TRANSGENDER RESOURCES

Local

► EQUAL Trans Support Group

Hosted by Our Spot KC at 2810 E 80th St All ages, all genders support and social group 3rd Thurs from 6-8pm

▶ Transactions

Resources and mutual aid from local trans individuals https://lgbtqkc.com

► Transformations KC

Focuses on harm reduction, trauma informed care, antioppression, positive youth development, and transformative justice to serve TGNC people https://transformationskc.org/

► The Transgender Institute • 816.800.4168

Offers a compassionate and coordinated approach to vital services including gender therapy, hormone therapy, primary care, and all surgeries https://transinstitute.org/

► Trans Women of Color Collective

National organization based in Kansas City, MO https://twocc.org

► Westport Presbyterian Church

Offers a clothing closet, laundry, showers, coffee, and snacks for women, transgender & gender nonconforming people on Thursdays from 5:30-7:00pm.

National

► National Center for Transgender Equality

202.642.4542

Advocates to change policies and society to increase understanding and acceptance of transgender people https://transequality.org/

► Trans Youth Equality Foundation • 207.478.4087

Provides education, advocacy, and support for transgender and gender non-conforming youth and their families

http://www.transyouthequality.org/

► Trans Latinx Coalition • 833.847.2331

Services directed toward trans Latinx people https://www.translatinacoalition.org/

► Black Trans Advocacy Coalition • 855.624.7715

Services directed toward Black trans people https://blacktrans.org/

ADVOCACY/ACTIVISM

Local

► PROMO • 314.862.4900

Confronts systemic inequities to liberate the full spectrum of the LGBTQ+ community from discrimination and oppression

https://promoonline.org/

► Operation Liberation • 816.533.5970

Free clothing closet, food pantry, essential needs pantry, legal counsel resources, bail assistance https://operation-liberation.org/

<u>National</u>

► Lambda Legal • 212.809.8585

National org committed to achieving full recognition of the civil rights of LGBT people, and everyone living with HIV

https://www.lambdalegal.org/

► Campus Pride • 704.277.6710

Leading national nonprofit organization for student leaders and campus groups working to create a safer college environment for LGBTQ students https://www.campuspride.org/

► National LGBTQ Task Force • 202.393.5177

Advances full freedom, justice and equality for LGBTQ people

https://www.thetaskforce.org/

SHOWERS & LAUNDRY

- ► Swope Health Services
- 3801 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd. Mon 8:00am-12:00pm, Fri. 8:00 am – 2:00pm (1 load

per week, showers first come, first served)

► Westport Presbyterian Church • 201 Westport Rd
Sun 8:00am-9:30am

Thurs 5:30pm-7pm (Women, Trans, Gender Non-Conforming individuals only)



816.701.3767 ● http://kclibrary.org/outreach communityresources@kclibrary.org

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COMMUNITY RESOURCES @ CENTRAL LIBRARY

Community Resources staff is available by phone or in-person at Central Library, 14 W. 10th St., Third Floor. You may walk in or call **816.701.3767**.

Mon - Fri 9:00am - 1:00pm

L HOTLINES

Alcoholics Anonymous	800.839.1686
Domestic Violence	816.468-5463
Mental Health Crisis Line	888.279.8188
National Human Trafficking	1.888.373.7888
National Runaway Safeline	1.800.786.2929
Rape/Sexual Abuse (MOCSA)	816.531.0233
Safe Place (Ages 12-18)	Text 4HELP
Substance Use	816.361.5900
Suicide and Crisis Lifeline	988
Synergy Services (Youth)	816.741.8700
The Trevor Project (Youth)	866.488.7386
Transgender Helpline	877.565.8860
United Way	211

GENERAL RESOURCES

Local

► Gay and Lesbian Archives of MId-America (GLAMA) • 816.235.1532

Archives that reflect the histories of the LGBT communities of the Kansas City region https://library.umkc.edu/glama

► Mid-America LGBT Chamber of Commerce

816.474.3558

Advocates, promotes, and facilitates the success of the LGBT business community

https://www.midamericalgbt.org/

► Our Spot KC (Recently merged with Kansas City Center for Inclusion) • 913.303.8663

2810 E 80th St

LGBTQ+ Community Center. Housing assistance, case management, emergency help, support groups, events, referrals, coworking space

https://www.ourspotkc.org/

► PFLAG Kansas City • 816.765.9818

Parents, Families, and Friends of Lesbians and Gays Family-based org committed to the civil rights of LGBT people

http://pflagkc.org/

► PRIDE Haven • 816.931.0602

3109 Campbell

Drop-In Day Center for LGBTQIA youth; ages 18-25 https://saveinckc.org/pridehaven/, daytime services only

► Project Equality • 913.486.7010

Promotes equality and justice in the workplace http://projectequality.org/

► WINC Connection Inclusion Center • 816.837.9462

10908 E Winner Rd. Independence, MO 64052 LGBTQ+ support in Independence, call for hours

National

► The Asexual Visibility & Education Network

Large resource, community, and education network https://www.asexuality.org/

▶ Bisexual Resource Center

Connects the bi community and helps them thrive through resources, support, and celebration https://biresource.org/

► Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAAD)

Dynamic media force that tackles tough issues to shape the narrative https://www.glaad.org/ ► Human Rights Campaign (HRC)

Largest LGBTQ+ civil rights organization

https://www.hrc.org/

► The Trevor Project • 212.695.8650

Suicide prevention efforts among LGBTQ+ youth https://www.thetrevorproject.org/

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Local

► Blag Out • 816.866.0355

Grassroots movement to eradicate HIV/AIDS http://www.blaqout.org/

► Care Beyond the Boulevard • 701.484.2273

Call for assistance

► Gay and Sober

AA Meetings specifically for LGBTQ+ individuals https://www.gayandsober.org/meeting-finder-missouri

► KC CARE Health Center • 816.753.5144

3515 Broadway & 2340 E Meyer Blvd (dental)

https://kcprevention.org/

Confidential - Sex Positive Judgement Free Zone - Free HIV, Hep C, Syphilis testing

► KU Gener Diversity Clinic • 913.588.6200

Dedicated nurse program coordinators who specialize in gender-affirming care + physicians who are members of the World Professional Association for Transgender Health

► University Health LGBTQ Specialty Clinic

• **816.404.4086** 2310 Holmes Street, Sixth Floor Primary care physicians, psychologists, pharmacists, gynecologists, endocrinologists, nurses

► Vivent Health • 816.561.8784

4309 E 50th Terrace, Suite 200

HIV & AIDS services; free HIV/STI testing

https://viventhealth.org/

National

► National Coalition for LGBTQ Health • 202.232.6749

Committed to improving the health and well-being of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender individuals through federal and local advocacy, education, and research https://healthlgbt.org/

SHELTER/HOUSING

► Lion's House (Our Spot KC Program) • 913.303.8664

Transitional and rapid rehousing program for LGBTQ+ youth, adults, and families seeking to address the core problems causing LGBTQ+ homelessness by providing a community first and housing plus approach. https://lionhousekc.org

► Hope House • 816.461.4673

Domestic violence

► Newhouse • 816.471.5800

Domestic violence

► ReHope (Recently merged with Veronica's Voice) • 816.793.0500

Residential program for women recovering from commercial sexual exploitation, addiction, and homelessness.

► Rose Brooks Center • 816.861.6100

Domestic violence

► Synergy Services • 816.321.7050

Domestic violence center

- ► True Light Family Resource Center
- 816.531.1300 717 E. 31st St.

M-F 8:30am - 3:00pm (day shelter for women)

COMMUNITY

► Box No. 512 Podcast: Grown Black Trans Women Talk

Podcast discussing many issues/topics related to the Black Trans women such as life, love, and work in America

Available on Spotify and Apple Podcasts

► KC Passages

LGBTQ+ youth empowerment support group. Sign up to attend or volunteer at tinyurl.com/queer-passages

► KC Pride Alliance/Pride Fest • 816.663.9871

Provides educational opportunities, support, social activities, and advocacy to enrich the lives of LGBTQ+ people. Organizes the annual Pride Fest https://kcpridealliance.org/

► Modern Family Alliance

Provides training and education to LGBTQ+ parents, professionals, and community members in KC

▶ Out Voices

Publications of LGBTQ+ media https://outvoices.us/tag/kansas-city

► The Tenth Voice • KKFI-FM (90.1)

Weekly LGBTQ+ public affairs, news, and entertainment radio show

Saturdays 1:00pm

► Trans Joy KC

Events for connection and fun for all ages https://transjovkc.com

► Trans Teacher

Trainings for allies, @transteachertalks on Instagram

▶ QueerBlacKC

Host adult black queer events in the community https://www.instagram.com/queerblakc/