

GENDER AND SEXUAL IDENTITY
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RESOURCES

LOCAL

- **LWV - HHI/Bluffton**

www.lwv.org/local-leagues/lwv-hilton-head-islandbluffton-area

- **First City Pride Center**

1515 Bull Street, Savannah GA 31401

An inclusive advocacy, social and service organization actively working to meet the needs for safety, empowerment, education and wellbeing of Greater Savannah's LGBTQ community

www.firstcitypridecenter.org

- **Starland Family Practice** (Specializing in Gender Affirming Primary Care)

9100 White Bluff Rd., Savannah, GA

Offering primary care for Adolescents (Ages 16+) and Adults in the greater Savannah area, with a focus on the LGBTQ community.

www.starlandfp.com

STATE

- **LWVS League of Women Voters South Carolina**

<https://my.lwv.org/south-carolina-state>

• **SC United for Justice & Equality** - envisions a South Carolina where everyone can thrive, with a focus on the lived and legal equality of LGBTQ people.

<https://www.southcarolinaunited.org>

- **TAA** (Transgender Awareness Alliance)

TAA exists to supply emergency assistance to the transgender community of SC and partners with other organizations to create an affirming network of legal, health and consumer services.

www.taagg.org

- **Trans in the South:** A Directory of Trans-Affirming Health & Legal Services Providers <https://southernequality.org/resources/transinthesouth/>

- **We Are Family**, Charleston SC

1801 Reynolds Ave, North Charleston, SC

Providing affirming spaces for LGBTQI+ youth in the Lowcountry

www.wearefamilycharlest.org

- **WREN** Women's Rights Empowerment Network

1201 Min Street, Columbia, SC

Build a movement to advance the health, economic wellbeing, and rights of SC women, girls, gender-expansive people and their families. www.scwren.org

NATIONAL

- **LWVUS** League of Women Voters of U.S.

<https://www.lwv.org/about-us>

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- **Alliance for Full Acceptance**

Achieving, nurturing and defending equality and acceptance for all
843-883-0343

www.affa-sc.org

- **American Academy of Pediatrics**

www.aap.org

- **Brennan Center for Justice**

“How Voter ID Laws Threaten Transgender Voters”

www.brennancenter.org/our-work/analysis-opinion/how-voter-id-laws-threaten-transgender-voters

- **CenterLink**: The Community of LGBT Centers

Strengthens and supports LGBTQ Community Centers

www.lgbtcenters.org

- **GLAAD** (Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation)

www.glaad.org/reference//terms

- **Hope For The Day**-

Proactive suicide prevention and mental health education

www.hftd.org

Other Resource Materials

[Schools In Transition: A Guide for Supporting Transgender Students in K-12 Schools](#)

Produced by the Human Rights Campaign Foundation

www.hrc.org/resources/schools-in-transition-a-guide-for-supporting-transgender-students-in-k-12-s

[Welcoming Schools](#)

Produced by the Human Rights Campaign Foundation

<https://welcomingschools.org>

[The Trevor Project](#)

Providing information and support to LGBTQ young people 24/7, all year long

<https://www.thetrevorproject.org>

The Gender Creative Child: Pathways for Nurturing and Supporting Children Who Live Outside Gender Boxes by Diane Enrensaft . Book

Supporting and Caring for Transgender Children

Produced by the American College of Osteopathic Pediatrics and The American Academy of Pediatrics <https://www.hrc.org/resources/supporting-caring-for-transgender-children>

Current Trans Terminology

Language changes over time. While certain terms may have been commonly used years ago, they are now outdated and should be replaced with the current terminology.

Here are some of the terms we will go over:

OUTDATED TERM

A Transgender / Transgendered
Female-to-Male (FTM)
Male-to-Female (MTF)
Biologically Female
Biologically Male
Gender Identity Disorder (GID)
Preferred Pronouns
Sex Reassignment Surgery (SRS)

CURRENT TERM

Transgender
Trans Man
Trans Woman
Assigned Female at Birth (AFAB)
Assigned Male at Birth (AMAB)
Gender Dysphoria
Personal Pronouns
Gender Confirming Surgery (GCS)

#TransAwarenessWeek2020

For more information on terminology, www.glaad.org/reference/terms