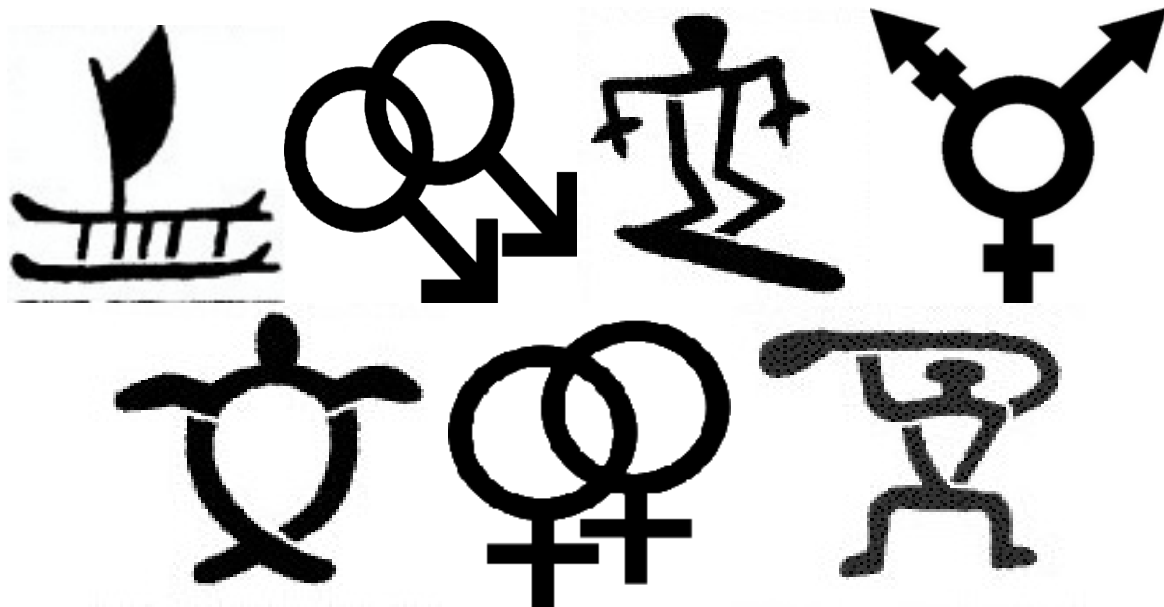




*The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transsexual
and Questioning Population*

Resources Referral Manual



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**** The listings in this community referral resource manual are for reference only, and are not intended to be an endorsement, nor offer or replace medical advice.**

ONLINE RESOURCES

The following resources provide support online for gay youth and LGBT caregivers.

- fi Youth Resource
- fi (GLBT) National Help Center
- fi Accredited Online Colleges
- fi The Trevor Project

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Youth Resource

Mailing Address:

n/a

Phone:

n/a

Website:

<http://www.amplifyyourvoice.org/>

Background:

YouthResource is a Web site created by and for gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, and questioning (GLBTQ) young people. YouthResource takes a holistic approach to sexual health and exploring issues of concern to GLBTQ youth, by providing information and offer support on sexual and reproductive health issues through education and advocacy. Through monthly features, message boards, and online peer education, GLBTQ youth receive information on activism, culture, sexual health, and other issues that are important to them.

YouthResource is a Web site hosted by Advocates for Youth. Advocates for Youth champions efforts to help young people make informed and responsible decisions about their reproductive and sexual health. Advocates believes it can best serve the field by boldly advocating for a more positive and realistic approach to adolescent sexual health.

Online Peer Education Program

The online peer education program offers peer-to-peer support. Through brief bios from peer educators of diverse backgrounds, Web site visitors can select an online peer educator that they would feel comfortable communicating with. Online peer educators answer questions posed by visitors and point them to appropriate resources but online peer educators do not provide medical advice. They are also responsible for helping develop content and writing articles on YouthResource as well as for offering advice and support to Advocates for Youth. If you are 13 to 24 and interested in this program please email the organization for complete information.



GLBT National Help Center

Mailing Address:

n/a

Phone:

n/a

Website:

<http://www.glbthotline.org/>

Background:

The Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender (GLBT) National Help Center, founded in 1996, is a non-profit, tax-exempt organization that provides vital peer-support, community connections and resource information to people with questions regarding sexual orientation and/or gender identity. This group utilizes a diverse group of GLBT volunteers, which operate two national hotlines, the *GLBT National Hotline* and the *GLBT National Youth Talkline*. There are also private, volunteer one-on-one online chat that helps both youth and adults with coming-out issues, safer-sex information, school bullying, family concerns, and relationship problems. This online source also maintains the largest collection of resources for the GLBT community in the United States, with 15,000 local resources for cities and towns across the country.

This source has been noted as one of the oldest and most comprehensive national organization of its type and scope in the United States, providing this critically needed service regardless of age or geographic location. The people who turn to this resource for help often live in rural and conservative parts of the country and are frequently feeling severely isolated, closeted and despairing, with literally no one else safe to talk to.

The GLBT National Help Center provides a safe environment on the phone or internet for people of all ages to discuss issues that they don't feel comfortable talking about anywhere else.



Accredited Online Colleges

Mailing Address:

n/a

Phone:

n/a

Website:

<http://www.accreditedonlinecolleges.com/lgbt-college-guide/>

Background:

AccreditedOnlineColleges recognizes that aspiring college students who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender (LGBT) face a unique set of challenges when looking at schools. Because of these challenges, AccreditedOnlineColleges offers a college guide for current and prospective LGBT students that helps to identify LGBT-friendly schools, scholarship opportunities, as well as additional support resources and community and national organizations.

AccreditedOnlineColleges.com wants to help make the school search easier by helping prospective students learn more about how accreditation works, as well as the different kinds of accreditation that may be relevant to one's academic and personal goals.

The Trevor Project

Mailing Address:

n/a

Phone:

1 (866) 488-7386
24/7 suicide hotline

Website:

<http://www.thetrevorproject.org/>

Background:

The Trevor Project is the leading national organization providing crisis intervention and suicide prevention services to lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and questioning (LGBTQ) young people ages 13-24. The Trevor Project saves young lives every day through its accredited, free and confidential phone, instant message and text messaging crisis intervention services. They offer the largest safe social networking community for LGBTQ youth, best practice suicide prevention educational trainings, resources for youth and adults, and advocacy initiatives.



POLITICAL RESOURCES

The following resources provide legal support and networking opportunities.

- fi Equality Hawai‘i
- fi Gay & Lesbian Democratic Caucus of Hawai‘i
- fi Hawai‘i’s LGBT Legacy Foundation
- fi Hulumanu Foundation
- fi The Imperial Court of Hawai‘i
- fi Pride @ Work Hawai‘i

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Equality Hawai‘i

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 25384
Honolulu, HI 96825

Phone:

n/a

Website:

<http://www.equalityhawaii.org/>



Background:

Equality Hawaii Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to securing equality for Hawaii’s lesbian, gay, bisexual & transgender community. Equality Hawaii Foundation envisions a Hawaii in which lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender people and their families can live full, productive lives. The purpose of the organization is to achieve its mission and realize this vision, Equality Hawaii Foundation nurtures opportunities for education and discussion on issues facing the LGBT community and vehicles from which to empower LGBT people and their allies.

Other Information:

General Inquiries:

- fi Andrea Anderson: andrea@equalityhawaii.org

Legislative Inquiries:

- fi Jace Mikulanec: jmikulanec@equalityhawaii.org

Media Inquiries and Community Outreach:

- fi Andrea Anderson: andrea@equalityhawaii.org

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Caucus of the Democratic Party of Hawai‘i

Mailing Address:

1050 Ala Moana Boulevard,
Honolulu, HI 96814

Phone:

(808) 596-2980

Website:

<http://www.glb Caucus hawaii.org/Site/Home.html>



Background:

The Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Caucus is dedicated to supporting the values and positions of the Democratic Party of Hawaii in promoting justice and equality regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity. They are concerned with issues such as: Government Operations, Government Rule-Making and Practices, Government Funding and Appropriations, and Welfare and Social Service Benefits; Hate Crimes; Relationship Rights and Responsibilities; Parenting, Adoption and Definitions of Family; Employment; Housing; Public Accommodations; Health; Education; Tourism; Economic Development; and Serving our Country in Military Service as they apply to the GLBT community.

Hulumanu Foundation

Address:

1611 Keeaumoku Street #202
Honolulu, HI 96822

Phone:

(808) 723-9154

Email / Website:

hawaiianbl@hulumanufoundation.org
<http://www.hulumanufoundation.org>

Background:

The Hulumanu Foundation’s mission is to use appropriate language in schools and in public associated with the LGBTQ and Asian and Pacific Islander (API) populations. The foundation aims to establish social, health, and legal issues that impact equality; to implement strategies in schools and develop partnerships that will enhance the LGBTQ and API populations; execute outreach programs and marketing options where there are no visible sing of LGBTQ and API populations.

Hawai‘i LGBT Legacy Foundation

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 23300
Honolulu, HI 96822

Phone:

(808) 369-2000

Email / Website:

info@hawaiilgbtlegacyfoundation.com
<http://hawaiilgbtlegacyfoundation.com/>

Background:

The Hawai‘i LGBT Legacy Foundation is a federally recognized 501(c)3 non-profit organization in Hawai‘i. The organization was formed in 2008 to connect and act as a facilitator with all other LGBT organizations, businesses and services throughout the state of Hawai‘i. The foundation established a community center in 2014 located in Waikiki to begin the process of bringing all interested parties together to coordinate and complement each other’s goals and efforts; and strengthen the network that ties the community together. The foundation also puts together the annual Honolulu Pride Festival and information can be found at honolulupride.org.



The Imperial Court of Hawai‘i

Address:

1320 Middle Street
Honolulu, HI 96819

Phone:

(808) 840-7637

Email/Website:

<http://theimperialcourtofahawaii.org/>
info@theimperialcourtofahawaii.org

Background:

The Imperial Court of Hawaii is a nonprofit 501(c)4 organization and was established in 1981. The purpose of the court is to support the human civil rights of citizens, secured by law, and to work for the elimination of prejudice and discrimination against all people, through discussions, forums, panels, lectures, projects, and other programs, the court shall work to promote a higher quality of life and lessen tensions within the community. By raising and distributing funds to other exempt organizations, the court offers positive and athletic opportunities.

Pride @ Work Hawai'i

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 22416
Honolulu, HI 96822

Phone:

(808) 626-9728

Website:

<http://www.prideatworkhawaii.org/p/union-resources.html>

Email: prideatworkhi@gmail.com

**Background:**

Pride At Work Hawai'i has played a key role in building labor support for important LGBT-related legislation, including civil unions and the ban on workplace discrimination on the basis of gender identity or expression. We continue the fight to make schools safer for all students, remove barriers to full inclusiveness for transgender people, support workers' rights, increase the minimum wage, and build a more just Hawai'i.

Pride At Work Hawai'i has focused on building labor leadership around LGBT issues through a series of labor-focused programs addressing LGBT workplace issues

Training topics and materials include:

- ❏ LGBT 101, including basic terminology
- ❏ Steps to negotiating LGBT-inclusive contracts, including sample language
- ❏ How to be a Straight Ally
- ❏ 5 Things Your Union Can Do to Support LGBT Workers
- ❏ The Facts on LGBT Discrimination
- ❏ Why Unions Matter to LGBT Workers



CULTURAL RESOURCES

The following resource celebrates the LGBT community through art forms and celebration, offering creative and cultural outlets.

■ The Honolulu Gay & Lesbian Cultural Foundation

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The Honolulu Gay and Lesbian Cultural Foundation

Address:

1670 Makaloa Street, #204,
PMB #370
Honolulu, HI 96814

Phone:

(808) 675-8428

Email / Website:

info@hglcf.org
<http://www.hglcf.org/>

**Background:**

The Honolulu Gay and Lesbian Cultural Foundation (HGLCF) is a self-supporting non-profit 501(c)3 whose mission is to educate and raise awareness of the community-at-large about gay and lesbian culture, arts and lifestyle. HGLCF also works toward instilling a sense of pride and respect among the members of the Gay community, as well as to highlight the unique cosmopolitan ambiance of the city of Honolulu.

HGLCF is the umbrella organization for the Honolulu Rainbow Film Festival (HRFF), one of the longest-running and well-respected Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) film festivals in the country. The festival has presented hundreds of documentaries, feature films, shorts and animations from around the world, with special consideration given to Hawai'i-based filmmakers. The HRFF has an excellent reputation in the film festival community and has been the venue for both U.S. and world film premieres



HIV/AIDS RESOURCES

The following resources provide support regarding issues of HIV/AIDS education, prevention, and testing. Most identify the LGBT community as a target population for their services.

- fi Gregory House Programs
- fi HIV Counseling & Testing Program (Department of Health)
- fi Life Foundation
- fi Malama Pono Health Services
- fi Waianae Comprehensive Center
- fi Waikiki Health Center
- fi Maui Aids Foundation
- fi Manoa-Punahou Catholic Community Aids Support Ministry

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Gregory House Programs

Address:	Phone:	Email / Website:
200 North Vineyard Blvd, Suite A310 Honolulu, HI 96817	(808) 592-9022 Fax: 592-9049	info@gregoryhouse.org http://www.gregoryhouse.org/



Background:

Gregory House Programs is committed to the ongoing assessment and development of programs that meet the housing needs of persons living with HIV/AIDS throughout Hawaii, because housing is healthcare. Our deepest hope is for a cure for HIV, the end of homelessness, and the day when Gregory House Programs will no longer be needed. Until then, Gregory House Programs will continue to do whatever is needed to ease the impact on those who have been infected and affected with HIV/AIDS.

Programs / Services:

- fi Transitional shelters
- fi One-time per year grants for rent, deposit or utilities for individuals at risk for homelessness
- fi Scattered-sites program, provision of permanent rental assistance
- fi Permanent and temporary rental assistance
- fi Rental assistance and supportive services for disabled households of formerly homeless individuals and families

HIV Counseling and Testing Program (Department of Health)

Address:

3627 Kilauea Avenue, #305
Honolulu, HI 96816

Phone:

(808) 733-9281
Fax: (808) 733-9291

Website:

<http://health.hawaii.gov/std-aids/where-to-get-tested/oahu-testing-resources/>

Services:

- Individual assessment and risk reduction counseling for individuals seeking HIV screening
- State wide pre and post-test counseling for HIV testing
- Partner notification services for HIV positive individuals
- Referrals to appropriate support groups and other community resources
- Technical guidance to medical personnel and others on HIV testing and infection

Life Foundation

Address:

677 Ala Moana Blvd, Ste 226
Honolulu, HI 96813

Phone:

(808) 521-2437
Fax: (808) 521-1279

Email / Website:

mail@lifefoundation.org
<http://www.lifefoundation.org>

**Background:**

Life Foundation is a non-profit organization dedicated to stopping the spread of HIV and to assisting people who are living with HIV and AIDS. Since opening its doors as Hawaii's first AIDS organization in 1983, Life Foundation has been implementing innovative programs such as AIDS case management, school based AIDS education, the sterile needle exchange, peer support for positives, treatment education and peer-to-peer HIV prevention outreach.

Today, Life Foundation works with nearly 700 HIV-positive men, women, children and transgenders to insure they are receiving proper medical, financial, and emotional support. Life Foundation also offers HIV testing and counseling. All services are free and confidential.

Mission:

The mission of Life Foundation is to stop the spread of HIV and AIDS. To empower those affected by HIV/AIDS and maximize their quality of life. To provide leadership and advocacy in responding to the AIDS epidemic. To apply the skills and lessons learned from the AIDS epidemic to other related areas of public health or concern

Services:

- ❏ Free, confidential support services for men women and children with HIV/AIDS including Case management
- ❏ Newsletter: LIFEbeat, The Newsletter of the Life Foundation
- ❏ Counseling
- ❏ Support Groups
- ❏ Legal groups
- ❏ Benefits assistance
- ❏ Recreation programs
- ❏ Volunteer assistance
- ❏ Weekly lunches & dinners
- ❏ In-home support
- ❏ Hawaiian HIV case management
- ❏ “Living Well” education forums
- ❏ Food and nutrition assistance PLUS (Positive Living for Us) seminars
- ❏ Emergency financial assistance
- ❏ Referrals for housing, medical, dental
- ❏ Health education/risk reduction for youth at risk, gay and bisexual men, gay and bisexual Asian/Pacific Islander men, women, transgendered people, injection drug users
- ❏ Outreach HIV antibody counseling and testing for men who have sex with men, and individuals who are transgendered male to female
- ❏ Educational presentations in schools, the workplace, and to community groups
- ❏ Speakers bureau of HIV positive men and women
- ❏ “Bloodstream Follies” HIV prevention comic book
- ❏ AIDS resource library
- ❏ Protected sex kits
- ❏ HIV telephone infoline
- ❏ Educational materials for all age groups
- ❏ Supporting the development of Gay-Straight Alliances in public schools
- ❏ Transgender Outreach Services



Malama Pono Health Services

Address:

4366 Kukui Grove Street,
Suite 205
P.O. Box 1950
Lihue, HI 96766

Phone:

(808) 246-9577
Fax: (808) 246-9588

Email / Website:

info@malama-pono.org
<http://www.malama-pono.org>

**Background:**

Malama Pono Health Services seeks to stop the spread of HIV/AIDS, STDs and infectious Hepatitis on Kaua'i through education and to serve those persons infected with or affected by these diseases.

Services:

- ❏ Case management to assist client in obtaining essential medical, social, and supportive services, such as counseling, food stamps, home health service, hospice, insurance, Medicaid, Social Security income, Social Security Disability Income, Temporary Disability income,
- ❏ Financial assistant to help obtain or maintain access to primary health care, prescription medication not covered by insurance, nutritional support, stable housing, and other supportive services
- ❏ HIV information sessions
- ❏ Individual counseling sessions
- ❏ Outreach programs
- ❏ HIV and Hepatitis C Testing
- ❏ STD, Hepatitis C Education and Referrals
- ❏ Free condoms
- ❏ All services strictly confidential and free of charge



Waianae Comprehensive Center

Address:

86-260 Farrington Highway
Waianae, HI 96792

Phone:

(808) 697-3300

Website:

<http://www.wcchc.com/>

Background:

WCCHC is a healing center that provides accessible and affordable medical and traditional healing services with aloha. WCCHC is a learning center that offers health career training to ensure a better future for our community. WCCHC is also an innovator, using leading edge technology to deliver the highest quality of medical services to our community.

Services:

- HIV prevention education and risk reduction counseling in the community or clinic
- Free anonymous HIV antibody counseling and testing

Waikiki Health Services

Address:

277 Ohua Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815

Phone:

(808) 926-0742

Email:

Information@waikikihealth.org
<http://waikikihc.org/>

Services:

- Street outreach / case management for women at high risk for HIV
- Street outreach / HIV prevention education / case management for runaway / throw away street youth in Waikiki
- Outreach/mobile health care/HIV prevention education/case management for unsheltered homeless on O'ahu
- HIV prevention education for general public
- Statewide hotline for HIV/STD information
- Free and anonymous HIV antibody counseling and testing
- Low cost HIV antibody counseling and testing available
- Free or low cost screening, diagnosis and treatment of syphilis, gonorrhea and Chlamydia
- Free or low cost general medical care, including care for HIV positive individuals

Maui Aids Foundation

Address:

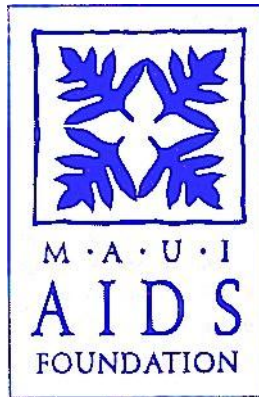
1935 Main Street,
Suite 101
Wailuku, Hawaii
96793

Phone:

(808) 242-4900
Fax: (808) 242-1968

Email:

<http://www.mauiaids.org/index.php>

**Background:**

The mission of Maui AIDS Foundation is to promote the sexual health and well-being of the members of our community. With over 400 diagnosed HIV positive people living on Maui, Maui AIDS Foundation (MAF) is the only comprehensive HIV/AIDS organization in Maui County providing assistance with services including linkage to medical care, access to HIV medications, financial housing assistance, food, and emotional and educational support to those in need. MAF also provides educational programs to inform the community about HIV/AIDS, its transmission, prevention and the impact on the residents of Maui County, as well as free HIV and Hep-C testing and Safe Sex Kits (SSK's).

Services:

- ❏ HIV and Hep-C testing Monday – Friday from 8:30am – 4:00pm, also offer testing at Outreach locations in Kihei, Lahaina, and Upcountry weekly as well as in Hana and Molokai twice a year.
- ❏ Case Management services to those diagnosed with HIV
- ❏ Food Pantry for existing clients of MAF
- ❏ Housing assistance through a specialized housing program to help existing clients that qualify
- ❏ Outreach and educational programs for all of Maui County
- ❏ MPowerment Project, peer led support group and social events
- ❏ SISTAH Project, women's group allowing participants the opportunity to express themselves, learn from and share with each other in order to make healthy life decisions regarding their sexual health.
- ❏ Prevention with Positives, closed group for people that are HIV positive

Manoa-Punahou Catholic Community Aids Support Ministry

Address:

1710 Wilder Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96822

Phone:

(808) 973-2211
Fax: (808) 973-2209

Website:

<http://www.mp-cc.net/index.php/ministries/aids-support-ministry/>

Background:

The AIDS Support Ministry raises awareness of HIV~AIDS in the Manoa-Punahou Catholic Community. It is a ministry that reaches out to those infected with or affected by HIV~AIDS both in our local community and beyond. Anyone who is willing to give their time and lots of love is welcome to join the ministry.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF LGBT

The following resource offers support groups for family and friends of LGBT individuals.

■ Rainbow Family 808

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Rainbow Family 808

Address:

n/a

Phone:

(808) 779-9078

Website/Email:

<http://www.rainbowfamily808.com/index.html>
Rainbow808@gmail.com

Background:

Rainbow Family 808 is dedicated to assisting and providing support to straight, lesbian, gay, bisexual, questioning, transgender persons and those who search for who they are and where they belong. They also assist our families and friends through: support for our children who have been misunderstood in the public as well as their own homes; and as a resource in our community to assist those who need our help. Rainbow Family 808 supports churches, schools and individuals to expand the foundation of education to foster love with and for all of our families. They provide support groups for families once they realize they have a LGBT family member as well as youth outreach,

SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY RESOURCES

The following resources involve groups formed by higher education institutions for the purpose of giving LGBT students and faculty a chance to network and reach out to the LGBT individuals on their campus as well as in the community.

- Chaminade University
- GSA Hawai'i
- Hawai'i Pacific University
- University of Hawai'i at Manoa

Chaminade University

Group Name:

CUH Gay-Straight Alliance

Phone:

None.

Email:

kathrynizumi@sbcglobal.net
(*contact to join*)

Address:

3140 Wai'alaie Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96816



Background:

The Chaminade University (CUH) Gay-Straight Alliance has been in operation for 6 years, and offers opportunities for social networking for LGBT students and their supporters at CUH.



GSA Hawaii (Life Foundation)

Address:

677 Ala Moana Blvd., Ste 226
Honolulu, HI 96813

Phone:

(808) 521-2437

Email / Website:

mmoore@lifefoundation.org
<http://gsahawaii.org/>



Background:

GSA Hawaii is a state-wide network that provides support for Gay-Straight Alliances (GSAs) in Hawaii's schools. GSAs are student clubs that work to improve school climate for all students, and promote acceptance, tolerance, and support.

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Hawai'i Pacific University

Group Name:

OUTSpoken

Phone:

None.

Email:

outspoken.hpu@my.hpu.edu

Address:

1164 Bishop Street
Honolulu, HI 96813

Hawai'i Pacific University

Background:

OUTSpoken will create a positive, supportive environment for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgendered, trans-sexed, intersex, two-spirited, queer, questioning, and ally students at Hawaii Pacific University. We also strive to promote awareness through social and political activism of the contributions of all LGBT people locally, nationally, and internationally; and to encourage campus and community acceptance through educational outreach.

University of Hawai‘i at Manoa

Address:

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual,
Transgender, and Intersex
Student Services Office
2600 Campus Road
Honolulu, HI 96822

Phone:

(808) 956-9250
Fax: (808) 956-9314

Email:

lgbtq@hawaii.edu



UNIVERSITY
of HAWAII®
MĀNOA

Background:

Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Intersex (LGBTI) Student Services strives to maintain a safe and inclusive campus environment for all students of the University of Hawai‘i at Manoa regardless of their gender identity or sexual orientation. To that end, LGBTI Student Services facilitates student learning and development through a range of educational, information and advocacy programs.

Services:

- fi Lounge area with wireless internet
- fi Video resources for various topics
- fi Reading resource library
- fi National and local lesbian and gay publications and resources
- fi Referral services for on and off-campus resources for various issues, including harassment, relationship violence, legal aid, and other crisis needs
- fi Safe Zone Training Program
- fi University and community network opportunities
- fi Informational brochures and flyers for various organizations
- fi Student support via weekly drop-in groups

RELIGIOUS RESOURCES

The following resources include gay-friendly churches, as well as specific programs offered by religious institutions that are geared towards providing LGBT individuals with a welcoming environment in which to practice their faith.

- fi Dignity Honolulu
- fi Lutheran Church of Honolulu
- fi Religious Society of Friends
- fi List of LGBT-friendly churches (list)

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Dignity Honolulu (St. Mark's Episcopal Church)

Address:

539 Kapahulu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815

Phone:

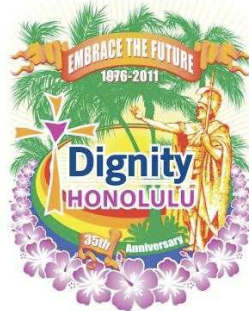
(808) 353-7558

Email / Website:

<http://honolulu.dignityusa.org/>

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 3956
Honolulu, HI 96812-3956



Background:

Dignity Honolulu has been providing outreach ministry for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Catholics, their families and friends in Hawaii since 1976.

Services:

Outreach Ministry for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgender Catholics, their family, and friends.

Lutheran Church of Honolulu

Program Name:

Mary Magdalene Society

Phone (Church):

(808) 941-2566

Email / Website:

lch@LCHwelcome.org
<http://www.lchwelcome.org/>

Address:

1730 Punahou Street
Honolulu, HI 96822

Background:

Mary Magdalene Society, a social group of lesbians and gays in the congregation, gathers periodically for Sunday brunch, for picnics, barbecues, etc. In June, we frequently participate in Pride Festival. For this latter activity we invite all members of the congregation to join with us.

Mary Magdalene is an informal group. We do not have dues nor formal membership list. We welcome anyone associated with LCH even loosely to join with us. Partners are welcome whether they participate in the Church or not.

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Religious Society of Friends

Address:

2426 Oahu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96822

Phone:

(808) 988-2714

Email / Website:

quakers@hawaiiquaker.org
<http://www.hawaiiquaker.org/>

Background:

Honolulu Friends Meeting is an open and affirming congregation welcoming everyone who is interested in the group's way of worship or Quaker testimonies.

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LGBT Friendly Churches

Church**Address****Contact Information**

Calvary by the Sea Lutheran
Church & Montessori
School

5339 Kalaniana'ole Highway
Honolulu, HI 96821

Phone: (808) 377-5477
Email: cbts@calvarybythesea.org
Website:
www.CalvaryByTheSea.org

Church of the Crossroads
United Church of Christ

1212 University Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96826

Phone: (808) 949-2220
Email: ccrhi@hawaii.rr.com
Website:
www.ChurchOfTheCrossroadsHawaii.org

Diginty Honolulu

539 Kapahulu Ave.
Honolulu HI 96815

Phone: (808) 352-7558
Website: www.honolulu-DignityUSA.org

First Unitarian
Universalist Church

2500 Pali Hwy
Honolulu, HI 96817

Phone: (808) 595-4047
Website: www.UnitarianofHI.org

Oahu Jewish Ohana

Email:
Oahujewishohana@gmail.com
www.Facebook.com

Unity Church of Hawai'i

3608 Diamond Hd.
Honolulu, HI 96815

Phone: (808) 735-4436
Website: www.UnityHawaii.org

MARRIAGE RESOURCES

The following resource provides information related to the planning of wedding ceremonies for same-sex couples.

- EnGayged Weddings

EnGayged Weddings.com

Address:

(none)

Phone:

(none)

Email:

<http://www.engaygedweddings.com/hawaii-gay-wedding.html>



Background:

EnGaygedWeddings.com, owned by EnGayged Wedding , is an online database of information related to the planning of wedding ceremonies for same-sex couples. The site provides information regarding:

- Attaining a marriage license/civil union in respective state
- Gay-friendly ceremony sites (i.e., hotels and other venues), vendors, and services, including photographers, bakeries, videographers, etc.
- Wedding Planning



SUBSTANCE ABUSE

The following resource is a substance abuse program geared specifically towards the LGBT population.

■ Gay and Lesbian Alcoholics Anonymous

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Gay and Lesbian Alcoholics Anonymous

Address:

Oahu Central Office
Palama Settlement,
Suite 14 E
Tennant Building
810 N Vineyard Blvd.
Honolulu, HI 96817

Phone:

(808) 946-1438

Website:

aloharoundup.com



Background:

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings specifically serving the Gay and Lesbian community. Each day has a different topic area:

SOCIAL NETWORKING & VENUES

Clubs & Social Groups

The following resources include social groups created by and geared towards LGBT individuals, offering opportunities for networking based on similar interests.

- fi Aloha Bears
- fi Aloha Tennis
- fi Blazing Saddles
- fi Both Sides Now
- fi FrontRunners / FrontWalkers
- fi Honolulu Men's Chorus
- fi LACE HAWAII (Lesbian Arts and Cultural Exchange)
- fi Like Hike

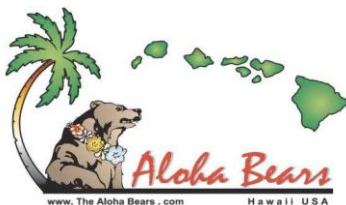
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Aloha Bears

Email: alohabears@gmail.com

Website:

<http://thealohabears.com>



Established in 1999 to fill a need in the community for hirsute men and their admirers. The organization is open to all, meeting for leisurely activities and other events in order to better the community (food and clothing drives, fundraisers for community organizations). Aloha Bears aims to spread the message of equality and pledge to help those less fortunate. One year membership costs \$10 per person, \$15 for a couple, with varied costs for specific events.

Aloha Tennis Club

91-1009 Kaihe 'enalu Street

Ewa Beach, HI 96706

<http://www.alohatennisclub>

[.50megs.com/](http://www.alohatennisclub)



Activities include daily play at Kapiolani Park courts, beginning around 1:00 PM, weekdays and weekends. All are welcome, all levels. An annual tournament is held, usually prior to the President's Day holiday. The club also participates in the Oahu Summer 3.5 league which is usually played July through September. Members of the club participate in other GLTA sanctioned tennis tournaments around the world.

Blazing Saddles Hawaii

Ala Wai Golf Course Clubhouse

Ballroom

Blazing Saddles – A Country Dance Club is a 501(c)(7) nonprofit social organization, whose mission is: A. To provide a comfortable, non-judgmental, nurturing,

404 Kapahulu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815

Email:
blazingsaddlesHI@yahoo.com

Website:
<http://blazingsaddleshi.org/>



supportive, and safe environment for people to dance, socialize, and have fun; B. To promote the culture of and provide education in country-western dancing, activities and music to all persons without regard to age, sex, gender or gender identity, religion, national or cultural origin, sexual orientation, disability, or HIV status; C. To operate exclusively for social purposes, within the meaning of Section 501(c)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States internal revenue law). Services are free, though a \$5 donation is suggested.

Both Sides Now
P.O. Box 2007
Kihei HI 96753
Email:
info@mauigayinfo.com
Website:
<http://www.mauigayinfo.com/>



The purpose of Both Sides Now is to promote cooperation, support mutual representation, and educate the sexually diverse population of Maui and the State of Hawaii. The group seeks to establish full social equality, legal rights, equivalent benefits, and privileges, and respect for all persons of sexual diversity. The group meets on the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00 PM, and provides a student scholarship program dedicated to giving deserving member student's aid in their studies on Maui.

FrontRunners / FrontWalkers
P.O. Box 15473
Honolulu, HI 96830-5473
contat@honolulufrontrunners.org
Website:
<http://www.honolulufrontrunners.org/>

FrontRunners/FrontWalkers



A club that provides encouragement and support to Gay Men, Lesbians, and others with an interest in running or walking. Annual membership costs are \$10 for singles, \$15 for couples, with renewals every April.

Honolulu Men's Chorus

Phone: n/a
Email: aet003@hawaiiantel.net
Website:
<https://www.facebook.com/Honolulu.Gay.Chorus>

Honolulu Men's Chorus is a gay-friendly men's chorus composed of gay and gay-friendly men which aims to bring GLBTQ aloha to Honolulu.

LACEHAWAII or Lesbian Arts
and Cultural Exchange Hawaii

lacehawaii@yahoo.com

Website:

[https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/g
roups/LACEHAWAII/info](https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/LACEHAWAII/info)

Phone: (808) 942-4601

The Lesbian Arts and Cultural Exchange Hawaii is a virtual community of women who identify as lesbian, bisexual, female-to-male or questioning living or visiting Oahu, Hawaii. Its main purpose is to connect people.

Like Hike

Phone: (808) 455-8193

(*contact is Ed*)

Email: likehike@earthlink.net

Website:

[http://www.gayhawaii.com/lik
ehike/](http://www.gayhawaii.com/likehike/)

LIKE HIKE is a group for hike enthusiasts to connect. The group meets on designated Sundays at 9:00 AM in front of Old Navy in the Ala Moana Shopping Center.



Bars and Clubs

The following resources include bar and night club scenes that may be helpful in facilitating social networking. The LGBT community is very small in Hawai'i, and places for networking are limited, such resources are helpful in giving LGBT individuals specific venues at which they can find others from their community.

- Bacchus Waikiki
- BAR 7
- Chiko's Tavern
- Fusion Waikiki
- Hula's Bar & Lei Stand
- In-Between
- Lo Jax Gay Sport's Bar
- Tapa's Restaurant & Lanai
- Wang Chung's Karaoke Bar

Bacchus Waikiki
408 Lewers Street
Honolulu, HI 96815

Open daily from 12:00 PM to 2:00 AM. Bacchus Waikiki is a new and alternative gay bar where the booze flow and the music rocks.

BAR 7

1349 Kapiolani Blvd
Honolulu, HI 96814
Phone: (808) 955-2640

Located in Honolulu, a show bar and dance club where every Saturday is Gay/Lesbian night from 9:00 PM to 4:00 AM. Drag show held prior to opening of the dance floor.



Chiko's Tavern
930 McCully Street
Honolulu, HI 96826
Phone: (808) 949-5440

Chiko's Tavern, located on McCully Street, is an informal neighborhood bar with a laid back atmosphere. Live music on select nights.



Fusion Waikiki
2260 Kuhio Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815
Phone: (808) 924-2422

Multi-level nightclub featuring Hawaii's hottest DJ music, videos, dancing and drinks till 4 a.m. nightly. Wild all-male strip revues and Hawaii's best female impersonator shows. Nightly drink specials. Entrance at top of stairs.



Hula's Bar & Lei Stand
134 Kapahulu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815
Phone: (808) 923-0669
Email: contact@hulas.com

Beach bar and disco with spectacular views of Diamond Head and Waikiki Beach. Walking distance from Queen's Surf Beach. Many special events.



In-Between
2155 Lau'ula Street
Honolulu, HI 96815

Phone: (808) 926-7060



Neighborhood gay bar open to visitors and locals. Open 4:00 PM to 2:00 AM Monday through Saturday, and 2:00 PM to 2:00 AM on Sunday. Happy hour special until 8:00 PM daily.

Tapa's Restaurant & Lanai
Bar
407 Seaside Avenue
Waikiki, HI, 96815



Bar located in Waikiki. Serves food and drinks, offers drink specials, early bird and long happy hours. Equipped with patio lanai bar, pool table, large screen karaoke machine, touch screen video games, and computerized juke box.

Wang Chung's Karaoke Bar
2410 Koa Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815

Phone: (808) 921-9176



Karaoke bar geared towards gay men. Open daily from 2:00 PM to 2:00 AM. See website (<http://www.wangchungs.com>) for more information.

Hotels

The following hotels are known to be gay-friendly locations for vacationing LGBT individuals.

- Aqua Hotels and Resorts
- The Cabana at Waikiki
- Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa
- Waikiki Grand Hotel
- Maui Sunseeker LGBT Resort

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Aqua Hotels and Resorts
1850 Ala Moana Blvd.
Waikiki Beach, HI 96815

Phone: (808) 943-9291

Fax: (808) 944-2782

Website:

<http://www.aquaresorts.com>

Email:

reservations@aquaresorts.com

Hawaii's first boutique hotel chain, Aqua Hotels & Resorts offers a collection of 15 boutique and budget Hawaii hotels and resorts in Waikiki/Honolulu, Oahu and 6 Hawaiian resorts on Maui, Kauai, Molokai and Lanai.

The Cabana at Waikiki
2551 Cartwright Road
Waikiki, HI 96815

Phone: (808) 926-555

Toll Free: (877) 902-2121

Fully remodeled and redecorated, offering 15 one bedroom suites with kitchen. Located near Queen's Surf Beach, Kapi'olani, and Hula's Bar.

Waikiki Beach Marriott
Resort & Spa
2552 Kalakaua Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815-3699

Phone: (808) 922-6611

Located next to Diamond Head Crater and near nighttime hotspots and sights.

Waikiki Grand Hotel
134 Kapahulu Avenue
Honolulu, HI 96815
Phone: (808) 923-1814
Fax: (808) 923-5003

The Waikiki Grand Hotel is LGBT-friendly, located near Kapahulu Pier.

Maui Sunseeker LGBT
Resort
551 S. Kihiei Avenue
Kihei, HI 96753

Phone: (808) 879-1261

Hawaii's premiere LGBT Maui resort and hotel caters primarily to the discerning LGBT traveler but all adults are welcome. The Maui Sunseeker Gay Hotel and Resort is an adults-only property located on Maui's southern coast in Kihei.

PUBLICATIONS

- fi eXpression! Magazine
- fi Gay Hawaii
- fi Gay Parent Magazine
- fi Odyssey Hawaii Magazine

eXpression! Magazine

Website:

<http://www.expression808.com>



eXpression! Magazine, a free publication, focuses LGBT professionals and supporters who are working to enhance acceptance, respect and equality in the larger community. The magazine's mission has been to inspire Hawai'i's LGBT community by featuring people positively contributing to society and to desensitize the 'shock factor' negatively placed on the LGBT community and celebrate the talents and abilities of Hawai'i's LGBT community, with each monthly issue featuring a new individual

Gay Hawaii
MC Publishing Inc. DBA: The
Pride Guides
P.O. Box 45243
Phoenix, AZ 85064

Gay Hawaii is one gay travel guide in a series of gay guides designed for LGBT travel and gay tourism featuring top gay destinations. The magazine's mission is to provide quality LGBT travel content and resources for gay and lesbian travelers and locals alike.

Phone: (888) 830-3022
Fax: (602) 297-6939
Email:
theprideguides@gmail.com
Website:
www.gayhawaii.com

The Pride Guides are corporately based in Arizona where the company was first launched. Pride Guides publish online versions of gay directories as a digital media resource for the LGBT community and those wishing to connect with our community. The business is gay owned, operated and staffed and hope to one day provide gay resources on a global scale.

Gay Parent Magazine
P.O. Box 750852
Forest Hills, NY 11375-0852
Phone: (718) 380-1780
Website:
<http://www.gayparentmag.com/>



Thinking of becoming a parent? Looking to expand your family through foster care, adoption or reproductive technology? Want to find an LGBT friendly private school or camp for your child? How did other LGBTs become parents or deal with issues with their child? Gay Parent magazine (GPM) can help answer questions about same sex and gay parenting.

GPM is a 16 - 48 page bound newsprint magazine featuring personal stories of LGBT parents from across the country and around the world - we take you into their homes. Parents speak candidly about their experiences with international and domestic adoption, foster care, donor insemination, using a surrogate, parenting with an ex, coming out after being in a straight marriage and what it is like to raise their children in their part of the world.

Odyssey Hawaii Magazine
1750 Kalakaua Avenue, Ste
103
Honolulu, HI 97204-1342
Phone: (808) 955-5959
Website:
<http://www.odysseyhawaii.com>

Free publication showcasing social events in the LGBT community, as well as reporting on legal and political matters related to equal rights.

