TGD Resource Guide

Supporting Transgender & Gender Diverse (TGD) Individuals: Youth through Adulthood







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Overview of TGD Resource Guide

The following resources focus on supporting Transgender and Gender Diverse (TGD) individuals and supportive allies. This Resource Guide is updated on a regular basis but keep in mind that website addresses change, books go into new editions, and new information is constantly being developed. The Guide is in no way meant to be an exhaustive list nor an endorsement of resources listed, rather a source to highlight some of the most useful information available.

Updates & Distribution of the TGD Resource Guide

The latest edition of the TGD Resource Guide may be found on the Watershed Counseling & Consultation Service page under "Resources" at the following link:

watershedservices.biz/resources

The TGD Resource Guide is meant to be distributed, so please share the link widely and let people know it is updated several times a year.

Thank you.

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TGD 101 - Overview Information re: TGD Individuals

Transgender People, Gender Identity & Gender Expression

Answers to Questions about Transgender People, Gender Identity & Gender Expression

How Can I Support Someone Who is Trans

<u>Introductory Brochure – Answers to Questions about Transgender People, Gender Identity and Gender Expression</u>

Adults - TGD

National Center for Transgender Equality

Susan's Place - Website for Transgender Resources

TGD/LGBT Center Directory

Advocacy Resources - TGD

ACLU - LGBT

National LGBTQ Task Force

Trans Women of Color Collective

Trans Latin@ Coalition

Allies - Being a Supportive Ally for TGD People

GLAAD FAQ for TGD Allies

Tips for TGD Allies

Tips for Teachers Being Allies for LGBTO Students

Questionable Questions - Asking questions to a Person Who is TGD about their gender identity / gender expression

Athletics / Sports - TGD

Gender Affirming & Athletics Inclusive Participation - GLSEN

Trans Athlete Policies in K - 12 Schools by State

<u>Campus Pride Sports Index</u> - Addressing LGBTQ safety and inclusion in college and university sports

<u>Athletic Equality Index (AEI)</u> - Assessment rating for National Collegiate Athletic association (NCAA) athletic departments' policies & practices about LGBTQ inclusion

Trans Athletes

You Can Play: LGBTQ Athletes & Allies Teaming Up For Respect

Athlete Ally

On the Team (Older document but detailed guide for student athletes who are TGD)

NCAA Transgender Policy, Background & Resources

Transgender-Inclusive High School Sports and Activities Policy & Education Project

Bathrooms (see "Restrooms")

Books & Reading Resources for TGD Individuals

Children through Young Adult

Association for Library Service to Children (ALSC) - Embracing Gender Identities

HRC's Gender-Expansive and Transgender Children: Books for Students

(PDF form)

HRC's Books for LGBTQ Inclusive Schools & Books About Family Diversity

TYEF Recommended Book List: All Levels

Social Justice Books

Common Sense Media - LGBTQ: Preschoolers to Teens

Free Library of Philadelphia

Young Adult Books

Middle School Books

Picture Books

Adults

PFLAG Reading List for Adults Who Are TGD

Coming out as TGD

HRC: Resource Guide to Coming Out Guide Transgender or Non-Binary

See "Workplace"

GSA/AGSA (see School Resources: GSA/AGSA)

Healthcare (Medical & Mental Healthcare) - TGD

Healthcare-related Sites for TGD People (Note: Not a complete list)

Know Your Rights - Healthcare

Finding Insurance for Transgender-Related Healthcare

<u>Ten Things Transgender Persons Should discuss with Their Healthcare Care Provider</u> - by GMLA

Reproductive Bio Storage

California Cryobank - Note: various locations

Gender Affirming Health Care Centers/Clinics/Hospitals (not a complete list)

Nationally

Planned Parenthood

California

Rady's Children's Hospital - San Diego: Center for Gender Affirming Care

<u>Gender Pathways Clinic</u> - Kaiser Permanente SF Medical Center Hormone therapy, sexual and reproductive health care, mental health services, and surgical evaluations and procedures

Tom Waddell Clinic - San Francisco, CA

Delaware

Gender Wellness Program - Nemours Children's Health System

Illinois

<u>Chicago Women's Health Center</u> - Trans-positive services informed by trans people

Iowa

One Iowa - Lists various healthcare services and mental health providers for TGD individuals across the age-range

<u>Unity Point / Blank Children's Adolescent Medicine and Blank</u> <u>Children's Endocrinology</u> - Health services for TGD youth

<u>Transverse</u> - a local support group in Iowa City and surrounding areas that also maintains a <u>Facebook page</u> addressing information related to TGD services in Iowa

Maryland

Chase Brexton Health Care - Multiple Locations

Your Trans Care (YTC)

Massachusetts

Fenway Health - Boston, MA

Quality and informed care for trans women and men, gender-queer, and others who have health care needs unique to gender expressions and identities

Gender Multispecialty Service (GeMS) of Boston Children's Hospital

Providing to gender-diverse and transgender individuals and their families

New Hampshire

Gynecology Gender Clinic: Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center - Lebanon, NH Multidisciplinary health care to patients seeking HRT and /or gender reassignment surgery

New Jersey

Babs Siperstein PROUD Center - RWJ University Hospital Somerset, NJ

New York

Evergreen Health Services - Buffalo, NY

Trans-specific services including prescribing hormones

Callen-Lorde Community Health Center

Provides hormone therapy as well as primary care and mental health specialists.

North Carolina

University of North Carolina (UNC) Gender Affirming Care Clinic

Pennsylvania

Gender & Sexuality Development Clinic - The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Stephen Klein Wellness Center (SKWC) - Project Home - Philadelphia

Transgender Inclusive Healthcare Services - description

Pride Program - Einstein Medical Center - Philadelphia

<u>Y-HEP Health Center - Philadelphia Fight Healthcare Centers</u> - Philadelphia (Services for Ages 13-24, regardless of insurance status or ability to pay)

Main Line Health - Bryn Mawr & Paoli (check over time for additional sites)

Gender & Sexual Development Program - UPMC - Pittsburgh, PA

Persad Center (Pittsburgh, PA)

Center for Inclusion Health - Allegheny Health Network - Western, PA

Allentown Women's Center - Bethlehem, PA

Trans Health Initiative program offers hormone replacement therapy, mental health and counseling referrals

Thomas Jefferson University Hospital - Philadelphia

Vermont

<u>Transgender Youth Program</u> - University of Vermont Children's Hospital - Burlington, VT

Virginia

Health Brigade - Richmond, VA

Washington, D.C.

Whitman-Walker Clinic - Two locations

Drug & Alcohol Resources

What to Look for When Seeking LGBT-Friendly Addictions Treatment Guide

Gay & Lesbians in AA (GAL-AA) - Meeting Listing Search

Gay and Sober - Meeting Finder by Region & State

SAMHSA - LGBT Behavioral Health Resource Guides for Adults, Parents, Providers, & Practitioners

Healthcare Personnel Resources

WPATH

Standards of Care = 7th Version (available in several languages)

Best Practices for Health Care Staff: Transgender and Gender Non-conforming People

<u>Trans Line</u> - **Project Health** - Medical e-consultation service offering health care providers up-to-date clinical information and individualized case consultation services

COVID-19 Resource List

GLMA - Healthcare Professionals Advancing LGBT Equality

TGD Patient Services & Support: Resources for Providers & Hospital Administrators

Glossary of LGBT Terms for Health Care Teams

Improving the Health Care of LGBT People

Ensuring Comprehensive Care and Support for Transgender and Gender-Diverse Children and Adolescents - American Academy of Pediatrics - Policy Statement (2018)

National LGBT Health Education - Publications

TGD White Coat Cards

The Q Card and the TGNC Card - Two types of wallet size cards for people who are TGD to give to health providers better inform them

TGNC Handout for Patients as well as Medical Providers

Higher Education Resources - TGD

Students

FAQ - TGD Students and Colleges/Universities

Campus Pride

<u>Colleges and Universities with Nondiscrimination Policies that Include Gender Identity/Expression</u>

College 101 for Trans Students: A Guide to Navigating College

Navigating FAFSA & The Military Draft

LGBTQ Centers on a College/University Campus

Point Foundation - Scholarship awards to LGBTQ Individuals

Educators and Administrators in Higher Education

Teaching LGBTQ Psychology - Burnes & Stanley (Eds.) APA Publications

Teaching Beyond the Gender Binary in the University Classroom

Resources for Incorporating Trans and Gender Diverse Issues into Counseling Psychology Curricula - (some of the material is useful for other professions as well)

Best Practices for Supporting Transgender Students - Lambda Legal

<u>Consortium of Higher Education Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Resource</u> <u>Professionals</u>

Example of College/University TGD Resource Guide - University of Rochester

See Athletics - TGD

Graduate Psychology Professors - Resources for Courses

History/Herstory/Trans-story Resources - TGD

The Tretter Transgender Oral History Project

Transgender History in the U.S. and Places That Matter

Transgender History in the United States - An unabridged version of a book chapter from Trans Bodies, Trans Selves

Queer America Podcast Series

LGBTQ History in Public Schools (Episode 3 in Queer America Podcast Series)

<u>Making Gay History Podcast Series</u> - Podcast series with coverage of various TGD leaders in history

Hotlines for Support & Suicide Prevention - TGD

Trans Lifeline - US: (877) 565-8860 Canada: (877) 330-6366

The Trevor Project - 866-488-7386 (24/7 LGBTQ hotline) by phone, IM, or text

Ally Moms - Mothers of TGD children who are trained & volunteer to provide support TGD youth

LGBT National Help Center (Hotlines and Weekly On-line Talk Groups) - 888-843-4564

National Runaway Safeline - (800) 786 - 2929

RAINN (Rape, Abuse & Incest National Network) - (800) 656-4673

National Child Abuse Hotline - (800) 422-4453

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline - (800) 273-8255

Immigration Issues - TGD

Immigration Issues: Know Your Rights

Answers to Common Questions re: Transgenders Immigrants

Infographics - TGD

TSER Infographics (including Gender Unicorn)

Juvenile Justice System - TGD

LGBTQ Youth Incarcerated in the Juvenille Justice System

The Unfair Criminalization of Gay and Transgender Youth

Language / Writing

Basics When Writing about People who are TGD

American Psycholgocial Association (APA) Style - Sexual Orientation

Additional Resources Under "Pronouns"

Legal & Policy Resources - TGD

Lambda Legal

Transgender Law & Policy Institute

State by State LGBTQ Family Law Guides

Transgender Legal Defense & Education Fund

Transgender Law Center

See section "Name, ID & Gender Marker Changes" for additional information

Maryland Resources - TGD

<u>Maryland TGD Resources</u> - Advocacy, Legal, Counseling, Housing, & Healthcare

Mental Health Provider Resources - TGD

Readings for Mental Health Providers

APA: A Selective Bibliography of Lesbian, Gay, and Bisexual Concerns in Psychology

Teaching LGBTQ Psychology - Burnes & Stanley (Eds.) APA Publications

A Clinician's Guide to Gender-Affirming Care: Working with Transgender and Gender Nonconforming Clients - Chang, Singh & Dickey. New Harbinger Publications

The Queer and Transgender Resilience Workbook: Skills for Navigating Sexual Orientation and Gender Expression

- A. Singh. New Harbinger Publications

TGD Related Guidelines for Mental Health Providers

<u>Guidelines for Psychological Practice with Transgender and Nonconforming People</u> (APA)

<u>Current APA Policy Statements on Several Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Concerns</u>

APA's Resolution on Appropriate Affirmative Responses to Sexual Orientation Distress & Change Efforts

ACA's Competencies for Counseling with Transgender Clients

WPATH - **Standards of Care** = 7th **Version** (available in several languages)

Websites for Mental Health Providers

APA Division 44 - Society for the Psychology of Sexual Orientation & Gender Diversity

APA Office of LGBT Concerns

American Counseling Association's (ACA) Resources for Assisting LGBTQ+ Clients

AFFIRM: Psychologists Affirming their LGBT Family

Fact Sheets for Mental Health Providers Supporting TGD Youth

Fact Sheet: Gender Diversity and Transgender Identity in Children

Fact Sheet: Gender Diversity and Transgender Identity in Adolescents

Name, ID & Gender Marker Changes

FAQs About Identity Documents - Lambda Legal

<u>ID Documents Center</u>: Information per State - National Center for Transgender Equality

The Name Change Project - Transgender Legal Defense & Educational Fund

Deadname Remover App - Chrome Extension

Older Adults who are TGD

SAGE - Advocacy & Services for LGBT Elders

SAGE - How To Be An Ally To Transgender Older Adults

SAGE - Tips For Working With LGBT Older Adults

<u>SAGE - Inclusive Services for Older Adults: A Practical Guide to Creating Welcoming Agencies</u>

National Resource Center on LGBT Aging

LGBT Aging Issues Network

Aging Rainbows

Out-Of-Home Care & TGD Youth

LGBTQ Youth in the Foster Care System

<u>Serving LGBTQ Youth in Out-Of-Home Care</u>: CWLA Best Practice Guidelines Parents / Guardians / Families of TGD Youth

Parent(s), Families & Adults Supporting TGD Youth

General Information for Parents, Families & Adults

Transgender Children & Youth: Understanding the Basics - HRC

10 Considerations for Finding a Gender Competent Therapist for Your Child

Supporting and Caring for Transgender Children - American Academy of Pediatrics, et al.

Family Acceptance Project - SFSU

<u>Our Trans Loved Ones</u>: Questions and Answers for Parents, Families, and Friends of People Who Are Transgender and Gender Diverse - PFLAG

Parent & Family Resources for Transgender & Gender Diverse Youth - Gender Spectrum

The Importance of Being an Ally to Your Transgender Child - IMPACT

<u>Stand With Trans</u> - Mothers of TGD children who are trained & volunteer to talk to parents who are at any point in the process of having TGD children

SAGE - Supporting Your LGBTO+ Grandchild

Information for Foster & Adoptive Parents of LGBTQ Youth

Supporting Your LGBTO Youth: A Guide to Foster Parents

LGBTO Youth in Out-Of-Home Care

Actions LGBTQ Parents/Guardians Can Take to Support Their Children in Elementary School (p.4-5)

Helping Families Support their LGBT Children: A Practice Brief for Parents and Providers

Book Recommendations for Parents and Families of LGBTQ Youth from the Free Library of Philadelphia

TGD Parent Support Groups

Various Health Care Agencies listed in this Guide have Parent Support Groups

(Example: Gender & Sexuality Development Clinic - The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia has Parent Groups)

Lower Merion (Southeastern Pennsylvania) Parent Support Group

Contact Jessica: lgbtqparentadvocate@gmail.com

PFLAG - Support for families & friends of LGBT Individuals. Includes local chapter finder.

Gender Spectrum's Online Parent Groups

National Network of LGBTO Family Groups: Group Finder

Stand With Trans - Offering parent to parent support by trained volunteers to talk to parents who are at any point in the process of having TGD children

Parents who are TGD

Lamda Legal - TGD Parents

Colage - For People with LGBTQ Parents

HRC - TGD Foster & Adoptive Parents

Family Equality

Pennsylvania Resources - TGD

See Youth Groups in the Guide's "TGD Youth - LGBTQ Youth Groups & Centers"

See Parent Support Groups in the Guide's "Parent(s), Families & Adults Supporting TGD Youth" section

See Healthcare Services in Pennsylvania in the Guide's "Healthcare" section

Pennsylvania Youth Congress' LGBTO Organization Directory

Local LGBTQ Youth Groups in Pennsylvania

Philadelphia Transgender Resource Guide

GLSEN - Philadelphia Chapter

Trans Central PA

Trans Central Monthly Meetings

Philadelphia Trans-Health Conference

<u>Trans Equity Project</u> - A <u>Program of GALAEI</u> - Peer-based support for trans individuals (trans encompasses any individual who does not identify as cisgender) offering sexual health and HIV prevention counseling.

Equality Pennsylvania - "Dedicated to achieving equality for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) individuals in Pennsylvania through coalition-building, advocacy, education, and policy reform."

Pronouns

See Article Links on Watershed's Website - <u>Gender-Neutral Pronouns: Readings & Resources</u>

My Pronouns - Resources for what/why/how, addressing mistakes re: pronouns, sharing one's pronouns, asking others their pronouns and related videos

<u>Pronouns: A Resource Supporting Transgender & Gender Nonconforming Educators & Students</u>

National Council for Teachers of English

- Very useful list of related resources near end of the document

Pronouns: A Guide - American University

Genderev - A place to practice using the pronouns of a friend or for yourself

Pronouns & Teaching Foreign Languages Classes:

Engendering Inclusivity in a Language Class (Teaching Foreign Languages) - Article

Gender Neutral Pronouns in the Foreign Language Classroom

Inclusive Spanish: A Guide To Using & Understanding Lenguage Inclusivo

Quora: How do my fellow French or Spanish teachers work with pronouns & TGD Students

Religion / Spirituality - TGD

NGLTF Faith Resources

HRC: Religion

Finding a Welcoming Congregation

LGBTQ Affirming Denominations

Restrooms

<u>Stalled: Gender Neutral Bathrooms</u> (Goal - creating safe, sustainable & inclusive public restrooms for everyone regardless of age, gender, race, religion & disability)

Inclusive Restroom Design Guide

Bathroom for Humans - FX Collaborative

All Gender Restroom Signs

School Resources (Prek, Elementary, Middle & High School) - TGD

School Personnel & Educators - Resources

<u>Schools in Transition: A Guide for Supporting Transgender Students in Grades K-12</u> Schools

HRC's Back to School Guide - Welcoming Schools

Gender Spectrum - Gender Inclusive Schools

Framework for Developing a Gender Inclusive School

Checklist for a Welcoming & Inclusive School Environment

<u>Supporting Transgender & Gender Diverse Students in Schools: Key</u> Recommendations for School Administrators - APA

Queer & Transgender Students of Color Resources Guide - Penn State University
- Including recommended books, videos & community organizations

Top 10 Ways to Make Schools Safe

Is This the Right Elementary School for My Gender Nonconforming Child?

Gay, Lesbian and Straight Education Network (GLSEN)

GLSEN Research Reports and Climate Surveys for LGBTQ School Students

Safe Space Kit for Schools

Curriculum & Classroom - Resources

Learning for Justice - Teaching Tolerance - Classroom resources, articles, film recommendations, etc.

Best Practices for Serving LGBTQ Students - from Teaching Tolerance

<u>Lesson Plans to End Bias-Based Bullying and Gender Stereotyping In Elementary School</u>

Additional Lesson Plans of Interest

Supporting Transgender Students in the Classroom

Checklist for a Gender Inclusive Classroom

Queer America Podcast Series

Incorporating LGBTQ History into Your Classroom (Episode 1 in Queer America Podcast Series - Be sure to check out all of the episodes in the series and the related resources

The Experiences of Trans People (Episode 2 in Queer America Podcast Series)

LGBTQ History in Public Schools (Episode 3 in Queer America Podcast Series)

GSA/AGSA Resources (Gender & Sexuality Alliances / All Gender & Sexuality Alliances)

Resource Guide for Starting & Running a GSA - Contact Watershed CCS (contact information at the top of this TGD Resource Guide) for an up-to-date listing of resources for Middle School & High School GSAs

Support for GSAs (GLSEN)

Resources for Middle School GSAs (GSAFE)

Librarians - See "Books & Reading Resources for TGD Students"

Policies: TGD School Policies - Readings and School Policy Example

Model examples of a TGD Policy for School Districts:

<u>Lower Merion School District</u> - Policy, Administrative Regulations, Forms & Quick Reference Sheet

Model District Policy on Transgender & Gender Non-Conforming Students - GLSEN

From Statehouse to Schoolhouse: Anti-Bullying Policy Efforts in U.S. States and School Districts

Examples of Policies & Emerging Practices for Supporting Transgender Students

FAQ's - Rescission of U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ) and Department of Education (DOE) Title IX Guidance for Transgender Students - PFLAG

U.S. Department of Education - Supporting Transgender Youth in Schools

School Counselors - See "Mental Health Provider Resources"

Sports (see Athletics)

Suicide Prevention (See Hotlines)

Terminology / Definitions

TGD related terminology I - Gender Spectrum

TGD related terminology II - GLAAD

Gender Identity Terms Every Ally Should Learn

Trans Student Educational Resources - Definitions

PLAG Glossary of Terms

Workplace - TGD

HRC: Recommended Policies & Practices for TGD Inclusion in the Workplace

Tips for Working with TGD Coworkers

A Guide to Restrooms Access for Transgender Workers: Department of Labor & OSHA

What's Your Pronoun? Strategies for Inclusion in the Workplace

Videos / Movies / Documentaries - TGD Related

Raising Ryland - Documentary - TGD Youth and Family

IMDb List of Transgender Themed Movie List

Youth / Students (K - High School) who are TGD

LGBTQ Youth Groups & Centers in the U.S.

TGD & LGBTQ Youth Centers and Center Directory

Youth Groups in Pennsylvania

Gender Spectrum's Online Youth Groups

Q Chat Space

Trevor Space - "An affirming international community for LGBTO young people ages 13-24"

Colage - Supporting People with LGBTQ Parents

Project Contrast - Sharing stories of LGBTQ youth across the United States

Resources for TGD Students

Trans Student Educational Resources

Know Your Rights: Bathrooms, Locker Rooms, School Policies, Name Change Information, etc.

Claim Your Rights - PFLAG

PFLAG Chapter Scholarship Programs by State

The Q Card - A wallet size card for Queer & TGD Youth to give to health providers to better inform them

TGD Athletes in Schools, see "Athletics"

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