

Resources for youth who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, non-binary, gender non-conforming or questioning

Peer Support:

- [BAGLY \(Boston Alliance of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer Youth\)](#); Boston.
- [NAGLY](#) (North Shore Alliance of GLBTQ Youth). Salem.

Hotlines and Phone/Text Support

- [The Trevor Project](#) - If you are thinking about suicide and in need of immediate support, call the TrevorLifeline at [1-866-488-7386](tel:1-866-488-7386) or select [TrevorChat](#) to connect with a counselor (24 hours).
- [Trans Lifeline](#). Crisis hotline (open 24 hours): [1-877-565-8860](tel:1-877-565-8860)
- [Samaritans Hope](#). Call or text (open 24 hours): [1-877-870-4673](tel:1-877-870-4673)
- [Fenway Health](#) Peer Listening Line (ages 25 & Under): [617-267-2535](tel:617-267-2535); toll free: [1-800-399-PEER](tel:1-800-399-PEER)
- [National Suicide Prevention Lifeline](#). Hotline (open 24 hours): [1-800-273-8255](tel:1-800-273-8255)

Support for parents and families:

- Family Acceptance Project: familyproject.sfsu.edu
- TransYouth Family Allies: imatyfa.org
- Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays: pflag.org

Resources for Educators and Service Providers:

- [Anti-Bias Education for Young Children and Ourselves, Second Edition](#) (2020), NAEYC.
- Safe Space or Safe Zone training: thesafezoneproject.com/
- Gay Straight Alliance Network: gsanetwork.org
- Gay Lesbian & Straight Education Network: glsen.org Safe Space Kit: glsen.org/safespace

Affirming Medical Care, Mental Health and Substance Use Treatment:

- [Sidney Borum Jr. Health Center](#) (LGBTQ+-affirming, for young people ages 12–29)
 - [617-457-8140](tel:617-457-8140) | 75 Kneeland St. Boston, MA 02111
- [Fenway Health](#) (LGBTQ+-affirming health center)
 - [617-927-6000](tel:617-927-6000) | 1340 Boylston St. Boston, MA 02215
- [Boston Children's Hospital Gender Multi-Specialty](#) (GeMS) Clinic. 617.355.4367
- BAGLY also has [mental and behavioral therapy programs](#), and a **Healthcare Navigator, Narong** at nsokhom@bagly.org
- [MassHealth Connector](#). See also free, anonymous information about how to navigate the health care system at [Health Care for All](#) or call their consumer helpline at [1-800-272-4232](tel:1-800-272-4232).

Advocacy, Activism, & Organizing

- [Massachusetts Commission on LGBTQ+ Youth](#)
- [GLAD \(GLBTQ Legal Advocates and Defenders\)](#)
- [Massachusetts Transgender Political Coalition \(MTPC\)](#)
- [Massachusetts Gender and Sexuality Alliance \(GSA\) Leadership Council](#)
- [Zumix](#), empowering young people to build successful futures through music, technology, and creative employment