LGBTQIA+ Community Resources

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COMMUNITY CENTER - South Coast LGBTQ+ Network - The South Coast LGBTQ+ Network is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to create and support a thriving LGBTQ+ community on Massachusetts' South Coast where individuals across the age spectrum can freely, safely, and joyously celebrate their true selves and realize their full potential. 774-775-2656 https://www.sclgbtqnetwork.org/

Umass Dartmouth LGBTQIA+ Resources - Whether you are out, coming out, in-between, questioning, or exploring your gender identity, we have professional staff able to help you. https://www.umassd.edu/cwgs/lgbtqia-resources

The Trevor Project - reach out to a counselor if you're struggling, find answers and information, and get the tools you need to help someone else https://www.thetrevorproject.org/

PFLAG Cape Cod - Providing Support, Education & Advocacy to Parents, Families, Friends, Allies & Members of the LGBTQ+ Community https://www.pflagcapecod.org/

Youth Pride RI - Youth Pride, Inc. is dedicated to meeting the unique needs of youth and young adults impacted by sexual orientation and gender identity/expression while working to end the homophobic and transphobic environments in which they live, work and play. Youth Pride Inc. is the only nonprofit in Rhode Island specifically dedicated to meet the needs of LGBTQIA+ Youth 23 and under. https://www.youthprideri.org/

SAYFTEE - a socially conscious group practice offering a range of services including family therapy, individual therapy, couple/relationship therapy, groups, workshops, training, consultation, and supervision. We are committed to serving gender expansive and LGBTQI+ people and those who love them. https://www.sayftee.com/

Gender Spectrum - a national organization committed to the health and well-being of gender-diverse children and teens through education and support for families, and training and guidance for educators, medical and mental health providers, and other professionals. https://genderspectrum.org/

Family Acceptance Project - Key information from our research on how families can help support their lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBTQ) children. These family education booklets have been designated as "Best Practice" resources for suicide prevention for LGBTQ people by the Best Practices Registry for Suicide Prevention. Booklets are available in English, Spanish, & Chinese. https://familyproject.sfsu.edu/publications

Massachusetts Transgender Political Coalition - information about legislation, publications, guides for name changes, and more resources https://www.masstpc.org/

BAGLY: The Boston Alliance of Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Youth - a youth-led, adult-supported social support organization, committed to social justice and creating, sustaining, and advocating for programs, policies, and services for the LGBTQ+ youth community. https://www.bagly.org/what-we-are

Out Metrowest - free programs connect LGBTQ+ youth with supportive peers and LGBTQ+ adult role models. https://outmetrowest.org/

Trans Youth Equality Foundation - provides education, advocacy and support for transgender and gender non-conforming children and youth and their families. Our mission is to share information about the unique needs of this community, partnering with families, educators, and service providers to help foster a healthy, caring, and safe environment for all transgender children. http://www.transyouthequality.org/

Trans Lifeline - a grassroots hotline and microgrants 501(c)(3) non-profit organization offering direct emotional and financial support to trans people in crisis – for the trans community, by the trans community. https://translifeline.org/about/

Fenway Health - At Fenway Health, we are committed to improving the health and wellbeing of trans and gender diverse communities. The Trans Health Program offers a number of supports and services to our trans and gender diverse community members. We currently host a variety of support groups for trans and gender diverse people and their loved ones. https://fenwayhealth.org/care/medical/transgender-health/

Boston Children's Hospital Center for Gender Surgery - offers gender affirmation surgery services to eligible adolescents and young adults who are ready to take this step in their journey. https://www.childrenshospital.org/programs/center-gender-surgery-program

Transhealth Northampton - offers a variety of services & educational resources to empower trans and gender-diverse adults, children, and families. https://transhealth.org/resources/