

Lesbian and Bisexual Women's Health Website Links

The Basics, Demographics, and The Joint Commission

Organization	Article Title/ Topic Area	Website Link
The Joint Commission	Revisiting Your Hospital's Visitation Policy	Inclusive Visitation Requirements
	Advancing Effective Communication, Cultural Competence, and Patient and Family-Centered Care for the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender (LGBT) Community: A Field Guide (2011)	http://www.jointcommission.org/assets/1/18/LGBTFieldGuide_WEB_LINKED_VER.pdf
The Williams Institute	How many people are lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender?	How Many People Are Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender?



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Center for Disease Control (CDC)	"Sexual Behavior, Sexual Attraction, and Sexual Identity in the United States: Data From the 2006–2008 National Survey of Family Growth"	http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nhsr/nhsr036.pdf
Healthcare		
The National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI)	Primary Care for Lesbians and Bisexual Women	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/16883925
	Health Care Access Among Individuals Involved in Same-Sex Relationships	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/16670230
	"Regular health care use by lesbians: a path analysis of predictive factors."	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/16799166



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NCBI	Disparities in Health Insurance Coverage, Access, and Outcomes for Individuals in Same-Sex Versus Different-Sex Relationships, 2000–2007.	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/20075319
Lambda Legal	When Healthcare Isn't Caring: Lambda Legal's Survey of Discrimination Against LGBT People and People with HIV (2010)	www.lambdalegal.org/health-care-report
Science Direct	Correlates of underutilization of gynecological cancer screening among lesbian and heterosexual women	http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0091743503002391



Health and Medicine Publications

GENERAL

<u>Organization</u>	<u>Article Title/ Topic Area</u>	<u>Website Link</u>
Institute of Medicine (IOM)	The Health of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender People	IOM 2011 Report
	Collecting Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Data in Electronic Health Records	2012 IOM Report: Collecting SOGI Data in HER
National LGBT Health Education Center	LGBT Health Education Center Website	Website Homepage
UCSF Center of Excellence for Transgender Health	Guidelines for the Primary and Gender-Affirming Care of Transgender and Gender Nonbinary People	http://transhealth.ucsf.edu/trans?page=protocol-intake



Organization	Article Title/ Topic Area	Website Link
The Fenway Institute	Do Ask Do Tell: A Toolkit for Collecting Data on Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity in Clinical Settings	http://doaskdotell.org
MENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH		
NCBI	Prevalence of Mental Disorders, Psychological Distress, and Mental Health Services Use Among Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Adults in the United States	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4197971/
NCBI	Prejudice, social stress, and mental health in lesbian, gay, and bisexual populations: Conceptual issues and research evidence	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC2072932/

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NCBI	A Population-Based Study of Sexual Orientation Identity and Gender Differences in Adult Health. Conron, Mimiaga, & Landers. American Journal of Public Health: October 2010, Vol. 100, No. 10, pp. 1953-1960.	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/20516373
	Age and racial/ethnic differences in drinking and drinking-related problems in a community sample of lesbians.	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/16736078
American Journal of Public Health	"Overweight and obesity in sexual-minority women: evidence from population-based data	http://ajph.aphapublications.org/cgi/reprint/97/6/1134
Metapress	"Overweight and obesity in lesbian and bisexual college women."	Overweight and obesity in lesbian and bisexual college women
Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Public Health	A Health Profile of Massachusetts Adults by Sexual Orientation Identity: Results from the 2001-2006 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveys	Health Profile of MA Adults by Sexual Orientation Identity



HEALTH DISPARITIES		
Organization	Article Title/Topic Area	Website Link
NCBI	Lesbians' sexual history with men: implications for taking a sexual history	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/10597764
	Sexually transmitted infections in women who have sex with women	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/15170014
NCBI	Cardiovascular disease risk in lesbian women	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/13678808
NCBI	Sexual and Gender Minority Health: What We Know and What Needs to Be Done	http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC2377288/
PARENTING, PREGNANCY, AND CHILDBIRTH		
The Williams Institute	Adoption and foster care by gay and lesbian parents in the United States	http://williamsinstitute.law.ucla.edu/wp-content/uploads/Gates-CV.pdf



Healthcare Equality Index and Patient Care Related Resources

Organization	Article Title/Topic Area	Website Link
Human Rights Campaign	HEI 2016 Resource Guide	http://www.hrc.org/hei
	Publicizing Patient Non-discrimination and Equal Visitation Policies	Nondiscrimination Policies
	Equal Visitation Policies	HEI Equal Visitation
	Employment Non-discrimination	HEI employment non-discrimination
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Human Rights Campaign	Training in LGBT Patient-Centered Care	HEI Training
	Core Four Resources for VHA Facilities	HEI Core Four
Gay Lesbian Medical Association	Handbook for Health Professionals	Guidelines For Care of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Patients
Fenway		Improving the Health Care of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender People: Understanding and Eliminating Health Disparities 2012

