

Worcester's LGBTQ Agencies

SWAGLY

Provides safe space for LGBTQ youth and straight allies to socialize, learn, and share. Through AIDS Project Worcester, Inc. 85 Green Street, Worcester. Email: LCantres@aidspjprojectworcester.org Phone: 508-755-3773 Website: <http://www.swagly.org>

PFLAG Worcester

Parents, Families and Friends of Lesbians And Gays
Contact: Laura Farnsworth
President of PFLAG Worcester
4 Mann Street, Worcester, MA 01602
Phone: 508-755-0333
Email: pflagworcester@iname.com
Website: <http://www.worcesterpflag.org/>

Safe Homes

Offers Support and resources for LGBTQ people ages 14-23 and their allies.
Contact: Laura Farnsworth, Program Manager
The Bridge, 4 Mann Street, Worcester, MA 01602
Phone: 508-755-0333
Email: safehomes@thebridgecm.org
Website: <http://www.safehomesma.org/>

WLEN (Worcester LGBT Elder Network)

Provides information and referral for LGBT elders and their caregivers.
Phone: 1-800-243-5111 or 508-756-1545
Email: wlen@eswa.org

Worcester Pride

Recognizes, promotes and unifies the Central Massachusetts LGTQ community, allies and its supporters.
Email: worcesterpride@gmail.com

Hotlines to Just Talk:

- Fenway Community Health Hotlines**
GLBTQ Peer Listening 1-800-399-7337
GLBTQ Listening of Any Age 1-888-340-4528
- GLBTQ National Youth** 1-800-246-7743
- Gay & Lesbian National Hotline**
1-888-THE-GLNH (1-888-843-4564)
- GLBTQ Domestic Violence Project**
955 Massachusetts Ave., PMB 131,
Cambridge, MA 02139, 1-800-832-1901

Health Resources

AIDS Project Worcester, Inc.

Services include health education, counseling, outreach, HIV counseling and testing, & supportive educational groups. 85 Green Street Worcester, MA 01604. Phone: 508-755-3773
Email: info@aidspjprojectworcester.org

JRI Health - Boston GLASS Community Center

GLASS provides counseling, advocacy, mentorship and referrals for health care services and housing to youth 13-29 years in the LGBTQ community. 75 Armory Street, Boston, MA 02111 Ismael Rivera
Phone: 617-266-3349 x215 Email: irivera@jri.org

Planned Parenthood: LGBT Services

Offers education, resources, and service referrals to LGBTQ community.
470 Pleasant St. Worcester, MA 01602
Phone: 508- 854-3301

Legal /Community Resources

Worcester Police Department

LGBTQ Police Community Liaison
Officer Sharon McQueen, 508-688-0229

GLAD (Gay & Lesbian Advocates and Defenders)

Phone: 617-426-1350 or Email: Gladlaw@glad.org

Community Legal Aid

405 Main Street, 4th Floor, Worcester, MA 01608
508-752-3718

LGBT Asylum Support Task Force

Supports LGBT Political Asylum seekers
Hadwen Park Church 6 Clover Street Worcester, MA

MA Commission Against Discrimination

Denholm Building, 484 Main Street, Room 320,
Worcester, MA 01608. 508-453-9630



City of Worcester

LGBTQ Resources*



City of Worcester LGBTQ Liaison:

Jayna Turcek,

Director of Human Rights &
Disabilities

City Hall Room 101, 455 Main Street

humanrights@worcesterma.gov

Phone: 508-799- 8486

www.worcesterma.gov/humanrights

**If you want to be added to this brochure, please feel free to contact the Office of Human Rights.*

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Open & Affirming Faith Communities

Unitarian Universalist Church

90 Holden Street, Worcester, MA 01606
508-853-1942 www.uucworchester.org

First Unitarian Church

90 Main St, Worcester, MA 01608
508-757-2708 www.firstunitarian.com

Hadwen Park Congregational Church

6 Clover Street, Worcester, MA 01603
508-752-7489 www.hadwenparkchurch.org

Lake View Congregational Church UCC

115 Coburn Avenue, Worcester, MA 01604
508-756-5857

United Congregational Church

6 Institute Road, Worcester, MA 01609
508-752-3785 www.ucc-worcester.org

Wesley United Methodist Church

114 Main Street, Worcester, MA 01608
508-799-4191 www.wesleyworc.org

First Baptist Church

111 Park Avenue, Worcester, MA 01609
508-756-6143 www.fbc-worc.org

All Saints Episcopal Church

10 Irving Street, Worcester MA 01609
508-752-3766 www.allsaintsw.org

Temple Emanuel Sinai

661 Salisbury Street, Worcester, MA 01609
508-755-1257 www.emanuelsinai.org

Congregation Beth Israel

15 Jamesbury Drive, Worcester, MA 01609
508-756-6204 www.bethisraelworc.org

Trinity Lutheran Church

73 Lancaster Street, Worcester, MA 01609
508-753-2989 www.trinityworc.org

New England Synod

20 Upland Street, Worcester, MA 01607
508-791-1530 www.nesynod.org

The Woo Church

875b Main St., Worcester, MA 01613
774-292-9201 www.thewoo.org

Worcester Public Schools' Gay Straight Alliances (GSA)

Abby Kelley Foster Charter Public School

Greg Shannon/gshannon@akfcs.org
508-854-8400

Burncoat High School

Tom Davis/davisTJ@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-3300

Claremont Academy

Heather Hinckley Parker/ParkerH@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-3077

Doherty Memorial High School

Annette Cochran/CochranA@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-3270

North High School

Lisa Dyer (Principal)/DyerL@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-3370

South High Community School

Stephanie Korunow/KorunowSA@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-3325

Worcester Technical High School

Laura Halfkenny/Holland-DufaultG@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-1940

University Park Campus School

Daniel St. Louis (Principal)/StLouisD@worc.k12.ma.us
508-799-3591

Gerald Creamer Center

508-799-3591
Mr. Timothy Whalen/WhalenT@worc.k12.ma.us

Want to start a GSA?

Check out this link for resources:

<http://www.gsanetwork.org>

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Worcester Colleges' Gay Straight Alliances

Assumption College

Paul Covino, Director of Campus Ministry
508-767-7057 or pf.covino@assumption.edu

Becker College

Sandy Lashin-Curewitz, Interactive Media Communications Director
508.373.9529 or sandy.curewitz@becker.edu

Clark University

Clark University OPEN
clarkuopen@gmail.com

College of the Holy Cross

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, & Transgender Support Group
Megan Fox-Kelly at 508-793-3899 or mfox@holycross.edu. All students are welcome in the Chaplain's office.

MA College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences Univ.

Kyla Pacheco, Group Advisor
508-373-5778 or la.pacheco@MCPHS.edu

Quinsigamond Community College

Gaelan Benway, 508-854-4339 or Erin Connor, 508-854-2719 or Email: gbenway@qcc.mass.edu, or econnor@qcc.mass.edu

UMass Medical School

QMass Student Group
QMass@umassmed.edu
LGBTQA Committee, Co-Chair Joyce Rosenfeld, MD
John Trobaugh, John.Trobaugh@umassmed.edu

Worcester Polytechnic Institute

Quon Tay
508-831-4885 or QuonTay@wpi.edu

Worcester State University

Office of Diversity, Taya Gibeau
508-929-8117 or diversity@worchester.edu