



North Carolina
Lesbian
Gay
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Resource
Guide



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Welcome

Project STYLE's North Carolina LGBTQ Resource Guide serves the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer (LGBTQ) communities of North Carolina. The guide intends to be a starting place to connect LGBTQ individuals and allies to area resources. We also hope the guide will assist health providers and social service professionals in better connecting individuals to LGBTQ resources.

We recognize this is not a complete listing of resources, but hopefully is a good beginning. An updated guide will be available online late 2007 at our website, www.stylenc.org.

If you have suggestions, want to add your organization, or make corrections please contact Project STYLE.

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Project STYLE

Strength Through Youth Livin' Empowered

Project STYLE is a health awareness program designed to improve outreach, testing, and linkage to HIV services for college-age men of color, particularly Black men who have sex with men (MSM). STYLE is a collaborative initiative of the UNC School of Medicine, the Alliance of AIDS Services-Carolina, and North Carolina Central University that combines research and services and seeks to address the structural and organizational barriers to providing quality care and support for this community.

STYLE offers:

- **MEDICAL CARE:** High quality, LGBTQ-friendly medical treatment and social support services specifically for young men of color.
 - **Lisa Hightow-Weidman, MD, MPH,** is an LGBTQ-friendly and gay-affirming physician who treats individuals living with HIV at UNC Hospitals and at the Wake County Health Department. If you are living with HIV and you are in need of medical care, you can set up an appointment with Dr. Hightow-Weidman.
- **SUPPORT:** Confidential support groups for HIV+ men of color meet weekly in Durham and Raleigh. We also provide one-on-one support for HIV+ individuals, and an array of client services such as emergency financial assistance.

Contact Sebastian Battle at (919) 596-9898 ext. 19

- **OUTREACH AND EDUCATION:**

For more information, call Justin Smith at (919) 843-4722

- **Community HIV Testing:** STYLE staff organize free, confidential rapid HIV testing events at colleges and universities across North Carolina, churches, and many other community venues. If you are interested in bringing an HIV testing event to your school, church, or community group contact STYLE.
- **Individual HIV Testing:** Free, confidential rapid HIV testing is available at our Durham location.
- **Training:** Training for providers to better support young MSM of color.
- **Health Provider Information:** Information on LGBTQ friendly health and mental health providers in the Triangle.
- **Education and Outreach:** STYLE staff are available for community health fairs, HIV 101 Workshops and panels/presentations.

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Regions

This guide is divided into the following 7 regions:

Central & Northeast Coast

Beaufort, Bertie, Camden, Carteret, Chowan, Craven, Currituck, Dare, Gates, Greene, Halifax, Hertford, Hyde, Martin, Northampton, Pamlico, Pasquotank, Perquimans, Pitt, Tyrrell, Washington

Southeast Coast

Bladen, Brunswick, Columbus, Cumberland, Duplin, Harnett, Jones, Lee, Montgomery, Moore, New Hanover, Onslow, Pender, Richmond, Robeson, Sampson, Scotland

Triangle

Chatham, Durham, Edgecombe, Franklin, Granville, Johnston, Nash, Orange, Person, Vance, Wake, Warren, Wayne, Wilson

Triad

Alamance, Caswell, Davidson, Davie, Forsyth, Guilford, Randolph, Rockingham, Stokes, Surry, Yadkin

Central Piedmont

Anson, Cabarrus, Catawba, Cleveland, Gaston, Iredell, Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly, Union

Northwest

Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Burke, Caldwell, Watauga, Wilkes

Mountains

Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Buncombe, Burke, Caldwell, Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Haywood, Henderson, Jackson, Macon, Madison, Mitchell, Polk, Swain, Transylvania, Watauga, Wilkes, Yancey

Overview of Categories

Resources are organized into the following sections in each region:

Regional Organizations

Information on LGBTQ publications, community centers, business guilds, foundations, and event listings

Civil Rights & Politics

LGBTQ advocacy, political, and civil rights groups

Support

Information on support groups, LGBTQ affirming social services, AA meetings, and crisis support

Family and Allies

Information for LGBTQ families and family members of LGBTQ individuals, including PFLAG groups

Transgender

Resources for transgender individuals and their families and friends including social, support, and advocacy

Youth

Organizations serving LGBTQ and questioning youth both in school and out of school

University

Campus groups and programs supporting LGBTQ students

HIV/AIDS

Support, care, treatment, and case management for people with HIV/AIDS and their families. HIV testing and prevention

Faith Communities

LGBTQ friendly religious and spiritual groups

Social

Groups with a primarily social focus including many groups organized around common interests

State Wide

GLBT National Help Center - Hotline

www.glnh.org

1-888-THE-GLBT (1-888-843-4564)

(Monday-Friday: 4pm - midnight / Saturday: Noon to 5pm)

The Gay Lesbian Bisexual and Transgender (GLBT) Hotline provides peer counseling, information, and local resources for locations across the US.

Includes hundreds of LGBTQ organizations and LGBTQ friendly lawyers, health providers, therapists, and faith organizations in North Carolina. Information available online or through the hotline.

Carolinas Black Pride Movement

www.carolinasblackpridemovement.com

2405 Ringwood Street, Charlotte NC 28208

(704) 968-3916

info@carolinasblackpridemovement.com

Carolinas Black Pride Movement (CBPM) was created to be an incubator of black gay culture; to explore and exhibit the beautiful duality of being gay and of African descent. CBPM serves black same gender loving, lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (SLGBT) communities in North and South Carolina.

Contains an extensive list of local and national resources for black SLGBT communities.

Carolina Lesbian

<http://carolinalesbian.com>

Carolina Lesbian is a community resource for lesbian and bisexual women in North and South Carolina. It is a place to find friends, local events, clubs, community resources, and support. The website includes local personals, community resources, and an online forum.

North Carolina Gay and Lesbian Attorneys (NC GALA)

www.ncgala.org

info@ncgala.org

(919) 680-6758

NC GALA is a voluntary state-wide non-profit attorneys' organization, providing visibility, support, and advocacy for LGBTQ communities.

Maintains a Legal Guide for LGBTQ individuals in NC and a listing of attorneys open to taking cases where the client is or is perceived to be LGBTQ.

Q-Notes

<http://q-notes.com>

Q-Notes is a free online and print LGBTQ publication for North and South Carolina containing news, a community calendar, and classifieds. Free at most LGBTQ bookstores and clubs.

Southerners On New Ground

www.southernersonnewground.org

paulina@southernersonnewground.org

caitlin@southernersonnewground.org

(919) 667-1362

SONG is a Durham-based organization advocates across the south for progressive social change by developing models for organizing that connect race, class, culture, gender and sexual identity.

CIVIL RIGHTS & POLITICS

ACLU of North Carolina

www.acluofnorthcarolina.org

The ACLU of North Carolina is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization dedicated to preserving the guarantees of individual liberty found in the Constitution and laws of the US and the state of North Carolina.

Equality NC

www.equalitync.org

Raleigh, NC 27611

(919) 829-0343

Equality NC is a statewide organization fighting for the civil rights of North Carolina's LGBTQ citizens. Activities include lobbying and advocacy, local organizing, education and outreach, voter registration and turnout, coalition building, and hosting a bi-annual summit of leaders from LGBTQ organizations across NC.

Human Rights Campaign (HRC)

www.hrc.org/northcarolina

jessica.c.lamb@gmail.com

The HRC holds monthly meetings in the Triangle, Triad, Greenville, and Charlotte. The HRC maintains information on state laws related to LGBTQ individuals.

SUPPORT

Project Rainbow Net

www.projectrainbownet.org

115 Market Street, Suite 400, Durham, NC 27701
(919) 956-9124 or (888) 232-9124

Project Rainbow Net provides specialized training, technical assistance to domestic violence service providers and LGBTQ organizations and provides resources about partner violence in LGBTQ relationships. An initiative of the North Carolina Coalition Against Domestic Violence.

TRANSGENDER

Drag Queens NC

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/dragqueensnc>

Drag Queens NC promotes Drag in NC. "No Drama Just Drag."

It's Time, North Carolina

<http://itstimenc.tripod.com>

itnc2000@aol.com

It's Time, North Carolina is a statewide organization, established to advance the social acceptance and political interests of the transgender and gender diverse community of North Carolina and to coordinate with such groups which might exist including transgender and gender diverse people in their mission statements.

North Carolina Transgender Unity

www.geocities.com/nctgunity

nctgunity@yahoo.com

(919) 363-8558

NC Transgender Unity provides information and resources for transgender people, significant others, and friends of transgender people.

Large listing of transgender support groups, political organizations, and other LGBTQ organizations in NC.

TransCarolina

www.transcarolina.org

TransCarolina is a social group for transgender-identified people and their admirers who live in North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee, and Georgia. The group has monthly outings and an online forum.

YOUTH

Alliance for Full Acceptance (AFFA)

www.affa-sc.org

(843) 883-0343

AFFA offers small grants to LGBTQ projects to organizations serving North and/or South Carolina youth. More broadly, AFFA is a social justice organization based in Charleston, SC that works to achieve equality and acceptance for LGBTQ people.

Safe Schools NC

www.safeschoolsnc.com

(910) 608-2016

Safe Schools NC is a statewide partnership of organizations and individuals dedicated to eliminating bullying, harassment, and discrimination on the basis of actual or perceived sexual orientation and gender identity in North Carolina schools. Safe Schools NC has a Gay Straight Alliance (GSA) Network. Join the GSA Network yahoo group by sending an email to info@safeschoolsnc.com.

Gay, Lesbian, and Straight Education Network (GLSEN)

www.glsen.org

(212) 727-0135

mdavis@glsen.org

GLSEN is the leading national education organization focused on ensuring safe schools for ALL students. Their Student Organizing site offers access to students, parents, and teachers on over 3500 Gay Straight Alliances (GSAs) throughout the country. There are 90 GSAs in North Carolina. To find a GSA near you, go to: www.studentorganizing.org/login.

UNIVERSITY

Campus Pride

www.campuspride.org

PO Box 240473, Charlotte, NC 28224

(704) 277-6710

Campus Pride is a national nonprofit organization for student leaders and campus groups working to create a safer college environment for LGBTQ students. The primary objective of Campus Pride is to develop necessary resources, programs and services to support LGBTQ and ally students on college campuses across the nation.

College Foundation of North Carolina

www.cfnc.org

The College Foundation of NC is an extensive database of NC scholarships for college. Includes scholarships for leadership and overcoming adversity.

Lambda 10 Project

www.lambda10.org

(704) 277-6710

shane@lambda10.org

The Lambda 10 Project - National Clearinghouse for LGBTQ Fraternity & Sorority Issues works to heighten the visibility of LGBTQ members of the college fraternity by serving as a clearinghouse for educational resources and educational materials related to sexual orientation and gender identity/expression.

HIV/AIDS

National AIDS Hotline

The National AIDS Hotline provides basic information on HIV/AIDS and provides referrals to local service providers.

1-800-CDC-INFO (242-4636)

1-800-243-7889 [TTY]

24 hours a day, 7 days a week

In English, en Español.

HIV/AIDS/HEP-C Nightline

The Nightline provides support for people with HIV/AIDS or hepatitis C and their caregivers during the evening and nighttime hours of 8:00pm – 8:00am

1-800 628-9240 (*in English*)

1-800 303-SIDA (*en Español*)

North Carolina County Health Departments

www.ncalhd.org/county.htm

All 100 county health departments offer free HIV testing, as well as other STD testing. Contact your county health department for more information.

North Carolina Department of Health HIV/STD Prevention and Care Branch

www.epi.state.nc.us/epi/hiv

1902 Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699

(919) 733-7301

Information on STDs and HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment, and care initiatives in NC. Resources for public health professionals, individual citizens, and health providers.

North Carolina HIV/AIDS Training Center (NCHTC)

www.hpolicy.duke.edu/nchtc

Duke University

(919) 613-9381

The NCHTC is the local provider of AIDS Education and Training Center services for North Carolina. NCHTC educates health care providers about HIV prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and psychological issues through clinical training, consultation and technical assistance.

FAITH COMMUNITIES

North Carolina Religious Coalition for Marriage Equality (NCRCE)

www.ncrc4me.org

NCRCE is building a movement grounded in faith, love and respect for the full human rights of members of the LGBTQ community.

SOCIAL

Carolina Ballroom Council

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/carolinaballroom>

Carolina Ballroom Council is Carolina's party central and news network.

Carolina Bear Lodge

www.carolinabears.com

PO Box 12982, Raleigh, NC 27605

(919) 598-9844

memberservice@carolinabears.com

Social group for bears in North Carolina and South Carolina.

Carolina's Womyn Dances

www.carolinaswomyndances.com

Carolina's Womyn Dances (CWD) represents a group of women from North Carolina who enjoy socializing, meeting new people and dancing at locations and events from Wilmington to the Triangle Area. CWD events raise funds for local charities.

Meet Up

www.meetup.com

Meet Up is a networking site to connect with others with shared interests in your community. NC Meet Up groups include gatherings focusing on LGBTQ families, spirituality, LGBTQ professionals, and more. Groups meet across the state.

The Wilderness Network of the Carolinas (WNC)

www.wildnetcaro.org

WNC is a loose-knit network of gay men and women who enjoy adventurous outdoors activities across North and South Carolina. WNC members vary in age from the 20s to 50s, and enjoy different outdoor activities of different levels of challenge.

Central & Northeast Coast

FAMILY & ALLIES

PFLAG - Carteret / Craven

PO Box 2134, Morehead City, NC 28557

(252) 727-2888

pflagccnc@yahoo.com

Meets at 7pm on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the Unitarian Coastal Fellowship in Morehead City. Addresses education and advocacy primarily with the Safe Schools Coalition Initiative.

UNIVERSITY

East Carolina University

B-GLAD

www.ecu.edu/org/bglad

Greenville, NC 27858

(252) 328-2692

bglad@mail.ecu.edu

HIV/AIDS

Down East HIV/AIDS Consortium

Hyde, Martin, Tyrrell and Washington Counties

198 NC Highway 45, North Plymouth, NC 27962

(252) 791-3125

billiehs@yahoo.com

Eastern NC HIV/AIDS Consortium

Beaufort, Craven, Greene, Johnston, Lenoir, Pamlico, Pitt, Wake and Wayne Counties

PO Box 30705, Greenville, NC 27833

(252) 353-7919

kristi@gsiwave.com

Jeff Jones HIV Health Care Consortium

Camden, Chowan, Currituck, Dare, Pasquotank, and Perquimans Counties and Ocracoke Island

www.ppcc.dst.nc.us/jeff_jones.html

Albemarle Regional Health Services

PO Box 189, Elizabeth City, NC 27907

(252) 338-4385 or 1-888-678-9309

rat@ppcc.dst.nc.us

The Consortium serves persons infected with HIV/AIDS, as well as their families that live in one of the Consortium's counties. Eligible clients have access to a variety of services, including: transportation assistance, medical and dental care, home health and hospice, education and prevention information, and referrals.

Pitt County AIDS Service Organization (PICASO)

<http://picaso.org>

PO Box 8685, Greenville NC 27835

(252) 830-1660

PiCASO provides services to individuals in Pitt County infected with HIV. These services include: educational services, case management, emergency financial assistance, specialized food pantry, housing assistance, transportation assistance, and support.

FAITH COMMUNITIES

Unitarian Coastal Fellowship

www.ucfnc.org

1300 Evans Street, Morehead City, NC 28557

(252) 240-2283

sfetzter@alumni.grinnell.edu

UU Congregation of the Outer Banks

www.uucob.org

831 Herbert Perry Road, Kitty Hawk, NC 27949

(252) 261-2801

info@uucob.org

Southeast Coast

Lesbian Information Network Coalition (LINC)

www.lincoffayetteville.org

PO Box 88073, Fayetteville, NC 28304

contactus@lincoffayetteville.org

LINC is a lesbian community network based in Fayetteville, NC, committed to creating a safe and affirming community by building bridges through varied social, educational and recreational support networks.

Contains a list of local Fayetteville LGBTQ resources.

Out Wilmington Community Center

www.outwilmington.com

113 Dock Street, Wilmington, NC 28401

(910) 762-4717

The Out Wilmington Community Center holds many social and support programs and maintains a community calendar of LGBTQ events in the area.

The website is a portal for local events and organizations in Southeastern NC and maintains an extensive listing of resources in the area.

FAMILY & ALLIES

PFLAG - Fayetteville

2406 Kimberly Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28306

(910) 261-4259

psycannon@aol.com

pflagallamerican@aol.com

PFLAG-Wilmington/ Cape Fear

<http://outwilmington.com/PFLAGofWilmington.htm>

Unitarian Church, 4313 Lake Avenue, Wilmington, NC 28403

Meetings are held on the 4th Monday of every month at 7:30 pm.

(910) 256-5787 (Judy Talbert)

(910) 452-9162 (Mary Ellen Wheeler)

maryellenwheeler@aol.com (Mary Ellen Wheeler)

ebpryan@aol.com (Bonnie Ryan)

TRANSGENDER

Cross Creek Girls Club

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ccgcfay>

The Cross Creek Girls Club is a social group for crossdressers, transgendered and transsexual individuals, their families and friends based in Fayetteville area.

OutWilmington Trans Group

www.outwilmington.com/transgender.htm

transgender@outwilmington.com

(910) 619-6570

The OutWilmington Transgender Group meets the 2nd Thursday of every month at the OutWilmington Community Center. The Group is designed to meet the needs of the trans and trans-questioning community through networking, providing information, and socialization.

YOUTH

OutWilmington LGBTQ Youth Group

(910) 762-4717

Mondays, 7-9 pm

HIV/AIDS

Coastal Carolina HIV Care Consortium

Brunswick, Carteret, Jones, New Hanover, Onslow & Pender Counties

<http://coastalcarolinacareconsortium.org>

925 N 4th Street Wilmington, NC 28401

(910) 815-6930

The Consortium facilitates the following services through case managers: transportation, medications, substance abuse services, mental health treatment, ambulatory/outpatient medical care, oral health care, and case management/benefits advocacy.

Dogwood Consortium

Bladen, Columbus, Cumberland, Duplin, Harnett, Robeson, Sampson & Scotland Counties

Robeson County Health Department

460 Country Club Road, Fayetteville, NC 28302

(910) 737-5010

Sandra.smith@hth.co.robeson.nc.us

New Hanover Community Health Center (NHCHC)

www.nhchc.net

925 North Fourth Street, Wilmington, NC 28401

(910) 343-0270

NHCHC provides medical care and case management. Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance plans are honored. If you have no insurance, Medicaid, or Medicare, you may apply for our sliding fee discount for services.

New Hanover Regional Medical Center

www.nhnh.org

2131 South 17th Street, Wilmington, NC 28401

(910) 342-3122

New Hanover Regional Medical Center Infectious Disease Clinic provides case management and medical services. Ryan White certified agency.

Robeson County Health Department (RCHD)

<http://publichealth.southernregionalahec.org/Robeson>

460 Country Club Road, Lumberton, NC 28358

(910) 671-3200

RCHD offers medical, home health, and social work services to individuals in and around Robeson County. Also provides medical care to individuals with HIV/AIDS.

**Free HIV testing offered*

Robeson Home Health Care (RHHC)

www.robesonhealthcare.com

(910) 739-1665

RHHC offers a comprehensive HIV program for residents of Robeson and surrounding counties consisting of American Indian HIV/AIDS research, service coordination, case management, and early intervention services.

Tri-County Community Health Center

www.tcchc.com/about.html

(910) 567-2646

3331 Easy St, Dunn, NC 28334

Tri-County provides care to the community members and farmworkers of Sampson, Harnett, Johnston, Bladen and Pender counties, as well as surrounding rural areas. Tri-County accepts Medicaid, Medicare, private insurance. Ryan White certified agency. Services include medical and dental care, substance abuse services, and social service referrals. All services are provided in English and in Spanish.

**HIV testing offered*

FAITH COMMUNITIES

Blessed Family of God Church

www.bfog.org

829 Gillespie Street, Fayetteville, NC 28306

BlessedFamofGod@aol.com

Church of the Painted Sky

www.paintedskychurch.org

Lumberton, NC

Reverend_Katharine@yahoo.com

An Open Door Christian Community.

Church of the Servant Episcopal Church

www.churchoftheservantwilmingtonnc.org

4925 Oriole Drive, Wilmington, NC 28409

(910) 395-0616

cos@eastnc.twcbc.com

Fayetteville Bible Study Group

progressiveredneckpreacher@yahoo.com

A bible group focused on LGBTQ people interested in Christ and Christianity, and their friends and supporters.

First Presbyterian Church

www.firstonthird.org

125 South Third Street, Wilmington, NC 28401

(910) 762-6688

info@firstonthird.org

Lutheran Church of Reconciliation

www.lcorwilmington.org

7500 Market Street, Wilmington, NC 28411

(910) 686-4742

St. Jude's Metropolitan Community Church

www.stjudesmcc.org

19 N. 26th Street, Wilmington, NC 28403

(910) 762-5833

stjudes@stjudesmcc.org

Saint Patrick Church

www.stpatnc.org

2844 Village Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28304

(910) 323-2410 or (910) 323-2418

churchoffice@stpatnc.org

Triangle

Gay and Lesbian Helpline

www.tcworks.org/helpline.htm

Helpline: (919) 821-0055

Staffed Sunday-Thursday 6:30-9:30pm

helpline@tcworks.org

The Helpline serves the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender communities of the Triangle, by providing peer counseling services, education, information, resource referrals and documentation of bias.

A great place to get information or ask questions. Has access to 1000's of local referrals and organizations.

Lesbian Resource Center (LRC)

www.trianglelrc.org

trianglelrc@yahoo.com

The LRC works to visibly and actively promote the health and well-being of the diverse community of lesbians, bisexual women and other women who partner with women through education, advocacy, resources and referrals in the Triangle area.

Maintains a list of LGBTQ friendly health providers.

North Carolina Pride Parade and Festival

www.ncpride.org

info@ncpride.org

The annual NC Pride Parade and Festival, the parade is the signature event in a weekend's worth of activities, seminars, parties and activities each Fall in the Triangle area.

Out Triangle

www.outtriangle.com

info@outtriangle.com

(919) 395-1697

Out Triangle seeks to centralize LGBTQ Triangle events and resources.

LGBTQ online resource directory and events calendar.

Triangle Community Foundation (TCF)

www.trianglecf.org

TCF is a nonprofit organization that manages \$120 million in grant funds. TCF make grants to a variety of programs serving Wake, Durham, Orange and Chatham Counties.

Triangle Community Works

www.tcworks.org

tcw@tcworks.org

608 West Johnson Street, Suite 1, Raleigh, NC 27603

(919) 821-0675

Triangle Community Works is a coalition of individuals, organizations, and programs working to make our environment a safe, healthy, and life-affirming place for members of LGBTQ communities and their allies in the Triangle area.

Triangle Grrrls

<http://trianglegrrrls.com>

Triangle Grrrls publishes an event calendar and runs an online forum – creating and promoting events for lesbian, bisexual, and transgender women to socialize, network and explore the Triangle.

Triangle Local Events

www.trianglelocalevents.com

Triangle Local Events is a comprehensive weekly email digest of local LGBTQ events in the Triangle area. The mailing list reaches over 3,000 subscribers every week.

SUPPORT

Al-Anon & Alateen –District 6, Raleigh

www.alanonalateen6nc.org

(919) 713-1516

(800) 243-4035 – *in English*

(800) 251-5738 – *en Español*

Support for families and friends of alcoholics.

Alcoholics Anonymous

(919) 286-9499

Durham - GLBT Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting

Duke Episcopal Student Center, 505 Alexander Avenue

A weekly LGBTQ meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous, every Monday at 6:30 pm. For general AA information in Durham call the hotline.

Bereavement Group

(919) 403-6881

Imani MCC sponsors a Weekly Loss and Bereavement support group, Thursdays, 7:00pm - 8:30 pm. This is a free group is open to anyone that wants to address a loss and deal with bereavement.

El Centro Hispano

www.elcentronc.org

(919) 687-4635

201 West Main Street, Suite 100, Durham, NC 27701

Entre Amig@s -- If you are Latin@, gay, bisexual, transgender or just unsure, come join the group for get-togethers the 2nd and 4th Sunday of every month at 6pm to learn about and discuss topics that interest us.

Hermanos de Luna y Sol is a leadership training program on HIV/AIDS for the gay community.

Inter-Faith Council of Social Services (IFC)

www.ifcweb.org

110 W. Main Street, Carrboro, NC 37510

(919) 929-6380

IFC provides emergency shelter, emergency financial assistance, medical treatment and meals for those in need.

Men Against Rape Culture

www.marcnc.blogspot.com

bproffitt33@yahoo.com

Men Against Rape Culture is a collective of men working against rape culture in the South. The group is based in Durham but facilitates workshops around the region.

Orange County Rape Crisis Center (OCRCC)

www.ocrcc.org

24hr Crisis Line: 1-866-WE-LISTEN (935-4783)

(919) 338-0746 [TTY]

(919) 968-4647 [office]

825-A N. Estes Drive, Chapel Hill, NC 27515

info@ocrcc.org

OCRCC is a Chapel Hill resource center that provides services to survivors of sexual violence and community education on awareness and prevention of sexual violence.

Passing Twice

<http://passingtwice.com>

PO Box 91267, Durham, NC 27708

passing_twice@hotmail.com

Passing Twice is a national informal network of gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender stutterers and their friends.

Planned Parenthood – Central NC

www.plannedparenthood.org/centralnc

(866) 942-7762

Offices in Chapel Hill, Durham, and Fayetteville.

Planned Parenthood offers confidential and affordable care including: birth control, Emergency Contraception, abortion services, gynecological exams and cancer screenings, pregnancy testing and options information, testing for STIs and HIV, treatment for STIs, annual physicals, and breast exams. Services available in Spanish.

Triangle Family Services

www.tfsnc.org

(919) 821-0790

Triangle Family Services provides individual and family counseling, Time Together Visitation, emergency housing assistance, and consumer credit counseling. United Way agency / sliding scale fees. Offices in Raleigh, Cary, and Chapel Hill. Can schedule day/evening appointments. Services available in Spanish.

Triangle Men's Center

www.trianglemenscenter.org

PO Box 6155, Raleigh, NC 27628

(919) 832-0509

The Triangle Men's Center is focused on helping men to grow, enrich and improve their lives through mutual support, personal fellowship and ongoing activities. Its goal is to strengthen men as they occupy the roles of son, father, husband/partner, friend and citizen, and it runs support groups and hosts community gatherings. *Provides numerous health provider and community referrals.*

Ubuntu

<http://iambecauseweare.wordpress.com>

Ubuntu is a Durham based community group breaking the silence about sexual assault and racist violence as part of a long struggle against racism, classism, sexism and all forms of oppression. UBUNTU is a Women of Color and Survivor-led group.

Women's Center of Chapel Hill

www.womenspace.org

210 Henderson Street, Chapel Hill, NC 27514

(919) 968-4610

Women's Center runs a lesbian reading group and provides resources for women.

FAMILY & ALLIES

Triangle Families

www.trianglefamilies.org

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/trianglefamilies>.

Triangle Families is a group for LGBTQ parents and their families, wannabe parents, and friends of LGBTQ families. Triangle Families meets monthly in locations throughout the Triangle.

Triangle PFLAG

www.pflagtriangle.org

PFLAG is an all volunteer, not-for-profit organization dedicated to helping parents and their gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and questioning children understand each other.

Raleigh Area - (919) 634-1148

Chapel Hill/Durham Area - (919) 929-0192

pflagtriangle@nc.rr.com

Chapel Hill PFLAG, 1st Thursday of the month, 7:30

United Church of Chapel Hill, 1321 MLK Blvd

Rocky Mount - Ichesson@aol.com

Rocky Mount PFLAG, 3rd Tuesday of the month

TRANSGENDER

Sigma Rho Delta, Tri-Ess

www.geocities.com/WestHollywood/Cafe/6000

Raleigh, NC 27675

Sigma Rho Delta, Tri-Ess is a support and social group for cross dressers and significant others.

Strong list of NC and national resources.

Trans Health Clinic in the Triangle

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/transclinic>

This is a group of folks in the Triangle area of NC who have come together to organize a free or low cost health clinic for transgender, transsexual, genderqueer, and intersex people.

Triangle Transgender Support (TTS)

<http://tts.vicci.us>

The TTS offers monthly support group meetings and email lists.

YOUTH

A Safer Place Youth Network (ASPYN)

www.tcworks.org/aspyn

aspyn@tcworks.org

(919) 821-0055

ASPYN sponsors Coffee House Hang-OUTs, and informal social gatherings for LGBTQ and allied youth ages 13-23 facilitated by ASPYN volunteers. Held 5:30-7:30 pm on the 2nd Saturdays of the month in Durham, and the 4th Saturdays of the month in Raleigh.

Haven House

www.havenhousenc.org

908 W. Morgan Street, Raleigh

**24 hour support and hotline: (919) 832-7866
1-800-815-7714**

Haven House provides help to runaway and homeless youth in Wake County. Haven House is a temporary youth crisis shelter (Wrenn House) in Raleigh serving 10-17 year olds. Youth can stay for 72 hours without a parent/guardian signing them in. Haven House also offers free family or individual counseling at our facility and can provide family therapy in the home.

iNSIDEoUT

www.insideout180.org

iNSIDEoUT180@gmail.com (Amy Glaser)

iNSIDEoUT is a youth-led organization for teens and Gay-Straight-Alliances (GSA) in the Triangle. iNSIDEoUT runs workshops on queer youth activism, has worked to change school policy, and has get-to-gethers and great parties for LGBTQ and allied youth.

Queer Youth Drop-In Night

<http://profile.myspace.com/index.cfm?fuseaction=user.viewprofile&friendID=85927819>

Queer Youth Drop In Night happens every Friday from 5-8 pm at Internationalist Books in Chapel Hill (on Franklin Street).

Queer Youth Takeover – Triangle

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/queeryouthtakeovernc>

Queer Youth Takeover is a network of folks in the Triangle that seeks to provide support, space, and queerbling love to all LGBTQ, questioning, and allied youth in the NC Triangle area and beyond.

Wake Teen

www.waketeen.org

Wake Teen provides medical and mental health services for adolescents in Wake County, as well as peer health education.

Youth Drop In

www.myspace.com/bchq

www.bullcityhq.org

bullcityhq@gmail.com

Bull City Head Quarters, 723 N. Mangum St, Durham

Weekly Queer Youth Drop-In Night on Fridays from 6-8pm.

UNIVERSITY

Duke University

Center for LGBT Life

<http://lgbt.studentaffairs.duke.edu>

Center for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Life provides education, advocacy, support, and space for LGBTQ, questioning, and allied students, staff, and faculty at Duke, as well as alumni and community members.

Meredith College

Spectrum

LGBTQ student group

Contact Margarita Suarez [faculty advisor], (919) 760-8063
suarezm@meredith.edu

North Carolina Central University

Colors

LGBTQ student group

Contact David Jolly [faculty advisor], (919) 530-7130

djolly@ncceu.edu

North Carolina State University

Bisexuals, Gays, Lesbians, & Allies (BGLA)

<http://clubs.ncsu.edu/bgla>

LGBTQ student group

Delta Lambda Phi

www.dlp.org/betaalpha

Delta Lambda Phi is a fraternity whose purpose is to enhance the quality of life for men, regardless of sexuality.

Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Services

www.ncsu.edu/lgbt

(919) 513-3249

lgbt_services@ncsu.edu

LGBT Services provides educational programming for students regarding LGBTQ concerns at NC State.

Project SAFE

www.ncsu.edu/safe

Project SAFE's mission is to provide a safe, nonjudgmental campus climate for any student, faculty, or staff who may have questions and/or concerns related to LGBTQ issues.

University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill

LGBTQ Center

<http://lgbt.unc.edu>

(919) 843-5376

lgbtq@unc.edu

The LGBTQ Center provides support, social, and educational programming and services.

Webpage contains UNC LGBTQ related resources, programs, and LGBTQ student groups.

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender - Straight Alliance

www.unc.edu/glbtsa

Southeastern Regional UNITY Conference

www.unc.edu/qlbtsa/unity

The Unity Conference is an annual gathering of progressive LGBTQ identified people and their allies in the Southeast.

HIV/AIDS

AIDS Community Residence Association (ACRA)

www.acra-org.com

(919) 956-7901

ACRA is a Durham based organization providing housing solutions and case management for people living with HIV/AIDS. ACRA maintains 3 housing sites and can dispense emergency rent and utility funds to people living with HIV/AIDS.

AIDS Legal Project

www.law.duke.edu/aidsproject

Duke Law School

(919) 613-7169

The Duke AIDS Legal Project provides free legal assistance to low-income HIV-infected individuals.

Alliance of AIDS Services – Carolina (AAS-C)

www.aas-c.org

324 S. Harrington Street, Raleigh, NC 27603

(919) 834-3404

info@aas-c.org

AAS-C serves people living with HIV/AIDS, their loved ones, caregivers and the community at large through direct services, prevention, education, and advocacy. With offices in Durham and Raleigh, AAS-C's services include: emergency financial assistance, a food pantry, arrangements for case management, assistance applying for social services, outside referrals, and ministry services. AASC also runs two group homes for individuals living with HIV.

Extensive listing of HIV/AIDS resources in NC

**HIV testing offered*

B.E.R.T. Center

www.bertcenter.org

211 W. Martin Street, Suites 160 & 170, Raleigh, NC 27601

(919) 821-5162

The BERT Center is dedicated to serving the Black community through specialized case management services to those infected or affected by HIV/AIDS. Applicants must have health insurance.

CAARE, Inc.

www.caare-inc.org

205 Broadway Street, Durham, NC 27701

(919) 683-5300

CAARE provides case management, food pantry, transitional housing counseling, testing, prevention, and substance abuse services free of charge to NC residents who living with HIV/AIDS.

**HIV testing offered*

Duke AIDS Research and Treatment Center (DART)

<http://dart.medicine.duke.edu>

Duke University Medical Center, Erwin Road, Durham, NC 27710

(919) 684-8111

DART provides HIV/AIDS patient care, fosters innovative but responsible clinical research, and trains medical practitioners in HIV/AIDS clinical care.

Health Departments

Durham County Health Department

414 East Main Street, Durham, NC 27701

(919) 560-7650

Confidential HIV testing provided for community residents. No appointment needed. Also has STD testing.

**Free HIV testing offered*

Early Intervention Clinic provides medical treatment and social work services to residents of Durham County living with HIV/AIDS; by appointment.

(919) 560-7726

Orange County Health Department

www.co.orange.nc.us/health

(919) 245-2415

HIV testing and counseling services are provided free of charge. Appointments are preferred. Maternity care, family planning, child health, immunizations, TB skin tests, STD care also provided. Medicaid, Health Choice and Blue Cross Blue Shield accepted.

**Free HIV testing offered*

Hillsborough

300 West Tryon Street

(919) 245-2400

Chapel Hill
Southern Human Services Center
2501 Homestead Road
(919) 968-2022

Wake County Health Department

www.wakegov.com/humanservices
(919) 250-3950 (*Hotline for HIV testing locations and times throughout Wake County, testing offered almost everyday*)

HIV/STD Testing-Wake County Human Services Clinic E

10 Sunnybrook Road Raleigh
Monday through Friday, 8:30am-11:30am
Wednesdays from 5:00–7:00pm
**Free HIV testing offered*

Piedmont HIV Health Care Consortium

Durham, Person, Granville, Franklin, Vance and Warren Counties
www.phicas.org
Durham, NC 27701
(919) 682-3998

The Consortium providing clinical and community-based education and training, service coordination and case management for HIV+, HCV+, and co-infected individuals in its six county region.

Resource Guide: *Maintains a comprehensive HIV/AIDS Resource Guide for Durham, Franklin, Granville, Person, Vance and Warren Counties which includes social, health, employment, housing, and support services (154 pages)*
www.phicas.org/uploads/media/Resource_Guide_-_complete_02.pdf

Project STYLE

www.stylenc.org
2160 Bioinformatics, CB #7030, Chapel Hill, NC 27599
(919) 843-4722
Project STYLE runs two support groups for HIV+ young men of color in Durham and Raleigh. STYLE provides client services and medical care for individuals living with HIV and provides HIV prevention programming and HIV testing for the general community. Lastly, STYLE provides outreach and healthcare provider education.
**Free HIV testing offered*

SHAC: Student Health Action Coalition

www.med.unc.edu/shac
301 Lloyd Street, Carrboro, NC 27510
(919) 942-8741
SHAC is a student run health clinic Wednesday nights 6:00 – 9:00pm. SHAC offers free, confidential, rapid HIV testing as well as numerous other services, including physical exams, vaccinations, acute care for minor injuries, and comprehensive laboratory services.
**Free HIV testing offered*

Triangle Points, AG

www.trianglepoints.org
trianglepoints@gmail.com
Triangle Points is a harm reduction program that provides disease prevention kits free of charge to any individual or organization in central NC. Prevention kits include sterile water, alcohol pads/hand sanitizer, gauze pads, cookers, ties, and band-aids. Triangle Points can also provide overdose prevention education and serves as a linkage to community resources.
Triangle Points maintains a comprehensive listing of resources related to substance use. Email for more info.

Wake County Human Services

PO Box 14049, Raleigh NC 27620
(919) 212-9575
Wake County Human Services provides HIV/AIDS medical care. Ryan White Title II funds.

UNC-CH Infectious Disease Clinic

NC Memorial Hospital, First Floor, Chapel Hill
(919) 966-7198
The Infectious Disease (ID) Clinic at UNC Memorial Hospital specializes in treating people with infectious diseases such as HIV/AIDS, TB, STDs, and acute and chronic infections. The ID Clinic provides direct medical care, mental health counseling services, substance abuse counseling, and financial counseling.
**HIV testing offered*

FAITH COMMUNITIES

APEX

Lutherans Concerned of the Triangle

lctriangle@lcna.org

Prince of Peace Episcopal Church

www.theprinceofpeace.org

1200 North Salem Street, Apex, NC 27502
(919) 367-7835

CARRBORO

Episcopal Church of the Advocate

www.ouradvocate.org

PO Box 9, Carrboro, NC 27510
(919) 933-3221

CHAPEL HILL

Binkley Baptist Church

www.binkleychurch.org

1712 Willow Drive, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 942-4964

Chapel Hill Christian Church

www.chapelhillchristianchurch.org

980 Martin Luther King Blvd, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 929-2558

Chapel Hill Friends Meeting

www.chapelhillfriends.org

531 Raleigh Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 929-5377

Chapel Hill Kehillah

www.chkehillah.org

1200 Mason Farm Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 942-8914
admin@chkehillah.org

Chapel of the Cross (Episcopal)

www.thechapelofthecross.org

304 East Franklin Street, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 929-2193
info@thechapelofthecross.org

Church of The Reconciliation (Presbyterian)

www.churchrec.org

110 N. Elliott Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 929-2127

Community Church of Chapel Hill (Unitarian Universalist)

www.mindspring.com/~c3h

106 Purefoy Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 942-2050

Holy Trinity Church and Lutheran Campus Ministry

www.holytrinitychapelhill.org

300 East Rosemary Street, Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 942-2678

Newman Catholic Student Center Parish

www.newman-chapelhill.org

218 Pittsboro Street, Chapel Hill, NC 27516
(919) 929-3730

NC Hillel

www.nchillel.org/site/c.irKQIUPEIsE/b.849737/k.CC31/Home.htm

210 West Cameron Avenue, Chapel Hill, NC 27516
(919) 942-4057

Queer Jews and Friends

(919) 286-7801

Wesley Foundation (Methodist students)

www.uncwesley.org

214 Pittsboro Street, Chapel Hill, NC 27516
(919) 942-2152

United Church of Christ of Chapel Hill

www.unitedchurch.org

1321 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Chapel Hill, NC 27514
(919) 942-3540

Unity Center Of Peace Church

www.unitychapelhill.org

8800 Seawell School Road, Chapel Hill, NC 27516
(919) 968-1854

DURHAM

All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church

www.allsoulsdurham.org

Central Park School for Children
724 Foster Street, Durham, NC 27701
(919) 956-8494
info@allsoulsdurham.org

Calvary United Methodist Church

www.calvarync.org

304 E. Trinity Avenue, Durham, NC 27701
(919) 688-7138

Duke Chapel

www.chapel.duke.edu/home

PO Box 90974, Durham, NC 27708
(919) 681-1704

Durham Friends Meeting

<http://durhammonthlymtg.home.mindspring.com>

404 Alexander Avenue, Durham, NC 27705
(919) 286-4958

Eno River Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

www.eruuf.org

4907 Garrett Road, Durham, NC 27707
(919) 489-2575

First Presbyterian Church

www.firstpres-durham.org

305 East Main Street, Durham, NC 27701
(919) 682-5511

Imani Metropolitan Community Church

www.imanimccnc.com

PO Box 51821, Durham, NC 27717
(919) 403-6881

Immaculate Conception Catholic Church

www.immaculate-conception-church.org

716A Burch Avenue, Durham, NC 27701
(919) 682-3449

Institute for Inclusive Christianity

www.inclusivechristians.org

1905 Bivins Street, Durham, NC 27707

Our Lady of Peace Independent Catholic Church

www.ourladyofpeace-icc.org

(919) 741-5159
frchris@ourladyofpeace-icc.org

Pilgrim United Church of Christ

www.pilgrimucc-durham.org

3011 Academy Road, Durham, NC 27707
(919) 489-1381

St. Philips Episcopal Church Durham

www.stphilipsdurham.org

403 East Main Street, Durham, NC
(919) 682-5708

Watts Street Baptist Church of Durham

www.wattsstreet.org

800 Watts Street, Durham, NC 27701
(919) 688-1366

RALEIGH

Community United Church of Christ

www.communityucc.org

814 Dixie Trail, Raleigh NC 27607
(919) 787-6422

Pullen Memorial Baptist Church

www.pullen.org

1801 Hillsborough Street, Raleigh, NC 27605
(919) 828-0897

Raleigh Friends Meeting

www.rtpnet.org/friends
625 Tower Street, Raleigh, NC 27607
(919) 821-4414

Soka Gakkai International (SGI-USA)

www.sgi-usa.org
North Carolina Community Center
6307-A Chapel Hill Road, Raleigh, NC 27607
(919) 859-0112

A Buddhist organization who has made a clear stance that LGBTQ people are not just included and accepted in the organization but in fact play a unique and invaluable role in ensuring world peace. SGI has a Triangle area LGBTQ group which meets every two months.

St. Francis of Assisi Gay and Lesbian Ministry

www.sfaraleigh.org/SFA/Home/Home.htm
11401 Leesville Road, Raleigh, NC 27613
(919) 847-8205

St. John's Metropolitan Community Church

www.stjohnsmcc.org
805 Glenwood Avenue, Raleigh, NC 27605
(919) 834- 2611

St. Mark's Episcopal

www.stmarks-ral.org
1725 New Hope Road, Raleigh NC 27604
(919) 231-6767

Temple Beth Or

<http://templebethor-raleigh.org>
5315 Creedmoor Road, Raleigh, NC 27612
(919) 781-4895

Triangle AIDS Interfaith Network

(919) 828-3121 or (919) 286-4001

Umstead United Church of Christ

www.northraleighunited.org
(919) 844-6661
Moving late summer 2007

Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Raleigh

www.uufr.org
3313 Wade Avenue, Raleigh, NC 27607
(919) 781-7635

SOCIAL

Carolina Rollergirls

www.carolinarollergirls.com
Raleigh, NC 27619
Carolina Rollergirls is an all-female, amateur, flat-track roller derby league.

Common Woman Chorus

www.commonwomanchorus.net
Durham, NC 27717
infocwc@yahoo.com
The Common Woman Chorus is a feminist organization that encourages friendship and the open exchange of beliefs and insights through song.

Crape Myrtle Festival, Inc

www.crapemyrtlefest.org
Crape Myrtle Festival is a yearly festival in Raleigh started in 1981 to raise funds for local organizations assisting people living with HIV/AIDS and those within the LGBTQ community.

Cuntry Kings

www.cuntrykings.com
The Cuntry Kings fashion feminist, anti-racist drag performance from the raw material of pop culture, Southern queer experience, and national disgrace.

Drag Bingo

www.dragbingo.com
220 Foster Street, Durham, NC 27701
Drag Bingo generates income benefiting the Alliance of AIDS Services.

Kings and Queens Bowling League

(919) 215-8066
KQBowling@aol.com

Bring a friend and join the LGBTQ community for a FUN night of bowling with over 100 bowlers, spectators, and supporters. The bowling facility has been a LGBTQ friendly environment for over 25 years. The league meets 7:30 PM - 10:00 PM at 1827 Capital Blvd, Raleigh, NC 27604

Kodiaks Rugby Football Club

www.kodiaksrffc.org

kodiaksrugby@yahoo.com

The Kodiaks is a gay and trans friendly rugby team in the Triangle area. Open to beginners and new members.

North Carolina Gay and Lesbian Film Festival

www.carolinatheatre.org/ncglff

(919) 560-3040

The NC Gay and Lesbian Film Festival is an annual August event held at the Carolina Theatre in Durham displaying film work by, for, and/or about LGBTQ people featuring a diverse array of shorts, documentaries and feature films.

North Carolina Pride Marching Band

www.NCPrideBand.org

NCPMB@aol.com

NC Pride Marching Band is celebrating its 19th year and invites anyone who has ever played a marching band instrument to join.

Outspokin'NC

www.outspokinnc.org

info@outspokinnc.org

Outspokin'NC is a social cycling club for the LGBTQ community and friends in central North Carolina. The group welcomes all paces and abilities and has regular rides on Sunday mornings.

Raleigh/Durham Primetimers

www.primetimersorg/rduprimetimers

(919) 481-3419

Primetimers is a social club for older gay men and their younger friends serving the Raleigh-Durham-Chapel Hill area.

Silver Roses

grayangel_61@yahoo.com

Silver Roses is a group for lesbians over 50 and those who love them (which means some 40 plus). The group meets every Sunday. Events have included poker nite, Durham Bulls game, and camping.

SWOOP

www.swoop4u.org

(919) 828-9803

Strong Women Organizing Outrageous Projects (SWOOP) is a NC non-profit organization of women volunteering to help the elderly, low income, and disabled people with projects in the Triangle area.

TCW Games Night

www.tcworks.org/currentevents.htm

(919) 821-0675

Think you might enjoy playing board and card games with other gay people in a relaxed, alcohol and smoke-free atmosphere? Triangle Community Works, in conjunction with Interweave, sponsors this LGBTQ game-playing night twice a month in Raleigh and Durham.

Triangle Area Gay Scientists (TAGS)

<http://tags.zuberfowler.com>

Chapel Hill 27514

(919) 929-4997

tags@zuberfowler.com

Gay Scientists?! LGBTQs - all welcome. Hosts monthly potlucks.

Triangle Gay Men's Chorus

www.tgmchorus.org

PO Box 14452, Durham, NC 27709

(919) 990-1318

info@tgmchorus.org

The Triangle Gay Men's Chorus is a performing arts organization that provides a venue for gay and gay-affirming individuals to develop their interests and display their musical talents in a professional manner.

Triangle Older Gay Association (TOGA)

(919) 969-7650 or (919) 542-1139

TOGA is a social club for gay men from the age of 40. Meets 4th Saturday of the month for a covered dish dinner. Call for location.

Triangle Tennis Club

www.triangletennisclub.com

Raleigh 27628

Triangle Tennis Club (TTC) is the Triangle area's first Gay and Lesbian tennis club. TTC meets every Friday evening, weather permitting.

Triangle Womyn of Color

www.trianglecolors.com

twoc@trianglecolors.com

Triangle Womyn of Color's emphasis is on supporting the community and providing a social outlet for queer women of color. The group offers a wide variety of events including discussion group meetings, workshops, outdoor activities, and road trips.

Triad

Out Greensboro

<http://OutGreensboro.com>

(336) 324-6092

Alternative Resources of the Triad is a portal for organizations and events in the Triad.

Lots of resources and information on the Triad area.

Adam Foundation, Inc.

www.adamfoundation.org

PO Box 21113, Winston Salem, NC 27120

info@adamfoundation.org

The Adam Foundation promotes the identity, strength, and well-being of the local LGBTQ community and supports organizations serving persons living with HIV/AIDS through grants to organizations and programs in Forsyth County and in nearby counties.

Guilford Green Foundation

www.ggfnc.org

330 South Greene Street, Suite # 100, Greensboro, NC 27401

(336) 379-9100 ext: 129

info@ggfnc.org

The Guilford Green Foundation promotes diversity and inclusiveness throughout the gay and lesbian community and the greater Piedmont community by raising and distributing funds for qualified LGBTQ organizations and programs in Guilford, Alamance, Randolph, Rockingham and Davidson Counties.

Triad Business And Professional Guild

www.triadguild.com

PO Box 4753, Greensboro, NC 27404

(336) 272-4256

membership@triadguild.com

The Triad Business and Professional Guild promotes networking, professional development, personal enrichment, and social opportunities for professionals and allies in the Piedmont Triad. Meets the third Thursdays of the month.

Triad Womyn

www.triadwomyn.com

TriadWomyn is an email list group for lesbians in Winston-Salem (and surrounding areas) to help women establish a network of friends and activity partners.

CIVIL RIGHTS & POLITICS

North Carolina Advocacy Coalition (NCAC)

<http://activatencac.interstateeq.com>

PO Box 24972, Winston Salem, NC 27114

(336) 391-9528

ncadvocacy@gmail.com

Activate! - NCAC is a coalition of students, young adults, community members and activists committed to the cause of civil and social equality for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and intersex people.

Triad Equality Alliance (TEA)

www.triadequality.org

PO Box 19842, Greensboro, NC 27419

info@triadequality.org

TEA's mission is to eliminate prejudice and to secure social justice and civil rights for LGBTQ people by educating and enlightening the general public about LGBTQ members of the community and the special issues affecting them.

SUPPORT

Contact Helpline of the Triad

(336) 722-5153

Contact is a 24-hour listening, referral, and information hotline. Provides social service and support referrals throughout Forsyth County and neighboring areas.

Alcoholics Anonymous - Greensboro

www.aagreensboronc.com

(336) 854-4278

info@aagreensboronc.com

Al-Anon/Alateen Information Services – Greensboro

(336) 332-0090

Support for families and friends of alcoholics.

Al-Anon/Alateen Information Services – Winston-Salem

(336) 723-1452

info@wsalanon.org

Support for families and friends of alcoholics.

FAMILY & ALLIES

PFLAG - Alamance

4 White Oak, Elon, NC 27244

(336) 584-3366

ellieketcham@aol.com

PFLAG Alamance meets monthly on the 2nd Tuesdays of the month at 7:30 pm in the library of Elon Community Church. Sponsors occasional speakers who support LGBTQ concerns. Maintains an active email list of people who support LGBTQ individuals.

PFLAG - Greensboro

www.pflaggreensboro.org

PO Box 4153, Greensboro, NC 27404

(336) 852-8489

tomclarke@mindspring.com or lastroupe@aol.com

PFLAG Greensboro holds a support group each month where all are welcome to come and share their experiences with others who are facing or who have faced similar issues.

PFLAG - Transgender Network (TNET)

www.pflag.org/TNET

1903 Kildare Woods Drive, Greensboro, NC 27407

(336) 454-5693

pflagtnet@triad.rr.com

PFLAG TNET focuses on support for transgender people and their parents, families, and friends; education on transgender facts and issues; and advocacy for equal rights for the transgender community at the local and national levels.

PFLAG - Winston-Salem

www.pflagwinstonsalem.org

PO Box 15477, Winston-Salem, NC 27113

(336) 765-2886

info@pflagwinstonsalem.org

PFLAG Winston-Salem meets the 4th Monday of each month, 7 pm at St. Anne's Episcopal Church.

TRANSGENDER

Tarheel Transmen

Greensboro, NC

www.geocities.com/tarheeltransmen

drew724u@hotmail.com

The Tarheel Transmen is a social/support group for FTM (female-to-male) transgendered men.

Triad Gender Association

www.geocities.com/WestHollywood/Cafe/9577

drew724u@hotmail.com

The Triad Gender Association is a social and support group for all transgendered individuals. Meets in Greensboro, NC, spouses and significant others are welcome.

YOUTH

Gay Straight Advocates For Education (GSAFE)

www.gsafegroup.org

PO Box 41044, Greensboro, NC 27404

(336) 271-8428

gary.palmer@replacements.com

GSAFE promotes public policies by which schools are alleviated from discrimination and harassment on the basis of sexual orientation and/or gender identity/expression to support LGBTQ youth and their allies. GSAFE mostly works in Guilford County.

GLASS Youth Group - Greensboro

www.geocities.com/glassgso

PO Box 10137, Greensboro, NC 27404

(336) 272-6053

GLASS meets every Tuesday night at 7pm. Meetings are facilitated by trained facilitators. Members include local high school and college students and other youth in the community.

UNIVERSITY

Elon College

Spectrum

<http://org.elon.edu/spectrum>

3085 Campus Box, Elon College, NC 27244

spectrum@elon.edu

Guilford College

GuilfordPRIDE

glba@rascal.guilford.edu

Greensboro NC 27410

The college's student group for LGBTQ and allied students

GLBTQA Campus Resources

[www.guilford.edu/about_guilford/services_and_administrati
on/multicultural/glbta.html](http://www.guilford.edu/about_guilford/services_and_administration/multicultural/glbta.html)

Guilford Technical Community College

Gay Straight Alliance

(336) 870-3706

The college's student group for LGBTQ and allied students

UNC Greensboro

PRIDE

www.uncg.edu/student.groups/pride

pride@uncg.edu

PRIDE offers a place to get together and communicate as LGBTQ youth on campus and off campus. The website contains info on events in the Greensboro community.

Wake Forest University

Gay-Straight Student Alliance

<http://gssa.wfu.edu>

PO Box 7203, Winston Salem, NC 27109

(336) 758-8005

HIV/AIDS

AIDS Care Service of Winston-Salem

www.aidscareservice.org

AIDS Care Service and collaborating agencies offer a seamless web of support to our low-income HIV+ neighbors in Forsyth County

and the surrounding areas. AIDS Care Service plans to offer two HIV support groups starting in August 2007.

Alamance Cares

www.alamancecares.com

2732 Ann Elizabeth Drive, Burlington, NC 27215

(336) 538-8111

1-800-525-3550

Alamance Cares is an AIDS service agency designed to assist persons living with HIV/AIDS and their families, friends, and caregivers. Alamance Care also provides free HIV testing and awareness and education programming throughout the community.

**HIV testing offered*

Eastern Triad HIV Consortium

Alamance, Caswell, Guilford, Randolph, & Rockingham Counties

537-B Huffman Mill Road, Burlington, NC 27215

(336) 586-0062

ethivc@hotmail.com

The Consortium provides case management for individuals with HIV/AIDS.

Guilford Community AIDS Partnership

www.gcap1.org

(336) 370-9666

Guilford Community AIDS Partnership is a collaborative created to serve as a funding source for programs that improve the lives of people infected with and affected by HIV/AIDS in Guilford County.

Higher Ground

www.triadhealthproject.com/higherground.html

(336) 274-5637

210 East Bessemer Avenue, Greensboro, NC 27435

A spiritual retreat, Higher Ground offers fellowship among those infected and affected by HIV. Weekly activities and lunches provide opportunities for everyone to build a community of support. Two ongoing support groups: *REACH* (Recovering Addicts Coping with HIV) and *Brother-Care* (for HIV+ men).

Positive Wellness Alliance

<http://positivewellnessalliance.com>

The Positive Wellness Alliance serves individuals infected with and affected by HIV/AIDS in Davidson, Forsyth, Yadkin and Davie Counties. Services include: HIV/AIDS case management,

emergency financial assistance, and a monthly HIV/AIDS support group.

Lexington

(336) 248-4646

400 West Center Street, Lexington, NC 27293

Winston-Salem (Send mail inquiries to the Lexington)

206 N Spruce Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27101

(336) 722-0976

Triad Health Project (THP)

www.triadhealthproject.com

THP works toward helping those infected with HIV/AIDS to live a productive and dignified life throughout all stages of the disease. THP's services include case management, emergency financial assistance, child care, legal and tax preparation assistance, and transportation to and from medical appointments. THP also offers one-on-one and couples counseling and support groups.

Greensboro

801 Summit Avenue, Greensboro, NC 27435

(336) 275-1654

THP's main office. (Most THP programs occur out of here)

High Point

620 English Road, High Point, NC 27261

(336) 884-4116

FAITH COMMUNITIES

GREENSBORO

College Park Baptist Church

www.collegeparkchurch.com

1601 Walker Avenue, Greensboro, NC 27403

(336) 273-1779

cpbcgbo@bellsouth.net

Congregational United Church of Christ

www.congregationalucc.com/home/index.php

400 West Radiance Drive, Greensboro, NC 27403

(336) 274-5378

Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit

www.echsgreensboro.org

3910 Yanceyville Street, Greensboro, NC 27405
(336) 621-7321

Fellowship of Faith

www.fellowshipoffaithnc.org

5F Dundas Circle, Greensboro, NC 27407
(336) 282-9959
info@FellowshipOfFaithNC.org

Fellowship Presbyterian Church

www.fellowship-presbyterian.com

2005 New Garden Road, Greensboro, NC 27410
(336) 288-5177

New Garden Friends Meeting

www.ngfm.org

801 New Garden Road (at Friendly Ave.), Greensboro, NC 27410
(336) 292-5487

Religious Society of Friends (Quaker)

www.ncymc.org/friendship

Friendship Monthly Meeting
1103 New Garden Road, Greensboro, NC 27410
(336) 854-5155

St. Mary's House Episcopal/Anglican Campus and Community Center

www.uncg.edu/student.groups/smh

930 Walker Avenue, Greensboro, NC 27403
stmaryshouse@hotmail.com
(336) 334-5219

Wesley Luther Methodist-Lutheran Campus Ministry

www.uncg.edu/student.groups/wlo

ACM Building at UNCG, Greensboro, NC 27402
(336) 334-5119

WINSTON SALEM

Church of the Holy Spirit

www.churchoftheholyspiritfellowshipnc.com

2873 Robinhood Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27106
(336) 575-6205
webmaster@chsfnc.org

First Christian Church

www.disciplesofchrist.com

2320 Country Club Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27104
(336) 722-2714

Holy Trinity Church

<http://holytrinitychurchws.org>

1005-B Burke Street, Winston-Salem, NC 27101
(336) 725-5355

Metropolitan Community Church Winston-Salem

www.mccws.org

4105 Patsy Drive, Winston-Salem, NC 27107
(336) 784-8009

St. Jude Community Church

www.stjudecommunitychurch.org

2873 Robinhood Road, Winston-Salem, NC 27106
(336) 722-6019

Wake Forest Baptist Church

www.wakeforestbaptist.org/index.htm

PO Box 7326 Reynolda Station, Winston-Salem, NC 27109
(336) 758-5297
wfbcc@wfu.edu

SOCIAL

Triad Pride Men's Chorus

www.triadpridemenschorus.org

PO Box 39566, Greensboro NC 27438
(336) 333-1024

contact@triadpridemenschorus.org

Triad Pride Men's Chorus performs choral music and membership is open to gay and gay-affirming male singers.

Triad Softball League (TSL)

www.triadsoftball.com

4208 Aberdale Drive, High Point, NC 27265

info@triadsoftball.com

TSL organizes and operates a softball league is to promote a social environment through amateur athletics with special emphasis on the participation of the LGBTQ community in an atmosphere of friendly competition.

Central Piedmont

Lesbian and Gay Community Center

www.gaycharlotte.com

1401 Central Avenue, Charlotte, NC 28205

(704) 333-0144

communitycenter@gaycharlotte.com

The Lesbian and Gay Community Center serves the LGBTQ communities of greater Charlotte.

The website contains extensive LBGTQ resources, business, and community groups in the Charlotte area and beyond.

Charlotte Business Guild

www.charlottebusinessguild.com

PO Box 222131, Charlotte, NC 28222

(704) 565-5075

businessguild@yahoo.com

The Charlotte Business Guild is a group of professionals in the Charlotte area serving the Charlotte LGBTQ community.

Greater Rowan Gay Alliance

www.geocities.com/rowcogayal

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RowanCountyGayAlliance>

The Greater Rowan Gay Alliance is a friendly social group for LGBTQ people in Rowan County and surrounding areas.

CIVIL RIGHTS & POLITICS

MeckPAC

www.meckpac.org

MeckPAC (Mecklenburg Gay and Lesbian Political Action Committee) works to mobilize the LGBTQ community in Mecklenburg County to vote and participate in elections, educate elected officials on issues important to the LGBTQ community, and to hold elected officials accountable for their votes.

SUPPORT

Al-Anon/Alateen Information Services of Metrolina

4800 Wedgewood Drive, Charlotte, NC 28210

(704) 523-1159

FAMILY & ALLIES

PFLAG - Charlotte

Charlotte, NC 28247

(704) 542-2019

brenda@oprctennis.com

The Charlotte PFLAG meets monthly and sponsors a scholarship at UNC-Charlotte.

PFLAG - Hickory / Catawba Valley

PO Box 64, Hickory, NC 28603

(828) 328-6609

gfisher@mindspring.com

This PFLAG does not currently meet as a group, but still can provide information and support for families.

PFLAG - Kannapolis

131 Hillside Avenue SW, Concord, NC 28025

(704) 795-7884

needham@ctc.net

This PFLAG group is not currently active, but is a referral point to other local groups and resources.

PFLAG - Salisbury / Rowan

www.salisbury-pflag.org

PO Box 5207, Salisbury, NC 28147

(704) 213-0181

salisburypflag@bellsouth.net

The Salisbury Rowan PFLAG is open to new members. It meets at 10am monthly on the 2nd Saturday at Haven Lutheran Church, 207 West Harrison Street, Salisbury.

TRANSGENDER

Charlotte Gender Alliance

<http://charlottegender.tripod.com/index.html>

Charlotte Gender Alliance is a monthly discussion group welcoming any adult who identifies as transgender or transexual. This includes both male to female and female to male. No distinctions will be made as to racial, religious or sexual orientation. Diversity will not only be respected; it will be honored.

Kappa Beta Tri Ess

<http://kappabetagroup.org>

Charlotte, NC 28220

secretary@kappabetagroup.org

Kappa Beta is a support group for people identifying as members of the "transgendered" community and their families. Kappa Beta's membership consists primarily of male heterosexual crossdressers along with some wives or significant others. Kappa Beta does accept and support all members of the TG community.

Live Your True Self

www.lyts.org

infolady@lyts.org

Live Your True Self is dedicated to provide support to all members of the transgender community, based in Charlotte.

STAND

www.standcharlotte.com

PO Box 9069, Charlotte, NC 28299

(704) 568-8545 or (704) 351-0402

Stand.charlotte@yahoo.com

Supporting Transgender and Networking Diversity (STAND) strives to advocate and support the transgender in North Carolina through support, networking, advice, and consulting.

YOUTH

The Relatives

www.therelatives.org

1100 East Blvd., Charlotte, NC 28203

(704) 377-0602

The Relatives is a co-ed, 9-bed emergency shelter that serves runaway, homeless and other youth in crisis ages 7-17. Youth may reside at the shelter for up to 14 days, or they may receive referrals, problem-solving, and support through a walk-in appointment or the crisis hotline.

Time Out Youth

www.timeoutyouth.org

1900 The Plaza, Charlotte, NC 28205

(704) 344-8335

info@timeoutyouth.org

Time Out Youth provides support, education and advocacy for LGBTQ and questioning youth ages 13-23 in the greater Charlotte

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area. Ongoing youth programs include weekly support/discussion groups every Monday from 7-9pm and social events. The organization also provides a Speak Out program for community education and crisis housing for emergency situations.

UNIVERSITY

Davidson College

Gay-Straight Alliance

www2.davidson.edu/studentlife/stu_orgs/gsa/GSA.htm

gsa@davidson.edu

Includes a list of on campus LGBTQ resources

Queens College

Queens Friends of Lesbians and Gays (Q-FLAG)

www.queens.edu/studentlife/orgs/qflag.asp

Charlotte, NC

University of North Carolina – Charlotte

UNCC Pride

www.sco.uncc.edu/pride

Sga Cone Center, Charlotte, NC 28223

(704) 687-4150

pride@uncc.edu

HIV/AIDS

AIDS Council of Gaston County

PO Box 1071, Gastonia, NC 28053

(704) 853-5101

The AIDS Council's Youth Initiative program conducts comprehensive sexual health education for teenagers. The Council oversees and raises money for the Patrick Fund, which provides emergency monies to HIV-infected residents of Gaston County, and partners with the Health Department on projects.

AIDS Leadership Foothills Area Alliance

www.alfainfo.org

1120 Fairgrove Church Road, Hickory, NC 28602

(828) 322-1447

AIDS Leadership Foothills Area Alliance provides comprehensive support services to people living with HIV/AIDS in the Catawba

Valley metro area. Services include free confidential HIV testing, case management for those infected or affected by HIV/AIDS, and prevention and educational outreach available to any group.

**Free HIV testing provided*

Bradley-Reid Corporation

715 E. 5th Street, Ste. 216, Charlotte, NC 28202

(704) 333-5686

Provides case management services and addresses health disparities in people living with HIV in Mecklenburg, Gaston, Cabarrus and Union Counties.

Brother 2 Brother

www.brother2brother.org

wfulton@brother2brother.org

740 Suite 208 W. 5th Street, Charlotte, NC 28202

(704) 295-1555

Brother 2 Brother focuses on educating, informing and supporting African-American men infected and at risk of HIV/AIDS. Services offered include free and confidential HIV testing, support groups, peer mentoring, referrals, and STD info and education.

**Free HIV testing provided*

Cleveland County Health Department (CCHD)

www.clevelandcounty.com/public/health

CCHD provides HIV case management and free HIV testing.

Additionally, CCHD has funds to assist individuals with HIV with transportation, nutrition, and accessing emergency medications.

**Free HIV testing provided*

D-Up!

www.d-up.info

www.myspace.com/prevention_isSexy

c/o MAP, PO Box 32662 Charlotte, NC 28232

(704) 333-1435

D-UP!, a local project, is an initiative that targets African-American at-risk youth (ages 13-24) for HIV/AIDS through outreach, services, and training.

Gaston Family Health Services

www.co.gaston.nc.us/HealthDept/GFHS.htm

991 W. Hudson Blvd, Gastonia, NC 28052

(704) 853-5261

Gaston Family Health Services (GFHS) is a community health center serving Gaston County. GFHS offers HIV case management

and primary dental and medical care for individuals with HIV/AIDS. GFHS takes Medicare, Medicaid, and private insurance and is a Ryan White certified agency. Spanish speaking providers available.

House of Mercy

www.thehouseofmercy.org

701 Mercy Drive PO Box 808 Belmont, NC 28012

(704) 825-4711

hse4mercy@aol.com

The House of Mercy is a residential unit, primarily a hospice, for people with advanced HIV disease. A diagnosis of AIDS is necessary to gain admission.

The Jemsek CHARM Project

www.jemsek.org

14330 Oakhill Park Lane, Suite 200, Huntersville, NC 28078

(704) 659-8500

The CHARM Project provides prevention education and medical case management and support services in the Charlotte metro area.

Metrolina AIDS Project (MAP)

www.metrolinaaidsproject.org

PO Box 32662, Charlotte, NC 28232

(704) 333-1435

MAP provides HIV/AIDS advocacy, prevention and education for Mecklenburg County with services also provided in Rowan and Gaston Counties. Provides support groups, individual counseling, case management, HIV testing, and HIV prevention education.

**HIV testing offered*

Regional AIDS Interfaith Network (RAIN)

www.carolinarain.org

501 N Tryon St, Charlotte, NC 28202

(704) 372-7246

d.warren@carolinarain.org

RAIN provides compassionate care for individuals and families affected by HIV/AIDS, and prevention education in the Charlotte region. The Minority Program works with the African American community through African American congregations and cosponsors the Black Church Week of Pray for the Healing of AIDS. *Website contains listing of Charlotte area HIV/AIDS resources.*

Regional HIV/AIDS Consortium

Anson, Cabarrus, Chester (SC), Cleveland, Gaston, Iredell, Lancaster (SC), Lincoln, Mecklenburg, Rowan, Stanly, Union, York (SC)

www.regionalconsortium.org

7510 East Independence Blvd, Suite 105, Charlotte, NC 28227

(704) 531-2467

The Regional HIV/AIDS Consortium provides program planning and development assistance, service coordination, AIDS prevention initiatives, and funding resources to 13-counties in the Charlotte Metro area.

HIV Regional Resource Guide

The Regional HIV/AIDS Consortium maintains an extensive guide on HIV resources in the 13 county region including info on housing, emergency assistance, health, mental health, substance abuse and much more.

(350 page document)

www.regionalconsortium.org/Assets/Word%20Docs/ResourceDirectory2006.doc

FAITH COMMUNITIES

St. Luke's Episcopal Church

www.stlukessalisbury.net

131 West Council Street, Salisbury, NC 28222

(704) 633-3221

stlsecretary@covad.net

HICKORY AREA

Abundant Grace Church

www.gracechurchnc.org

600 Highland Avenue SE, Hickory, NC 28602

(828) 327-7679

Christ's Church of the Foothills

<http://christchurchofthefoothills.com/flashpage.html>

3540 Main Avenue NW, Hickory, NC 28601

(828) 261-0403

Unifour Christian Fellowship Church

www.ucfc.net

2257 Old Conover-Startown Road, Newton, NC 28658
(828)466-7400

CHARLOTTE/ HUNTERSVILLE/ CONCORD

Caldwell Memorial Presbyterian Church

www.caldwellmemlpresbychurch.org

1609 East Fifth Street, Charlotte, NC 28204
(704) 334-0825

Catawba Presbyterian Church

11401 McCoy Road, Huntersville, NC 28078
(704) 875-6248

Holy Covenant UCC

www.hc-ucc.org

3501 West W.T. Harris Blvd., Charlotte, NC 28269
(704) 599-9810

Covenant Presbyterian Church

www.covenantpresby.homestead.com

731 South Union Street, Concord, NC 28025
(704)786-1615

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church

www.htlccharlotte.org

1900 The Plaza, Charlotte, NC 28205
(704) 377-5439

Metropolitan Community Church Charlotte

www.mcccharlotte.com

1825 Eastway Drive, Charlotte, NC 28205
(704) 563-5810

Myers Park Baptist Church

www.mpbconline.org

1931 Selwyn Avenue, Charlotte, NC 28207
(704) 334-7232

New Life Metropolitan Community Church

www.newlifemccnc.org

1900 The Plaza, Charlotte, NC 28205
(704) 334-0350

Park Road Baptist Church

www.parkroadbaptist.org

3900 Park Road, Charlotte, NC 28209
(704) 523-5717

South Park Christian Church

www.southparkchristian.org

6650 Park South Drive, Charlotte, NC 28210
(704) 554-1066

St. Ann's Parish (Catholic)

www.stannsparish.org

3635 Park Road, Charlotte, NC 28209
(704) 523-4641

St. Mark's Episcopal Church

www.stmarksnc.org

8600 Mount Holly-Huntersville Road, Huntersville, NC 28078
(704) 399-5193
life@stmarksnc.org

St. Peter's Catholic Church

www.stpeterscatholic.org

507 S Tryon Street, Charlotte, NC 28202
(704) 332-2901

St. Peter's Episcopal Church

www.st-petersweb.org

115 West Seventh Street, Charlotte, NC 28202
(704) 332-7746
webinfo@st-peters.org

Temple Beth El

www.beth-el.com

5101 Providence Road, Charlotte, NC
(704) 366-1948

Trinity United Church of Christ

www.trinityuccconcord.org

38 Church Street NE, Concord, NC 28025

(704) 782-1024

TrinityUccConcord@yahoo.com

Unitarian Universalist Church of Charlotte

www.uuccharlotte.org

234 N Sharon Amity Road, Charlotte, NC, 28211

(704) 366-8623

Unity Fellowship Church Charlotte

www.ufccharlotte.org

2127 Eastway Drive, Charlotte, NC 28205

(704) 567-5007

Wedgewood Baptist Church

www.wedgewoodbaptist.com

4800 Wedgewood Drive, Charlotte, NC 28210

(704) 523-6108

SOCIAL

Beta Phi Omega Sorority

www.betaphiomega.net/alphaalpha.html

nrmc@betaphiomega.net

Beta Phi Omega is a sorority that works to form a unified, unique, diverse, and comfortable sisterhood and strives to be a strong and active voice in the LGBTQ community by providing service and leadership.

Charlotte Black Gay Pride

www.charlotteblackgaypride.com

cncbgp@charlotteblackgaypride.com

Charlotte Black Gay Pride is an event held each summer to promote self-pride, raise social awareness, embrace diversity and empower the minds and spirits of LGBTQ people of color.

Charlotte H2Os

www.johnmlucas.com/charlottegayswimgroup

CharlotteH2Os@hotmail.com

The Charlotte H2Os is a group of gay men and women who swim for fitness, and if interested, train for competition. All swimmers are welcome, regardless of sexual orientation.

Charlotte Frontrunners/Walkers

www.charlottefrontrunners.com

(704) 332-9060

info@CharlotteFrontRunners.com

The Charlotte Front Runners is a running and walking club serving the Greater Charlotte area LGBTQ community and their friends. The club promotes physical fitness and provides a way for gays and lesbians of all abilities who have an interest in running and walking.

Charlotte Royals Rugby Football Club

www.charlotteroyals.org

(704) 583-2132

info@charlotteroyals.org

The Royals is devoted to promoting the sport of Rugby Football. Membership is open to all men ages 18 and up. The one requirement is that you be open minded.

Gamma Mu Phi Fraternity – Iota Chapter

www.gmuphi.org

Charlotte, NC

Gamma Mu Phi Fraternity, Inc. is committed to promoting the positive representation of same gender loving, bisexual and affirming men, founded to unite professional African-American and Latino men in the bond of brotherhood.

One Voice Chorus

www.onevoicechorus.com

PO Box 9241, Charlotte, NC 28299

(704) 716-1129

One Voice is the gay, lesbian and gay-affirmative chorus of Charlotte. One Voice brings gay, lesbian, and gay-supportive people together to celebrate our lives in song.

PrideSisters

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/pridesisters>

pridesisters@yahoo.com

PrideSisters is an informal lesbian social group and listserv serving the Charlotte metro area.

Queers United in Concord/Kannapolis (QUICKNC)

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/quicknc>

(704) 933-7409

QUICKNC is a friendly social group for LGBTQ folks in the Concord/Kannapolis, NC area (including Charlotte, Salisbury, Huntersville, Davidson, Matthews, Mint Hill and beyond).

Southern Country Charlotte (SCC)

www.southerncountrycharlotte.com

PO Box 668690, Charlotte, NC 28266

(704) 845-6478

scc@southerncountrycharlotte.com

SCC's mission is to support local charities and LGBTQ events while promoting country and western music and dance. SCC provides a place where like-minded individuals can share their common interest in country western music and dance.

Northwest

Boone Pride

www.boonepride.org

Boone Pride is the High Country's leading online web portal devoted to uniting and representing the area's LGBTQ community. Provides local news and updates about everything from social activities to activism. The site also promotes Boone's annual gay pride event. *Lots of area resources and events. Great starting place to learn info on the area.*

SUPPORT

Alcoholics Anonymous Boone Intergroup

PO Box 3513, Boone, NC 28607

(828) 264-0208

Hotline: (828) 264-1212

flgator377@yahoo.com

FAMILY & ALLIES

PFLAG - High Country

www.highcountrypflag.org

146 Mallard Lane, Boone, NC 28607

(828) 264-4109

staleykl1971@yahoo.com

PFLAG High Country holds monthly meetings and can meet with individuals 1-on-1. PFLAG provides support to individuals who are LGBTQ and individuals who have HIV/AIDS.

UNIVERSITY

Appalachian State University

Bisexuals, Gays, Lesbians, and Allies Associated for Diversity (BGLAAD)

<http://asubglaad.org>

Appalachian State BGLAAD strongly encourages the involvement of anyone, whether gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, questioning, or heterosexual, Appalachian

affiliated or community member. BGLAAD provides informational and emotional support, sponsors social events and activities, and actively seeks to educate the Appalachian community by providing information about issues regarding sexual orientation and diversity.

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Life at Appalachian State

www.glb.t.appstate.edu

Information on resources as Appalachian State University.

FAITH COMMUNITIES

Boone Friends Meeting (SAYMA)

184 N. Water Street, Boone, NC 28607
(828) 263-0001

The High Country United Church

www.highcountryucc.org/index.htm

8233 Highway 421-N, Vilas, NC 28692

(828) 297-1092

info@highcountryucc.org

SOCIAL

NC Outings

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/NCOutings>

NC Outings is an information and social network for LGBTQ professionals of the High Country. Members are ages 21 and older, and live in, or spend time in the Boone, NC area.

Mountains

Asheville Pride

www.ashevillepride.com

(828) 582-1418

ashevillepride@yahoo.com

Asheville Gay Pridefest is held in October.

I-Rise

www.ashevillequeernexus.org

I-RISE aims to be the heart from which Asheville's LGBTQ community can grow, by creating a central location that will be a forum for communication and education, that will offer essential community services, and that will provide a safe venue for socialization and entertainment.

Out In Asheville

www.outinasheville.com

Out in Asheville is a local publication that provides comprehensive resources for the LGBTQ community including feature articles, editorials, events and organizations.

Community calendar and extensive list of LGBTQ groups in the Asheville area.

Purple Pages

www.ashevillepurplepages.com

Purple Pages can be found online or at community businesses and organizations in Asheville.

Includes LGBTQ friendly business directory, events, forum, news, and LGBTQ organizations.

SheVille

www.sheville.org

(828) 215-2915 or (828) 215-7345

info@sheville.org

Sheville is an online community magazine that features a wealth of diverse resources in Western NC with a feminist women's focus.

Contains lists of many local women's resources.

SUPPORT

Alcoholics Anonymous

www.ashevilleaa.org

(828) 254-8539 Asheville & Buncombe County

(800) 524-0465 Outside Buncombe County

A few LGBTQ specific AA meetings in Asheville. Call for more info.

C.L.O.S.E.R.

(828) 242-6570

Western NC support, educational, and social group serving the LGBTQ community. Meets each Tuesday, 7 pm, at All Souls Cathedral, Asheville.

Helpmate

www.helpmateonline.org

68 Grove Street, Suite C, Asheville, NC 28801

(828) 254-2968 ext: 15

24 Hour Crisis Line: (828) 254-0516

Helpmate provides a 24-Hour hotline, shelter, crisis counseling, legal advocacy.

OUR VOICE (Rape Crisis Center)

www.ourvoicenc.org

(828) 252-0562 (information)

24 Hour Crisis Line: (828) 255-7576

Our VOICE is a crisis intervention agency which serves all survivors of sexual violence in Buncombe County.

FAMILY & ALLIES

COLAGE - Rainbow Kids NC

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/rainbowkidsNC>

hdmichelle@yahoo.com

(828) 253-5990

Rainbow Kids NC is a group for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered parents who have children in the Asheville area.

PFLAG - Asheville

(828) 254-4068

(828) 296-8466

NLM55@yahoo.com

PFLAG Asheville is active, but does not formally meet monthly.

PFLAG - Flat Rock / Hendersonville

206 Lois Lane, Flat Rock, NC 28731

(828) 696-8250

alnderry@brinet.com

PFLAG Flat Rock / Hendersonville meets monthly.

TRANSGENDER

Kindred Spirits

www.trans-spirits.org

395 Lakey Gap Acres, Black Mountain, NC 28711

(828) 669-3889, 9am-9pm

Kindred Spirits is a global spiritual network of earth-based spirituality. Kindred Spirits also offers retreats and a guesthouse.

Phoenix Transgender Support

<http://members.aol.com/jessicaash/phoenixtgs.html>

(828) 669-3889 9am-9pm

Phoenix is an open transgender support group providing a support network, discussions, programs, and referrals.

Tranzmission

www.tranzmission.revolt.org

tranzmission_Ashville@yahoo.com

Tranzmission is dedicated to ending socially-enforced non-consensual gender tyranny. Tranzmission is a group of folks, trans, queer and otherwise who meet weekly to address issues we find relevant to our lives and to have fun!

UNIVERSITY

University of North Carolina – Asheville

UNC-A Alliance

<http://orgs.unca.edu/alliance>

alliance_unca@yahoo.com

Warren Wilson College

Alliance

PO Box 9000, Asheville, NC 28815

Western Carolina University

B-GLAD

<http://wcuvax1.wcu.edu/~bglad>

319 Hinds, Cullowhee, NC 28723

(828) 227-2618

wcubglad@yahoo.com

HIV/AIDS

Loving Food Resources (LFR)

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/LovingFoodResources>

Kennilworth Presbyterian Church

PO Box 25142, Asheville, NC 28813

(828) 255-9282

LovingFoodResources@gmail.com

LFR provides food and personal care items to persons living with HIV/AIDS or receiving home hospice care in Western North Carolina. Must be referred.

Needle Exchange Program of Asheville

PO Box 7267, Asheville, NC 28802

wncap@main.nc.us

(828)274-8397

The Needle Exchange Program provides free needles, condoms, cotton, alcohol, and more. Materials can be mailed if arranged in advance.

Western North Carolina AIDS Project (WNCAP)

<http://wncap.org>

(828) 252-7489

1-800-346-3731

30 Orchard Street, Asheville, NC 28801

wncap@main.nc.us

WNCAP provides HIV education and prevention programs and client services including benefits advocacy and case management.

WNCAP also runs an HIV Men's Support Group each Tuesday night, 6-7:15 pm. For more information about the group, call Michael Harney at (828) 252-7489, ext. 11.

Western North Carolina Community Health Services

10 Ridgelawn Road, W. Asheville, NC

(828) 285-0622

Western NC Community Health Services offers medical and dental care, free confidential HIV testing, has HIV case management services, and runs a support group for individuals with HIV. Takes Medicaid and has Ryan White Title II funding.

**Free HIV testing offered*

Western NC HIV/AIDS Consortium

Cherokee, Clay, Graham, Macon, Swain, Jackson, Madison, Yancey, McDowell, Polk, Rutherford, Avery, Mitchell, Transylvania, Haywood, Henderson, & Buncombe Counties

50 S. French Broad Avenue, Suite 204, Asheville, NC 28801

scofield@buncombe.main.nc.us

(828) 252-8817

1-888-301-5053

Western NC AIDS Consortium provides administrative and technical support to HIV/AIDS service providers in their 17 county region. Additionally, the consortium provides services to help individuals with HIV/AIDS access and maintain care.

FAITH COMMUNITIES

Abiding Savior Lutheran Church

801 Charlotte Hwy (Rt. 74-A East), Fairview, NC

(828) 298-2608

Beth Israel Synagogue

www.bethisraelnc.org

229 Murdock Avenue, Asheville, NC 28804

(828) 252-8431

Center for Creative Living

www.cfcl.org

2 Science of Mind Way, Asheville, NC 28806

(828) 253-2325

Circle of Mercy Baptist Church

www.circleofmercy.org

358 Brevard Road, Asheville, NC 28806

(828) 252-8586

City View Quaker Church

www.cityviewquakers.org

59 Tremont Street, Asheville, NC 28806
(828) 258-3434

First Congregational United Church of Christ

www.uccasheville.org

20 Oak Street, Asheville, NC 28801
(828) 252-8729

Fletcher Presbyterian Church

www.fletcherchurch.com/index.html

1578 Cow Camp Road, PO Box 493, Newland, NC 28657

Grace Covenant Presbyterian Church

www.gcpcusa.org

789 Merrimon Avenue, Asheville, NC 28804
(828) 254-3274

Jubilee Community Church

www.jubileecommunity.org

46 Wall Street, Asheville NC 28801
(828) 252-5335

Kenilworth Presbyterian Church

123 Kenilworth Road, Asheville, NC 28803
(828) 252-8872

New Creation ICCC

www.newcreationnc.org/index.htm

PO Box 706, Arden, NC 28704
(828) 684-0838

New Hope Presbyterian Church

www.newhopepcusa.org

3070 Sweeten Creek Road, Asheville, NC 28803
(828) 274-0191

St. George's Episcopal Church

www.diocesewnc.org/?content=0.03

One School Road, Asheville, NC 28806
(828) 258-0211

St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church

<http://home.catholicweb.com/stjoanofarcasheville/index.cfm>

768 Asbury Road, Candler, NC 28715
(828) 670-0051

The Cathedral of All Souls

www.allsouls cathedral.org

3 Angle Street, Biltmore Village, Asheville, NC 28803
(828) 274-2681

Unitarian Universalist Church of Asheville

www.uuasheville.org

One Edwin Place, Asheville, NC 28801
(828) 254-6001

Warren Wilson Presbyterian Church and College Chapel

www.warren-wilson.edu/~chapel

701 Warren Wilson Road, Swannanoa, NC 28778
(828) 298-9092

Westminster Presbyterian

15 Overbrook Place, Asheville, NC 28805
(828) 298-4745

SOCIAL**Association of Lesbian Professionals in Asheville (ALPs)**

www.alps of asheville.org

ETLedder@charter.net

(828) 253-6746

ALPs is a lesbian social organization. ALPS is not supported by or affiliated with any political, social or religious organization and welcomes ALL lesbians to join, regardless of employment status.

Asheville Supper Club

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ashevillesupperclub>

The Asheville Supper Club has an open membership for all gay men. The Supper Club meets the 3rd Saturday each month for a potluck.

Cantaria: Gay Men's Chorus of Asheville

www.cantariaasheville.org

Cantaria is a voluntary, non-profit community chorus, organized to provide an opportunity for gay and gay-supportive men to sing together. Singers of all skill levels are welcome to attend.

Fun in the Foothills

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/funinthefoothills>

Fun in the Foothills is a social group for lesbians in the foothills area of North Carolina...Hickory, Morganton, and surrounding areas.

Man Spirit

(828) 658-1713

Man Spirit is a group of gay men seeking to expand spiritual awareness, explore consciousness and develop a deeper connection with the earth. Meets every Saturday.

Out in the Mountains

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/outinthemountains>
outinmntns@yahoo.com

Out in the Mountains is a LGBTQ social group based in Jackson County (Sylva, Dillsboro, Cullowhee, etc.), and draws from all over Western NC. Out in the Mountains gathers for friendship and social activities and offers a safe and inviting setting to enjoy each other's company and a place where newcomers can meet the LGBTQ community west of Asheville. Meets the first Sunday of each month

Sheville Afterdark

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ShevilleAfterDark>

Sheville Afterdark is an Asheville area lesbian group that is active, both online and in real time. Any member may arrange list activities or events, and all members are welcome to events.

SPLAT! Spiritual & Political Lesbians of Asheville Today

www.LookUPandCreate.com/splat.htm

SPLAT! meets on the 1st and 3rd Sunday each at Outspoken, 721 Haywood Road in West Asheville at 4:30pm.

Wilderness Network of the Mountains

<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/WildernessNetworkOfTheMountains>,
artbydave@charter.net

With more than 400 members, Wilderness Network of the Mountains provides gay men who enjoy hiking, biking, camping, canoeing, skiing, tubing, birding, kayaking, and other outdoor activities opportunities to meet other gay men with similar interests.

National Organizations

BiNet USA

www.binetusa.org

National bisexual advocacy group.

Black AIDS Institute

www.blackaids.org

A policy center dedicated to reducing HIV/AIDS health disparities by mobilizing Black institutions and individuals in efforts to confront the epidemic in their communities.

Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAAD)

www.glaad.org

Works to eliminate homo/bi/transphobia in the media.

Gay and Lesbian Victory Fund

www.victoryfund.org

A national fund for LGBTQ candidates for elected office.

Gay Lesbian and Straight Education Network (GLSEN)

www.glsen.org

An organization for students, parents, and teachers that strives to assure that each member of every school community is valued and respected regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity.

Gender PAC

www.gpac.org

Works to ensure every American's right to express their gender free from stereotypes, discrimination, and violence.

Human Rights Campaign

www.hrc.org

The largest LGBTQ political advocacy group in the nation.

Immigration Inequality

www.immigrationequality.org

Works to end discrimination in US immigration law, to reduce the law's negative impacts on LGBTQ and HIV-positive people.

Lambda Legal

www.lambdalegal.org

Provides direct services (legal representation), education, and awareness around LGBTQ legal issues.

Log Cabin Republicans

<http://online.logcabin.org>

Works within the Republican Party to advance LGBTQ issues.

National Black Gay Men's Advocacy Coalition

www.nbgmac.org

The coalition is committed to improving the health and well-being of Black Gay Men through advocacy that is focused on research, policy, education and training.

National Black Justice Coalition

www.nbjcoalition.org

Civil rights organization dedicated to empowering Black same-gender-loving, LGBTQ people. The Coalition works with our communities and our allies for social justice, equality, and an end to racism and homophobia.

National Center for Lesbian Rights

www.nclrights.org

Advocacy group for lesbian issues.

National Coalition of Anti-Violence Projects

www.avp.org

Based in NYC, this organization fights against anti-LGBTQ violence.

National Gay and Lesbian Task Force (NGLTF)

www.thetaskforce.org

Lobbies at the federal level, organizes local campaigns around LGBTQ related legislation, supports grassroots organizing, and organizes the annual *Creating Change* conference.

National Youth Advocacy Coalition (NYAC)

www.nyacyouth.org

Focused on LGBTQ youth advocacy.

Service Members Legal Defense Network (SLDN)

www.sldn.org

Provides legal assistance to military service members hurt by the "Don't Ask, Don't Tell" policy.

Stonewall Democrats

www.stonewalldemocrats.org

Works within the Democratic Party to advance LGBTQ issues.

Resources for Families

Children of Lesbians and Gays Everywhere (COLAGE)

www.colage.org

Provides support and services for and by the children of gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered parents.

Families Like Mine

www.familieslikemine.org

Dedicated to decreasing isolation for people who have parents who are lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender, and bringing voice to the experiences of these families.

Family Pride Coalition

www.familypride.org

Provides information about gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender parents and parenting, and about sexual orientation concerns.

Gay Family Support

www.gayfamilysupport.com

A site by a parent of LGBTQ children aimed at parents of LGBTQ children.

HRC Family Net

www.hrc.org/familynet

This website, maintained by the Human Rights Campaign Foundation, is devoted to the issues of concern to lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender families.

Parents Families and Friends of Lesbians and Gays (PFLAG)

www.pflag.org

Located in and representing communities nationwide, PFLAG promotes the health and well-being of gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgendered persons, their families and friends through support, education, and advocacy. PFLAG provides opportunity for dialogue about sexual orientation and gender identity, and acts to create a society that is healthy and respectful of human diversity.

For local chapters see Support Resources.

Straight Spouse Support Network

www.ssnetwk.org

An international organization that provides personal, confidential support and information to heterosexual spouses/partners, current or former, of gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender mates and

mixed-orientation couples for constructively resolving coming-out problems.

TransFamily

www.transfamily.org

TransFamily is a support group for transgendered and transsexual people, their parents, partners, children, other family members, friends, and supportive others.

Grants and Scholarships

National scholarships for LGBTQ people pursuing college, graduate, and professional studies in many discipline specific areas. Additionally, many cities/states have local scholarships for LGBTQ students. For a comprehensive list of scholarships, see www.finaid.org/otheraid/gay.phtml#general

Astraea: A Lesbian Foundation for Justice

www.astraea.org

(212) 529-8021

Provides financial support to lesbian led, LGBTI and progressive organizations in the US and abroad. Specific grants for students, artists, writers, and small US and international organizations.

Audre Lorde Scholarship Fund

www.zami.org/scholarship.htm

The Audre Lorde Scholarship Awards are designed to recognize out lesbians and gay men of color who are making significant contributions to their communities.

Lee Dubin Memorial Scholarship

www.colage.org/programs/academic/leedubin.htm

Scholarship program to honor and support undergraduate student activists who have one or more lesbian, gay, bisexual and/or transgender parent/s.

Point Foundation

www.thepointfoundation.org

1-866-33-POINT (866-337-6468)

The Point Foundation provides financial support, mentoring and hope to meritorious students who are marginalized due to sexual orientation, gender expression or gender identity. Individual scholarship amounts range from \$2,000 to \$15,000 per year.

Transgender Scholarship and Education Legacy Fund

www.tself.org

The International Foundation for Gender Education, awards numerous scholarships to transgender identified students in the helping and caring professions.

STYLE is funded by a HRSA Special Projects of National Significance (SPNS) grant and is one of eight demonstration sites across the country that are researching how to best provide HIV services for young men who have sex with men (MSM) of color.



(919) 843-4722
www.stylenc.org