voices (Site Changes): butchvoices.com/
- Chicago’s Be-All (Chicago, IL): be-all.org/
- Colorado Gold Rush (Denver, CO): gicofcolo.org/
- Creating Change: creatingchange.org/
- Diva Las Vegas (Las Vegas, NV): geekbabe.com/dlv/
- Empire Conference (Albany, NY): transeventsusa.org/empire/
- Espirit (Port Angeles, WA): espritconf.com/
- Fantasia Fair (Provincetown, MA): fantasifaic.org/
- Femme Conference (Site Varies): femme2012.com/
- First Event (Boston, MA): tcne.org/
- Gender Odyssey (Seattle, WA): genderodyssey.org/
- Gender Spectrum Family Conference (Seattle, WA): genderspectrum.org/
- Just You Week (Las Vegas, NV): crossdresslasvegas.com/
- Nolose (Site Varies): www.nolose.org/
- Southern Comfort Conference (Atlanta, GA): sccatl.org/
- The Keystone Conference (Harrisburg, PA): transcentralpa.org/keystone.htm
- Trans Ohio Transgender & Ally Symposium (Columbus, OH): transohio.wordpress.com/
- Trans Youth Summit (Boston, MA): masstpc.org/events/tys/
- Transcending Boundaries (Springfield, MA): transcendingboundaries.org/
- Transgender Leadership Summit (Los Angeles, CA): transgenderlawcenter.org/
- Transgender Lives: The Intersection of Health & Law Conference (Farmington, CT): transadvocacy.org/
- Transgender Religious Leaders Summit (Berkeley, CA): www.clgs.org/transgender-roundtable
- Translating Identity Conference (Burlington, VT): uvm.edu/~tic/
Web Resources

TGNC Identities and Transitioning
- Big Brothers Binders Program: thetransition-almale.com/BBUB.html
- Coming Out As a Transgender Person: A Workbook: tinyurl.com/MCCComeOutWkbk
- FTM at Underworks: ftm.underworks.com/
- FTMInternational: ftmi.org/
- Genderqueer Identities: genderqueerid.com/
- Hudson’s FTM Guide: ftmguide.org/
- Laura’s Playground: lauraspiazza.com/
- Love Your Body!: transequality.org/PDFs/HealthFacts.pdf
- Lynn’s Place: tglynnspplace.com/
- Mazzoni Center Resources: mazzonicenter.org/resources
- Medical Therapy and Health Maintenance for Transgender Men: nickgorton.org/
- Peecock Products: peecockproducts.com/
- Silly Trans Woman (Transition-related Information and news): sillytranswoman.blogspot.com/
- Susan’s Place: susans.org/
- TG Forum: tforum.com/
- The Transgender Housing Network: transhousingnetwork.com/
- The Transitional Male: thetransitionalmale.com/
- Transguys: transguys.com/
- Trans-Health: trans-health.com/
- Transsexual Roadmap: tsroadmap.com/index.html
- T-VOX: t-vox.org/
- VCH Trans Health Library: transhealth.vch.ca/resources/library/

Surgeon Guides
- Transbucket: transbucket.com/
- T-Vox Surgeons List: t-vox.org/index.php?title=Surgeons
- TG Surgeons List: https://docs.google.com/spreadsheet/ccc?key=0ArDG_ya3geyHEZcmJTD3NoajNFMUd5V0puUzFLelE&usp=sharing

Sexual Health & Health Education
- Book of Choices—Resources for pregnancy and abortion in NY: www.prochoiceny.org/boc/
- Emergency: Planning for Unplanned Health Care: griefsucks.wordpress.com/resources/emergency/
- Fucking Transwomen (Sexual Health Guide By and For Transwomen): www.fuckingtranswomen.com/
- Go Ask Alice!: www.goaskalice.columbia.edu/
- Safer Sex Post SRS—Positively Aware: www.positivelyaware.com/2008/08_04/safer_sex.html
- Scarleteen: Sex Education for the Real World: www.scarleteen.com/
- TM4M—Resources for Transmen Who Play with Men: www.apiwellness.org/tm4m.html
- The Trans Women’s Anti-Violence Project: transfeminism.tumblr.com/

Community, Arts/Culture, and News
- Bodies Like Ours: www.bodieslikeours.org/forums/
- BKLYN Boihood: www.bklynboihood.com/
- Brown Boi Project: www.brownboiproject.org/
- CT Trans Advocacy Coalition: www.transadvocacy.org/?p=17
- FlyRights—TSA Complaint Phone Application: www.fly-rights.org/
- Global Action for Transgender Equality: www.transactivists.org/
- National Resource Center on LGBT Aging: www.lgbtagingcenter.org/
- No lose: www.nolose.org/
- Original Plumbing: www.originalplumbing.com/
- PrettyQueer: www.prettyqueer.com/
- Queer Commons: www.thequeercommons.org/
- Quorum Forum: www.quorumnyc.org/
- The Stud Magazine: www.thestudmagazine.com/
- We Happy Trans: wehappytrans.com/

Finding a Provider Near You

Rad Remedy
Search TGNC-friendly providers based on location https://www.radremedy.org/

MyTransHealth
Search TGNC-friendly providers based on location http://mytranshealth.com/