

LGBTQ+ Student Resource Guide

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On-Campus Resources

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Career Education

[Resources for LGBTQ+ Students](#)

LGBTQ+ Student Groups:

blackOUT: blackOUT serves to create an inclusive and comfortable space for all students of African descent at Wellesley who identify as queer (LGBT*QIA) or questioning

Familia: Familia is a group for LGBT*QIA* & Questioning Latinas on Wellesley College's campus

Tea Talks: Group for LGBTQ and questioning students of Asian descent

Siblings: Support and community for students who identify as TGNC (transgender and gender nonconforming)

QTSAQ (Queer and Trans South-Asian Coalition)

Wildcards for students who identify as asexual and/or aromantic

Off-Campus Resources

Riverside Community Care Resource Guide: Supportive resource for those who identify as LGBTQAI+, and for their friends, family in the Boston metro area.

Framingham GLASS Drop-In Center for LGBTQ Youth of Color

Framingham GLASS offers a safe community space for LGBTQ youth of color and their allies ages 13-25. The center provides activities, games, movies, and hang-out space along with free food, toiletries, and safer sex supplies like condoms. Drop-in hours are 4:00 – 7:00 PM Tuesday and Thursday. In addition, the program offers one-on-one support, STI/STD testing, treatment, PrEP, and other services between 11am to 4pm Monday through Friday. For people over the age of 25, they may receive individual prevention, counseling and testing services on a one-to-one basis. Contact LB Moore at lbmoore@jri.org for more information and follow on Facebook at www.facebook.com/framinghamglass.

Online/over the phone Resources

The Trevor Project: A non-judgmental hotline with LGBTQ-sensitive trained counselors you can contact through a call, text, or chat during a mental health crisis and/or suicidal thoughts. Available in the United States.

- [*Trevor Lifeline*](#); 1-866-488-7386; Available 24/7; Free
- *TrevorText*; Text the word “Trevor” to 1-202-304-1200; Available Thursday and Friday 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. ET; Standard messaging rates apply
- [*TrevorChat*](#); Enter the online portal on The Trevor Project’s website; Available 7 days a week, 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. ET; Free
- [*Trevor Space*](#); online community for LGBTQ+ people ages 13-24; portal on The Trevor Project’s website

Trans Lifeline: A 24/7 hotline available in the U.S. and Canada staffed by transgender people for transgender people. Trans Lifeline is primarily for transgender people in a crisis, from struggling with gender identity to thoughts of self-harm.

- Contact information:
 - United States; 1-877-565-8860; Available 24/7
 - Canada; 1-877-330-6366; Available 24/7

Fenway Health Helpline: Fenway Health provides information, help, and referrals to LGBT callers. They also have a peer listening line.

- LGBT Helpline (25+); 1-617-267-9001; Toll-free: 1-888-340-4528; Monday – Saturday 6 p.m. – 11 p.m. ET
- Peer Listening Line (25 and under); 1-617-267-2535; Toll-free: 1-800-399-PEER; Monday – Saturday 5:30 p.m. – 10 p.m. ET

Crisis Text Line:(also available in Canada and the UK) This crisis text line is not specifically for LGBTQ+ people, over 40% of their texters identify as LGBTQ+, and responders have received specific training for LGBTQ+ needs.

National Domestic Violence Hotline: provides life saving tools and immediate support to empower victims and survivors to find safety and live free of abuse. They also provide support to friends and family members who are concerned about a loved one. [Chat available here.](#)

LGBT National Help Center: offers a national hotline for both youths and seniors, as well as online peer support chat rooms and a weekly youth chatroom for queer kids age 19 or younger.

Gender Spectrum: an advocacy organization for LGBTQ+ kids and teens, which is continuing to offer the online groups and programs.

- [Resource Page:](#) here you can register to be part of ongoing online or phone discussion groups for kids, teens, parents, grandparents, facilitators, and more
- [Live Stream Webinars:](#) Gender Spectrum regularly hosts webinars, with their most recent being about how to understand gender for parents

Believe Out Loud: is a faith organization that advocates for LGBTQ+ inclusion. They are currently compiling a list of LGBTQ-inclusive places of worship that live streams services online

[Nowadays](#): a live music venue in Queens, New York, which hosting nightly live stream events and seminars, some of which include live sets from queer DJs, sound baths, and deep listenings.

Resource Kits

[Coronavirus Resource Kit](#): This kit is a collectivized document that will be updated as more mutual aid projects and resources appear online. This compilation features resources from disabled, queer, elderly, Asian, and indigenous people. This includes mutual aid projects from Seattle, Philadelphia, DC, Twin Cities, Boston, and Chicago.

[Mutual Aid Document Tree](#): US based resource for those who are seeking aid, and for those who are also trying to organize mutual aid in their own communities.

[Database of Localized Resources During COVID 19 Outbreak](#): Collection of mutual aid resources at both local and national levels. Note that this document is constantly evolving and is a moderated google sheets document.

[Trans Equality's resource pack for trans people on COVID-19](#): Resource pack specifically focusing on the unique medical needs of the trans community, including: tools for creating a plan of action, important resources, mutual aid and emergency funds.

Quarantine Strategies

[9 Strategies for Quarantining in a Non-LGBTQ+ Affirming Environment](#): With help from queer therapists and experts from The Trevor Project, here's how to endure isolation with those who might not accept your identity.