

WEBSITE RESOURCES

PUBLICATION	PUBLICATION OVERVIEW
Updated - 2020	
Title: Understanding LGBTQ Health Issues	The American Medical Association provides information on policy issues, healthcare status, and upcoming webinars related to LGBTQ health.
Link: https://www.ama-assn.org/delivering-care/population-care/understanding-lgbtq-health-issues	
Title: National Alliance on Mental Illness	This website provides information for LGBTQ who have experienced discrimination, prejudice, denial of human rights, harassment, and rejection. These experiences can lead to an increase in mental health conditions for the LGBTQ Community.
Link: https://www.nami.org/Your-Journey/Identity-and-Cultural-Dimensions/LGBTIQ	
Title: Glossary of Terms (Human Rights Campaign)	This glossary was written to help give people the words and meanings to help make conversations easier and more comfortable.
Link: https://www.hrc.org/resources/glossary-of-terms	
Title: Glossary of LGBT Terms for Health Care Teams (Fenway Institute)	This glossary provides users with some of the terms most relevant to the health care of LGBT people. When reading this glossary, here are a few things to keep in mind: 1) Definitions vary across communities; not all of your LGBT patients will agree with all of these definitions; 2) There are many terms not included on this list; the list is as concise and relevant to health care providers as possible; 3) Terms and definitions change frequently.
Link: https://www.lgbthealtheducation.org/wp-content/uploads/LGBT-Glossary_March2016.pdf	
Title:	The BRC is committed to providing support to the bisexual

<p>Bisexual Resource Center</p>	<p>community and raising public awareness about bisexuality and bisexual people .</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://biresource.net/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Gay & Lesbian Medical Association</p>	<p>This website provides users with: The latest LGBT news and press releases A section on how to become a member</p> <p>Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resources for patients, providers, and students • Continuing education opportunities and recent publications • <i>Advocacy</i>. The Healthcare Equality Index (HEI) and information on marriage equality • <i>Lesbian Health Fund</i>. Information on the Lesbian Health Fund (LHF)
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.glma.org/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Gay-Lesbian Issues, Bibliography of Selected Library Resources</p>	<p>This site's intention is to aggregate the available LGBT resources from the Health Sciences Library of New York Medical College (NYMC) including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Books • Journal article I • nternet resources • Media sources
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://library.nymc.edu/informatics/Gay_lesbian_health/GLHlibib.cfm</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Gender & Sexuality- American Medical Student Association</p>	<p>The Gender & Sexuality Committee within AMSA is committed to achieving equal access to medical care and equality in medical education, as well as fighting sexism and heterosexism. They do this through curricular improvement, physician education, research, and health-related resources.</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>https://www.amsa.org/advocacy/action-committees/gender-sexuality/</p>	

<p>Title:</p> <p>HRC Report: Growing Up LGBT in America</p> <p><i>Human Rights Campaign Foundation</i></p>	<p>This report covers data from a survey of over 10,000 LGBT youth ages 13 to 17. It addresses key factors affecting LGBT youth including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social and family acceptance • Access to LGBT support and services • Negative experiences including cyber-bullying and verbal harassment
<p>Link:</p> <p>https://www.hrc.org/youth-report</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Connection to a welcoming religious or spiritual community • Levels of optimism about the future
<p>Title:</p> <p>LGBT Issues Committee of the Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry: GAP</p> <p><i>Association of Gay and Lesbian Psychiatrists</i></p>	<p>Presents an introductory mini-course in LGBT health and mental health for trainees and practitioners in any field. Its series of modules provides a basic learning guide for working with LGBT clients. All modules include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning goals • Pre-test to assess existing participant knowledge • Post-test to assure participant achievement of learning goals • Relevant links, resource lists, and references
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.aglp.org/gap/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>National Gay and Lesbian Task Force 2012</p>	<p>The NGLTF trains activists, organizes campaigns to defeat anti-LGBT referenda, advances pro-LGBT legislation, and builds the organizational capacity of the movement.</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.thetaskforce.org/</p>	<p>Website: Provides information about: public policy and government affairs, issues facing the LGBT community, such as hate crimes, partner recognition, HIV.</p>
<p>Title:</p> <p>National Black Justice Coalition</p>	<p>NBJC is dedicated to empowering Black LGBT people. It is the only nationwide Black gay civil rights organization, and is a source for publications on the LGBT issues that affect Black communities.</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://nbjc.org/</p>	<p>Website: Provides information, media releases, multimedia resources, reports, and publications on the issues NBJC works on, which include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employment Non-Discrimination Act • Safe and inclusive schools • Marriage equality • Transgender equality • Historically black colleges and universities • “Don’t Ask, Don’t Tell” • HIV/AIDS
<p>Title:</p> <p>National Youth Advocacy Coalition</p>	<p>NYAC is a social justice organization that advocates for young people who are LGBTQ in an effort to end discrimination, and to ensure their overall well-being.</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.nyacyouth.org</p>	<p>Website: provides information on the following categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Education • Finances • Gay teens • Health • Travel

<p>Title:</p> <p>National Center for Lesbian Rights</p>	<p>The NCLR is committed to advancing the civil and human rights of LGBT people and their families through litigation, public policy advocacy, and public education.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The NCLR's is focused on eradicating barriers faced by LGBT people in accessing health care and protecting themselves and their family members. •
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.nclrights.org/</p>	<p>Website: provides users with information about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advocacy Issues • Views & analysis • Cases & policy • Legal help and resources
<p>Title:</p> <p>ONE: National Gay & Lesbian Archives</p>	<p>Dedicated to collecting, preserving, documenting, studying, and communicating LGBT research and information.</p> <p>Website: provides information at ONE Archives at the libraries at the University of Southern California, and exhibitions presented, programs, and publications</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.onearchives.org/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Parents, Families & Friends of Lesbians & Gays</p>	<p>PFLAG is a national organization that promotes the health and well-being of LGBT persons, their families and friends through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support • Education • Advocacy
<p>Link:</p> <p>https://www.pflag.org/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Policies on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender & Queer (LGBTQ) Issues</p> <p><i>American Medical Association</i></p>	<p>This resource lists the policies that the American Medical Association abides by in relation to GLBT issues.</p> <p>The policies fall into one of three categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Supporting human rights and freedom ○ Nondiscrimination ○ Civil rights restoration • Physician-centered policies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ethical and judicial affairs ○ Patient-physician relationships ○ Nondiscrimination ○ Education of LGBT health issues in medical education • Patient-centered policies: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Health care needs of homosexual populations ○ Health care disparities ○ Legal issues ○ Socioeconomic barriers for sexual minorities
<p>Link:</p> <p>https://www.ama-assn.org/delivering-care/policies-lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgender-queer-lgbtq-issues</p>	

<p>Title:</p> <p>Quality Healthcare for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender People: A Cultural Competence Webinar Series</p> <p><i>Hopkins Center for Health Disparities Solutions</i></p>	<p>This multi-part webinar series includes segments on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Understanding the Health Needs of LGBT People: <p>An Introduction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Terminology and concepts associated with LGBT populations Ways in which marginalization and discrimination impact the health of LGBT people Health disparities LGBT people experience Creating a Welcoming and Safe Environment for LGBT People and Families <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Barriers faced by LGBT people in accessing healthcare and why these barriers exist. Concrete tools to provide sensitive, affirming, informed and empowering healthcare. Clinical Skills for the Care of Transgender Individuals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Top health issues that transgender individuals and providers should discuss Types of transgender hormonal and other medical management, modes of administration and follow-up monitoring Ways to improve transgender individuals' communication with healthcare providers Social and emotional issues adversely affecting transgender individuals' health and well-being
<p>Links:</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8mQOGtVUoaM</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e8KJ8uKVQj0</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RM8MTuMTeSk</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Straight for Equality in Healthcare</p>	<p>This site is for healthcare providers to learn more about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Being an ally in LGBT healthcare LGBT specific healthcare concerns/needs Actions they can take to support LGBT people at their practice <p>Materials: Free materials are available such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guides Sample intake forms Sample nondiscrimination policies <p>Training Programs: Training programs are aimed at helping health professionals create welcoming environments for LGBT patients and demonstrate inclusiveness.</p> <p>Personal Stories: The experiences of healthcare providers with LGBT patients are provided to serve as learning moments Come out as a Straight Ally: Guides healthcare professionals on how they can become a part of the Healthcare Provider Directory Additional Resources: Additional links are provided to aid healthcare providers in learning more about providing culturally competent care to LGBT patients.</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.straightforequality.org/Health care</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>Services and Advocacy for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender Elders: SAGE</p>	<p>SAGE is a leading force in the LGBT aging field and provides the most expansive service programs for older LGBT people.</p> <p>Website: provides information about:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National programs and New York City Programs Advocacy Data sources
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.sageusa.org/</p>	

<p>Title:</p> <p>The Fenway Institute</p>	<p>The Fenway Institute conducts LGBT health research and evaluation, education and training, and public health advocacy.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Fenway Institute also provides research through: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Policy briefs ○ Public comment and testimony ○ Opinion articles o Webinars ○ Academic publishing and presentations at conferences
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://thefenwayinstitute.org/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>The Williams Institute</p>	<p>Advances sexual orientation law and public policy through research and disseminates it to the public by providing reports and education and training programs</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://williamsinstitute.law.ucla.edu/</p>	
<p>Title:</p> <p>The Trevor Project</p>	<p>The Trevor Project is focused on crisis and suicide prevention efforts among LGBTQ youth Website: The website provides the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Where to get help and support.</i> Provides services such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Crisis intervention and suicide prevention phone line ○ Confidential instant messaging ○ Text messaging and online community support ○ Access to trained volunteers to answer questions
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.thetrevorproject.org</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resources include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Local resources ○ Health care resources for LGBTQ youth ○ Model school policy and education & training for adults and youth
<p>Title:</p> <p>The LGBT Aging Issues Network: LAIN</p> <p><i>American Society on Aging</i></p>	<p>LAIN works to raise awareness about the concerns of LGBT elders and about the unique barriers they encounter in gaining access to housing, healthcare, and long-term care.</p> <p>More information: LAIN contributes to programs, education events and activities through:</p>
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://www.asaging.org/lain/</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual program at the Aging in America conference • Regular contributions to Aging Today Online • Web seminars
<p>Title:</p> <p>Top Health Issues for LGBT Populations, Information & Resource Kit</p> <p><i>U.S. Department of Health and Human Services</i></p>	<p>Provides Powerpoint slides and web-based resources and discusses the most important health issues facing the LGBT community including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physical Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Heart Disease ○ Cancers ○ Fitness ○ Obesity ○ Injury/Violence ○ Testing Behaviors
<p>Link:</p> <p>http://store.samhsa.gov/shin/content/SM A12-4684/SMA12-4684.pdf</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Behavioral Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Mental Health ○ Suicide ○ Substance Abuse • Sexual Health <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ HIV/AIDS ○ Other Infections

Title: The National Coalition for LGBT Health	The Coalition uses advocacy, education, and research to work towards improving lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender individuals' health and well-being.
Link: https://healthlgbt.org/	
Title: Who's Leading the Leading Health Indicators? – Reproductive and Sexual Health <i>Healthy People 2020</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides an overview of the Leading Health Indicator topic • Provides the most recent data and trends • Showcases states, communities, and organizations that are addressing in innovative ways
Link: http://www.healthypeople.gov/2020/connect/webinarsArchive.aspx - m	
Title: Zuna Institute	The Zuna Institute addresses the needs of black lesbians in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health • Public policy • Economic development • Education
Link: http://www.zunainstitute.org/	

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