

LGBTQ+ Resources for Bigs, Littles & Families

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Part 1: Community Services

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[MA Hotlines](#)

Worcester/Central MA

Agency	Population	Location	Contact	Services
GSA Link	Youth, families		508-735-1267	Mentoring, community building, guidance for parents
Safe Homes (program of Open Sky Community Services)	Youth (ages 14-23)	4 Mann Street, Worcester MA	508-755-0333 amy.arrell@openskycs.org	Resources, advice, and friendship for LGBTQ+ youth
SWAGLY (program of AIDS Project Worcester)	Youth (ages 22 and under)	85 Green Street, Worcester MA (entrance at 12 Plymouth Street)	508-755-3773 ext. 42 swagly@aidsprojectworchester.org	Social support group for LGBTQ+ youth
Side with Love (program of Universalist Unitarian Church of Worcester)	Youth, families, volunteers	90 Holden Street, Worcester MA	508-853-1942	LGBTQ+ affirming religious community, community advocacy
LGBTQ+ Services at Planned Parenthood League of MA	Youth, families, volunteers	470 Pleasant Street, Worcester MA	877-686-5772	Affirming education, resources, referrals, and care for LGBTQ+ people

Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center	Youth, families, and volunteers	19 Tacoma Street, Worcester MA	1-800-853-2288	Equitable, informed healthcare for LGBTQ+ people
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MetroWest

Agency	Population	Location	Contact	Services
OUT MetroWest	Youth (middle and high school)	929 Worcester Road, Framingham MA	508-875-2122	Drop-in center, programs for middle and high school students, community education
BayPath Elder Services	Families, volunteers	33 Boston Post Road, Marlborough MA	508-573-7200	Education, resources, and support for older LGBTQ+ people
Framingham GLASS (program of Justice Resource Institute)	LGBTQ+ youth of color (ages 13-29)	1 Grant Street, Suite 205, Framingham MA	outreach@jri.org	Social and mental health support, prevention services, education, field trips, etc.
Edward M. Kennedy Community Health Center	Youth, families, and volunteers	354 Waverly Street, Framingham MA	1-800-853-2288	Equitable, informed healthcare for LGBTQ+ people

Greater Boston

Agency	Population	Location	Contact	Services
Boston GLASS (program of Justice Resource Institute)	LGBTQ+ youth of color	75 Armory Street, Boston MA	outreach@jri.org	Social and mental health support, prevention services, education, field trips, etc.

Greater Boston PFLAG	Youth, families, and volunteers	85 River Street, Waltham MA	781-891-5966 info@gbpflag.org	Support, education, and advocacy through group meetings, training, forums, etc.
Home for Little Wanderers	LGBTQ+ youth ages (14-18)	409 Lexington Street, Waltham MA	617-267-3700	Safe housing, behavioral and mental health counseling
Trans Club of New England	Transgender people	30 Guinan Street, Waltham MA	781-891-9325 info@tcne.org	Social support, referrals, education, activities, etc.

Part 2: Educational Resources

Resource	Population	Services
The Trevor Project	LGBTQ+ youth and their allies (including families and volunteers)	Support, education, and suicide prevention materials
Human Rights Campaign - Allyship	LGBTQ+ allies (including families and volunteers)	Educational materials on how to support and affirm LGBTQ+ people
Human Rights Campaign - Supporting Youth	LGBTQ+ allies (including families and volunteers)	Educational materials on how to support and affirm LGBTQ+ youth
CDC LGBT Youth Resources	LGBTQ+ youth, allies, parents, educators, etc.	Information on ensuring the health and safety of LGBTQ+ youth
Movement Advancement Project	Families of trans youth	Educational resources focusing on the importance of familial acceptance of trans youth
American Psychological Association	LGBTQ+ allies (including families and volunteers)	Psychological research on best practices for supporting LGBTQ+ youth
YA Books	LGBTQ+ youth	YA fiction starring queer and

		trans characters
Human Rights Campaign - Coming Out	LGBTQ+ youth	Guidance for youth on 'coming out' as LGBTQ+
The Proud Trust	LGBTQ+ youth	Online resources, youth groups near you, etc.