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Current guide contains the following:

- Crisis hotlines
- Mental health therapists
- Primary care physicians
- Endocrinologists
- National legal resources
- Florida-specific information on updating legal documents

Additional resources provided will include:

- Gynecologists
- HIV/STD Testing
- Surgery resources
- Support centers & social groups
- Hair & Makeup services
- Vocal coaching
- Electrolysis
- Veteran services
- Youth services

PREFACE

TransAction Florida was formed in 2014 by Equality Florida, the state's largest LGBT advocacy organization for the purpose of developing a statewide transgender inclusion initiative. This initiative was launched with three broad objectives: To educate Florida's major employers on effective transgender inclusion protocol, to advocate for the trans community in a broader and more structured way, and to be an integral part of all public policy that involved transgender rights. To achieve these, and even broader goals across the Sunshine State, we formed TransAction Florida, which consists of transgender community leaders from all parts of our state.

As we see consistent attacks on our community, the need for quality health care and competent service providers for the transgender community is rapidly increasing. The Transgender Resource Guide has been developed to provide a directory of quality trans-friendly service providers from across the state of Florida. Our goal is that this will be a living resource guide which will be updated regularly and that we will add necessary resources as the needs of our community continue to grow.

Nikole Parker

Equality Florida, Director of Transgender Equality

Dear Reader,

With the staggering rates of suicide, violence, and discrimination that the transgender community encounters, please know that YOU DON'T HAVE TO DO THIS ALONE.

You are an amazing, talented, and important member of the community and the world, even if people don't tell you that often enough.

It is my hope that this guide offers you supportive resources to help you express who you are and thrive being the person you want to be.

No one said it would be easy, but if anyone can do it, you can. I wish you all the happiness, love, light and success on your journey and throughout your lifetime.

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 Master of Arts in Mental Health Counseling, 2016
 Rollins College

NATIONAL CRISIS HOTLINES

If you or anyone you know ever needs them.

National Transgender Lifeline Crisis Line (Staffed by Transgender Individuals)
 1-877-565-8860

http://www.translifeline.org/

Organization in need of volunteers; locale is not a problem.

• Crisis Help: The Trevor Project

24 Hour Telephone: 866-488-7386

TrevorText, 24 Hour confidential text messaging with Trevor counselor: Text

START to 678-678

http://www.thetrevorproject.org/

Veterans Crisis Line (also available for non-veterans)

24 Hour Telephone: 1-800-273-8255; press 1

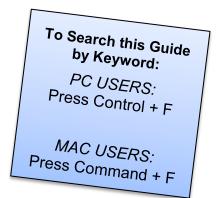
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Support.

But Where Can I Find...

Support/Social Groups?

Vocal Coaching, Electrolysis, or Cosmetic

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SOUTH FLORIDA RESOURCES

Ft. Lauderdale, Wilton Manors, Hollywood & Miami

Mental Health Therapists

• Sunserve Social Services, Inc.

Main office: 2312 Wilton Drive Wilton Manors, FL 33305

Youth & Senior services: 1480 SW 9th Ave Fort Lauderdale, FL 33315

954-764-5150

Email: info@sunserve.org

http://www.sunserve.org/counseling

Elena Naranjo

1881 NE 26th Street #70 Wilton Manors, FL 33305

786-356-9931

Takes Aetna, Humana/PsychCare, Coventry & Private Pay. Specializes in transgender youth. Habla espanol.

• Dr. Katharine Campbell, PhD, LCSW INWARD BOUND LISTED AGAIN

Katharine Campbell Counseling & Consulting, LLC Inward Bound

1881 NE 26th Street Suite 70

Wilton Manors FL 33305

954-790-7926

www.KatharineCampbell.com

https://inwardboundjourneys.com/ Email: info@katharinecampbell.com

• Dr. Carol Clark

305-891-1827

www.DrCarolClark.com

Has transgender work experience. Provides HRT letters. Offers counseling via phone or Skype appointments. Hosts monthly support group in Wilton Manors.

Marilyn Volker, Ed.D., Sexologist

305-443-8850

Email: besafemv@gmail.com

Jewish Community Services of South Florida

735 NE 125th Street, N Miami, FL 33161

(305) 576.6550

Toll-Free: 1-800-925-0554 https://jcsfl.org/services/lgbtqia/ www.jcsfl.org/programs/lgbt

Survivors Pathway

786-275-4364

Email: info@survivorspathway.org

Counseling for victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, sexual abuse, and/or crime.

Heather M. Cherry LCSW. CST

Licensed Clinical Social Worker, Certified Sex Therapist Social Worker- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder Clinical Team

Mental Health Service, Miami VA Medical Center

1201 NW 16th St, Miami 33125-1393

Phone: 305-575-7000 x3474, Fax: 305-575-3303, Heather.Cherry@va.gov

Eva Smidova, M.A. (PhDr.), Registered Family Therapy Intern 2144

Anchor Counseling Naples, Psychotherapy SW Florida, Transgender Care Therapist Nova Southeastern University FL

Cell: (+1) 239 247 4231

Email: dr.eva.smid@gmail.com www.psychotherapyswflorida.com

• Jamie Joseph, Ph.D. Weston Cognitive Behavior Therapy & Eval

2893 Executive Park Drive, Suite 107

Weston, FL 33331

ijoseph97@gmail.com

11555 Heron Bay Blvd., Suite 200 Coral Springs, FL 33076

jamiemjoseph@hushmail.com

954-684-6336

http://www.jamiemjosephphd.com

Dr. Joseph has received extensive training in working with and counseling transgender and gender non-conforming individuals and their families, friends and loved ones.

Bailey House of Wellness, LLC

1881 NE 26th Street, Suite 202A

Wilton Manor, FL 33305

bhowyou@gmail.com

954-903-7611

http://www.bhowyou.com

Leshai Bailey, LMHC, CST. Board Certified Sex Therapist/Transgender Care Therapist, Licensed Mental Health Counselor. Serving South Florida & Northeast Florida. Skype/Distance Counseling available.

Denise Hueso, LCSW

3081 Salzedo Street, Suite 202

Coral Gables, FL 33134

dhueso.lcsw@southmiamipsychologygroup.com

305-662-2686

http://www.southmiamipsychologygroup.com

Accepts Blue Cross Blue Shield, Aetna, Cigna and Self-Pay. Hosts weekly support group on Saturdays. Se habla Español.

Nikki Saltzburg, Ph.D.

4400 N Federal Hwy, Suite 1

Boca Raton, FL 33431

Conducts appointments online

drnikkisaltzburg@gmail.com

305-725-3270

http://www.drnikkisaltzburg.com/

Sandy Piacente LMHC

Helping Hand Counseling Center 2312 Wilton Dr Ste 16 Wilton Manors, FL 33305

954-882-1066

Email: sandypiacente@gmail.com

www.helpinghandcounselingcenter.com

Kim Ehly, LCSW

2312 Wilton Drive, FL 33309 kimehlylcsw@gmail.com

(954) 289-6635

http://www.kimehly.com/

Transgender competent psychotherapist. Providing support for clients who identify anywhere on gender spectrum. Experienced w/ WPATH referral letters for HRT &/or gender confirming surgeries.

Dr. Renee McFarland

Time Out Counseling 810 Anchor Rode Drive Naples FL 34103 10501 FGCU Blvd South McFarland Fort Myers, FL 33965 rmcfarla@fgcu.edu

239-590-7502

https://rmcfarla.wixsite.com/website

Email: timoutcounseling070@gmail.com https://www.timeoutcounseling.org/

I work with children, teens adults with Gender Dysphoria.

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Native fluency in English and Spanish. She is passionate about working with a diverse group of people including those from multicultural backgrounds, immigrants/expats and clients with LGBTQ identities.

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954-657-3151

felicialevinelcsw@aol.com/ https://felicialevinelcsw.com/

Board-certified transgender care therapist

Ann Mcneil LCSW

8000 N. Federal Hwy, Suite 218, Boca Raton, Florida 33487 1 West Camino Real Suite 202 Boca Raton FL 33432 561.314.9879

Email: <u>ann@bocatruamarecovery.com</u> https://bocatraumarecovery.com/

She accepts AETNA, BCBS, CIGNA, HUMANA, MEDICARE, UHC/OPTUM and OSCAR Insurance.

Ann@BocaCouplesTherapy.com

Angelo Pezzote

1438 Washington Ave, Miami Beach , FL 33139 917-673-5003 empowerment@doctorangelo.com https://www.doctorangelo.com/index.html

Conducts video chat appointments.

• Terilee Wunderman PhD

Wunderman & Wunderman, P.A. 8600 SW 92 Street, Suite 203, Miami, Florida 33156; (786) 789-2127 x5; Confidential Fax: (305) 385-7164 tw@DrWunderman.com https://drwunderman.wordpress.com/

Gloria M. Montes De Oca PhD

1390 South Dixie Highway, Suite 1306, Coral Gables, FL 33146 305-302-1793

John Chaffin LMHC

2312 Wilton Drive, Suite 24, Wilton Manors, FL 33305 (954) 380-8823 john.chaffin.mhc@gmail.com http://www.johnchaffintherapy.com/

Anna Anne Selby LCSW

1650 NE 26th St. #206, Wilton Manors, FL 33305 954-630-0442 zoefaith@bellsouth.net

Elisa Diaz PsyD

University of Miami 7270 SW 14th St Miami, Florida 33144 (305) 979-4297 elisadiaz07@gmail.com

Primary Care Providers

• Care Resource Medical Clinic

Broward Primary Care Center 871 W. Oakland Park Blvd., Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311 954-567-7141, http://www.careresource.org 305-673-3555

Dr. Jennifer Bartczak

The Rowan Tree Medical 2500 NE 15th Ave Wilton Manors, FL 33305 3197 NE 18th Terrace Oakland Park FL 33306 954-533-5382 http://www.rowantreemedical.com

AIDS Healthcare Foundation

AHF Wellness Center - Broward

750 SE 3rd Ave 1st Floor, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316 (954) 767-0273

AHF Wellness Center - Miami

2400 Biscayne Blvd, Miami, FL 33137 (305) 764-3773

AHF- South Beach

4308 Alton Rd, Miami Beach, FL 33140 (305) 538-1400

AHF- Palm Beach

1411 N Flagler Dr. Ste 9300, West Palm Beach, FL 33401 (561) 284-8182

• Dr. Robert Heglar

AHF Clinic 1164 E. Oakland Park Blvd. 3rd Floor Oakland Park, FL 33334 954-561-6900

http://doctor.webmd.com/doctor/robert-heglar-md-def5b724-7031-4878-93cf-21c7a47455d8-overview

Bove Dental/ Dr. Alfred G. Bove'

2500 East Oakland Park Blvd. Fort Lauderdale, FL 33306 Info@BoveDentistry.com 9545640181

http://BoveDentistry.com

General and cosmetic dental services in a comfortable yet professional setting.

The Maercks Institute

Rian Maercks – **Plastic Surgeon** 4500 Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 104, Miami, Fl 33137; 3054823308: 305-414-0934 rmaercks@gmail.com https://www.themaercksinstitute.com/

University of Miami Plastic Surgery

Christopher Salgado Constructive Surgery Associates 1330 Coral Way Suite 306 Miami FL 33145 US 786-627-4601 https://constructivesurgery.org/ constructivesurgery@hotmail.com 1120 NW 14th Street, 4th Floor, Miami, FL 33136; 305-243-4500; christophersalgado@med.miami.edu

Dr. Maureen Whelihan, MD FACOG (OB/GYN) 6801 Lake Worth Rd #100W, Greenacres, FL 33467

(561) 965-9559

http://www.mygynpractice.com/

Seacoast Medical Associates

1801 S.E. Hillmoor Dr. Ste. A102 Port Saint Lucie, Florida 34952 **United States** (772) 249-2494

https://www.seacoastmedicalassociates.org/

Thrive Family Practice

19455 Shumard Oak Dr, Ste 105 Land O' Lakes, FL 34638 info@thrivefamilypractice.com (813) 345-8320 http://www.thrivefamilypractice.com

Endocrinologists

Sharon A. Thrush

2669 Forest Hill Boulevard, Suite 100 West Palm Beach, FL. 33406 (561) 968-7600

• Care Resource Medical Clinic

Broward Primary Care Center 871 W. Oakland Park Blvd. Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311 954-567-7141 http://www.careresource.org

777 17th Street, Suite 400, Miami Beach, FL 305-673-3555

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Dr. Robert Heglar, Primary Care Physician

AHF Clinic 1164 E. Oakland Park Blvd. 3rd Floor Oakland Park, FL 33334 954-561-6900

Sarah Hart-Unger, MD, Pediatric Endocrinologist

1150 N 35th Ave Ste 520 Hollywood, FL 3302 1131 N 35th Avenue Suite 200 Hollywood FL 33021 (954) 265-6984 https://www.jdch.com/physicians/h/hart-unger-sarah-r

Accepts Insurance. Willing to provide HRT to Minors.

Dr. Ralph W Charlton, MD, Pediatric Endocrinologist

1150 N 35th Avenue, Suite 520 Hollywood, FL. 33021 954-265-6984 Willing to provide HRT to minors.

Dr. Lorena Lewy-Alterbaum, MD, Adult Endocrinologist

Endocrine Partners 9720 Stirling Rd Ste 1111 Hollywood, FL 33024 954-967-0500

Dr. Carlos M. Barrera, MD

7400 North Kendall Drive, Suite 617 Miami. FL 33156 7190 SW 87th Ave Suite 306 Miami FL 33173 305-670-0576

Dr. Alejandro Diaz - Pediatric Endocrinology

3100 SW 62nd Ave, Suite 102, Miami, FL 33155 305-662-8368

https://www.nicklauschildrens.org/find-a-physician/physician-details/en/1821185869/alejandro-diazendocrinology

We love this doctor and his staff, all well skilled in gender identity and pediatric transgender health

Education/Community Support

• Sunserve Social Services, Inc.

2312 Wilton Manors Drive, 2nd Floor Wilton Manors, FL 954-764-5150

www.sunserve.org/transgender Email: info@sunserve.org

1480 SW 9th Avenue

Ft. Lauderdale

www.sunserveyouth.com

Nonprofit social service agency providing a wide range of services to all ages and gender variations. Serving the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Questioning (LGBTQ) community in South Florida.

YES Institute

5275 Sunset Drive Miami, FL 33143 305-663-7195 www.yesinstitute.org

• Dr. Carol Clark, Support Group

Every 3rd 2nd Friday of the month from 7-8:30pm, \$3 donation is welcome Pride Center at Equity Park, 2040 N. Dixie Hwy Wilton Manors, FL 33305 954-463-9005

Resources for Suicide Prevention

www.onlinemftprograms.com/suicide-prevention

Emergency Services

Crisis Hotline: LGBT Suicide Awareness Initiative

24/7 Phone: 305-646-3600

Suicide prevention hotline through the Switchboard of Miami.

Housing/Shelter: Lotus House

1514 NW Second Avenue; Suite #1

Miami, FL; 305-438-0556 www.lotushouse.org

Youth Services

Pridelines Youth Services

6360 NE 4th Ct, Miami, FL 33138 305-571-9601; www.pridelines.org

Alliance for GLBTQ Youth

1175 NE 125th Street, Suite 103 North Miami, FL 33161

866-634-8087; www.GLBTQalliance.org

Scholarships

Aqua Foundation for Women

4500 Biscayne Blvd, Suite 340 Miami FL

305-576-2782; www.aguafoundation.org

Trans Action FL

727-490-8235; www.transactionfl.org

Senior Services

Placement Counselors Corps

(954)965-2925

Toll-free:1-855-455-PLUS(7587) https://placementcounselors.com/

Free online services for seniors and their caregivers

Diverse Services

• Survivors Pathway Organization

786-275-4364; Fax: 786-484-0401 Email: <u>info@survivorspathway.org</u>

Counseling, Advocacy for Victims of Domestic Violence, Victims of Human Trafficking, Victims of Sexual Abuse, Victims of crime; Legal program; TransLatina Project

Unity Coalition

786-271-6982; www.unitycoalition.org

First organization for the Latino, Hispanic, LGBTQ community of South Florida, education, fundraising, awareness, fairness, leadership

Online Directories of Local Resources

South Florida's LBT Health Directory

http://www.lbthealth.org/directory-of-providers/

Directory of mental health and medical providers with experience serving the LGBT community.

Gender Expression Hair & Makeup

• Chere Friedman

3098 Fuller St. Coconut Grove, FL 305-607-3176

Ayanna Lewars, Weaves Etc. (house calls available)

17325 NW 27th Ave #109 Miami Gardens 786-916-2514

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Photos by LJ (Woolston)

786-223-6616 www.facebook.com/PhotosByLJ

Jorge Luis

jorgeluisphotography5@gmail.com

www.facebook.com/JorgeLuisPhotography

Medical HIV/STD Testing

Care Resource

1680 Michigan Avenue, Suite 912 Miami Beach, FL: 305-534-0503

Dade: 305-576-1234 Broward: 954-567-7141

www.careresource.org/sobe-thrifty

Free breast exam, HIV/STD testing. Serving residents of Broward & Miami-Dade Counties. Comprehensive health and support services, with focus on the LGBTQ Community.

Health District Center

Health Department 1350 NW 14th Street Miami FL 33125 305-643-7420 www.testmiami.org

• UHealth Clinic, at Walgreens

12295 Biscayne Blvd North Miami, FL More locations available https://umiamihealth.org/en/promotions/std-prep

Plastic, Aesthetic & Reconstructive Surgery

• University of Miami

1321 NW 14th St, Suite 402 Miami FL 305-243-4500 www.surgery.med.miami.edu/plastic-and-reconstructive/

Dr. Charles Garramone, M.D.

The Garramone Center 4725 Volunteer Rd., Suite 202 Davie, FL 33330 954-752-7842

www.drgarramone.com

Email: frontdesk@drgarramone.com

Dr. Russell Sassani

Michael J. Schneider, Clinic Manager Take Shape Plastic Surgery P.A. Take Shape Surgery Center L.L.C. 954-324-2329 Fax: 954-585-3800(x224)

manager@takeshape.info www.takeshape.info

Restore Medical Center, Dr. John Whitehead

1111 Kane Concourse, Suite 311 Bay Harbor Island, FL 33154 305-865-2000 http://restoremedcenter.com/

Before his retirement, Dr. Reed trained Drs. Whitehead and Quintero in the art of SRS. Drs. Whitehead and Quintero bring over 30 years of surgical experience to serve the transgender community.

Recommended Out-of-State Gender Confirmation Surgery Providers

• Dr. Toby R. Meltzer M.D.

480-657-7006

Toll Free: 866-876-6329 (TRM-MDAZ)

www.tmeltzer.com

Email: https://themeltzerclinic.com/

Dr. Marci Bowers, M.D.

719-846-6300

Toll-free: 1-877-439-2244 www.marcibowers.com

Email: mail@marcibowers.com

Crane Center for Transgender Surgery

415-625-3230 (California) 512-446-9486 (Austin, TX)

www.cranects.com

• Dr. Toby G. Mayer, M.D.

Beverly Hills Institute of Aesthetic & Reconstructive Surgery 310-881-8703

www.bevhills.com

Email: info@bevhills.com

• Dr. Maureen Whelihan, MD FACOG

6801 Lake Worth Rd #100W, Greenacres, FL 33467

(561) 965-9559

http://www.mygynpractice.com/

Legal

Lambda Legal

Miami, FL www.lambdalegal.org

866-542-8336

Hope, Inc. Help Lines

11501 NW 2nd Avenue

Miami FL

Dade: (305) 651-HOPE Broward: (954)567-0545

www.hopefhc.com

Assist with housing discrimination and protecting civil rights.

Survivors Pathway

786-275-4364

786-484-0401

info@survivorspathway.org

Advocacy for Victims of Domestic Violence, Victims of Human Trafficking, Victims of Sexual Abuse, Victims of crime; Legal program.

Vida Legal Assistance, Inc.

305-247-1057

www.vidalaw.org, Email: info@vidalaw.org Voices for Immigrant Defense and Advocacy

Insurance

Steven Shulman

Insurance/Investments/Retirement

Licensed insurance professional in FI for 24 years, specializing in Life, Health, Long term care, dental, and disability insurance

Please call @ 305-710-9499, email: steven@myunclegloria.com; www.transgenderinsuranceplans.com

Support Centers and Social Groups

Gender Equality Trust Network Foundation

3049 McGregor Blvd

Ft. Mevers. FL

info@Get-it.network, 239-671-3680, http://Get-it.Network

In Addition to Monthly Support Groups for Transgender people of all ages and allies, The Get Network Foundation was established in 2015 to empower, inspire, and facilitate trust and equality for all.

Vocal Coaching

Evelyn Grossman, M.S. CCC-SLP ~ The Speech Studio

Hollywood, FL 33021

evianlerner@aol.com; 954-270-7030; http://www.wellspokenpro.com

I help Transgender Women and Men Match Their Voice and Speaking Style to Their True Selves. Certified-Licensed Speech Pathologist and Voice-Speech Coach. In Person or Skype all over Florida.

Adam Lloyd

University of Miami 1121 NW 14th Street Miami, FL 33136 **United States** Adam.lloyd@med.miami.edu

https://umiamihealth.org/en/treatments-and-services/lgbtg-services

CENTRAL FLORIDA RESOURCES

Tampa Bay, St. Petersburg, Orlando, Melbourne

Mental Health Therapists

• Saralee Fackelman, LMHC, CAP

3530 1st Avenue N., Suite 117

St. Petersburg, FL 33713

813-716-4264, Email: sara@atranslifematters.com; www.atranslifematters.com

408 E. Cayuga Street, Tampa, FL 33603; 813-716-4264

Dr. Amanda Veldorale-Griffin, LMFT

4090 Deltona Blvd

Spring Hill, FI 34606, (352) 232-5525

Thefamilyalliance.webs.com; Email: Thefamilyalliance@gmail.com

Sliding scale available for those with financial need. Offers Skype sessions. Hoping to start a support group. Specializes in working with transgender individuals and their families.

Erin Robinson, Psy.D., L.P.

Counseling and Wellness Center, New College of Florida 5800 Bay Shore Road

Sarasota, FL 34243, 941-685-2538

http://www.erinrobinsonpsyd.com/home.html

• Family C.O.P.E.

7345 International Place, #109

Sarasota, FI 34240, (941) 702-9978; info@familycope.com

Tristan W. Byrnes, LMHC

New Transition Therapy

447 3rd Ave N StFe 210

St. Petersburg, FL 33701, 813-919-6185, twbyrnes@gmail.com

https://www.tgtherapistfl.com/

Metro Wellness Community Center

3251 3rd Ave N

St. Pete, FL 33713, 727-321-3854

https://www.metrotampabay.org/

Sliding Scale, doesn't take insurance. Provides HRT, Surgery letters, Skype appointments/sessions.

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Orlando, FL, 32803, 407-963-5664

david@drdavidbakerhargrove.com; http://www.drdavidbakerhargrove.com/

Accepts BCBS, Cigna, Medicaid and Medicare. Offers discount payment options to those paying out-of-pocket (call/email to inquire). Provides HRT & Surgery letters. Provides Skype therapy sessions.

• Dr. Mary G. Davenport, Ph.D.

1608 Oak Street, Sarasota 34236

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Joe Salg, LMHC

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3222 Corrine Drive, Suite A, Orlando, FL 32803

407-716-7207; jsalglmhc@gmail.com; www.corrinedrivecounselingcenter.com

Accepts: BCBS, Cigna, United and private pay. Provides HRT and Surgery letters.

Gay-identified; specializes in LGBT clients & offering transgender support group with Dominique Barritt

Dominique Barritt, MA, LMHC, NCC, CST

3222 Corrine Dr., Suite A, Orlando, FL, 32803, 407-701-4230

Email: dominique@dominiquebarritt.com; http://www.dominiquebarritt.com

Certified EMDR & Sex Therapist. Specializes in trauma and transgender concerns. Offers sliding scale payment options, HRT, surgery letters, web-based therapy sessions and transgender support group with Joe Salg. Support Group Facilitators: Joseph Salg, MA, LMHC, NCC & Dominique Barritt, MA, LMHC, NCC, CST. Support/Therapy group meets monthly (3rd Wednesdays), co-facilitated by both Dominique Barritt & Joe Salg (licensed therapists & members of several therapy organizations & specialists in transgender/gender-variant issues). Meetings have guest speakers and formatted topics. Location: Corrine Drive Counseling Center, Suite L; (www.corrinedrivecounselingcenter.com)

Contact corrinedrivecounselingcenter@gmail.com to reserve/inquire about curriculum/pricing

Kim Murphy, MS, LMHC

Licensed Mental Health Counselor

1850 Lee Road, Suite 103-A, Winter Park, FL 32789, 321-352-2258

therapistkimmurphy@gmail.com; www.therapistkimmurphy.com

In addition to being the onsite psychotherapist at Bliss Healthcare Services, I maintain two private practice locations for my clients; where I specialize in gender and autism.

• Leshai T. Bailey-Davis, M.S., CST

Board Certified Sex Therapist - Transgender Care Therapist - Registered Mental Health Counseling Intern

Kink Aware Therapist - Certified Clinical Trauma Professional

Bailey House of Wellness, LLC

3190 Post Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32205; 1950 Lee Road, Suite 114, Winter Park, Florida 32789 (904)738-3506 (office)-Jacksonville Location; (321)394-8675 (office)-Orlando (Winter Park) Location www.bhowyou.com; bhowyou@gmail.com

Kristen R. Weick, MA

Registered Mental Health Counselor Intern

My Path Unfolding LLC

923 Beard Ave, Winter Park, FL 32789

Phone: 321-209-4311

E-mail: mypathunfolding@gmail.com; Website: http://www.mypathunfolding.com

Cary Coll, LCSW

Behavioral Health Program Manager

METRO, 3251 3rd Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713, 727-321-3854

1315 E. 7th Ave, Suite 201, Tampa, FL 33605, 813-232-3808, www.metrotampabay.org Sliding Scale, Private Insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, Provides HRT and Surgery Letters. Individual, Family and Group Counseling Available. Does Skype appointments and sessions. Includes free services for transgender youth and transgender support groups. LGBT Center.

Tristan W. Byrnes, LMHC

METRO, 3251 3rd Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713, 727-321-3854, www.metrotampabay.org Sliding Scale, Private Insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, Provides HRT and Surgery Letters. Individual, Family and Group Counseling Available. Does Skype appointments and sessions. Includes free services for transgender youth and transgender support groups. LGBT Center.

• Katie Schubert, PhD, MA, CST, NCC, RMHI

Certified Sex Therapist, Nationally Certified Counselor, Registered Mental Health Intern 4244 Central Ave, St. Petersburg, FL 33711, 727-300-6688, <a href="mailto:driver-decomposition-

Sliding scale available. Offers virtual sessions.

Heather D. Eslien, MA, LMHC

330 South Pineapple Avenue, Suite 101, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-840-0878, heather.d.eslien@gmail.com

https://therapists.psychologytoday.com/160333

Specializes in supporting trans youth/adults and their family members. Can provide HRT and surgery letters. Facilitates two monthly support groups:

Heather Stambaugh, LMHC CAP NCC

2033 E. Edgewood Drive, Suite 4

Lakeland, FL 33803, 863-271-7972, gglscounseling@gmail.com; http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com http://www.lakelandfltherapy.com

Jacqueline Hubbard, M.D.

147 2nd Ave South, Suite 303, St Petersburg, FL 33701

727-877-8225, http://HubbardMD.com

Board Certified Child, Adolescent, and Adult Psychiatrist

John Nguyen, MSCP, LMHC

2433 Lee Road, Winter Park, FL 32789, (321) 323-7496

https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/therapists/john-nguyen-winter-park-fl/276558

Florida licensed mental health counselor providing counseling services to the LGBT community in a safe, collaborative, and respectful environment. Clients includes young children to older adults.

Cynthia Fisher, MSW (Emergence Counseling Services)

444 Seabreeze Boulevard, Suite 435, Daytona Beach, FL 32118

386-334-9130, cynthiaf@emergencecounselingservices.com

Please see my profile at www.psychologytoday.com. I am a member of WPATH. I offer support groups for trans teens and parents as well as individual, couples, and family counseling for LGBTQ clients.

Aimee Beardslee, LMHC, MS, EdS

LGBTQ+ Affirmative Therapist & Owner of Rainbow Counseling

4554 Central Avenue, Suites E & F, St. Petersburg, FL 33711

727-314-1864, aimee@rainbowcounselingtampabay.com

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Specializes in serving the LGBTQ+ community by providing individual, couples, and group therapy. Office based counseling and groups offered in St. Petersburg and online (video) or phone counseling available to clients living anywhere in Florida. Can provide HRT and surgery letters.

Not accepting new clients, as of 2/1/22

Pamela Albert, LMHC

Turtle Creek Business Center, 1205 Admiralty Blvd, Rockledge, FL 32955

321-339-9456, PamelaAlbertTherapy@gmail.com

Mental health counseling for transgender, non-binary, gender fluid, etc. Adults and teens.

Keri K. Griffin, LCSW, CAP

925 South Semoran Blvd., Suite 114, Winter Park, FL 32792, 407-646-5500, ext. 28349

Keri.Griffin@va.gov; http://www.orlando.va.gov/services/LGBT_Program.asp

Keri is the Orlando VA Medical Center LGBT Special Emphasis Program Manager and LGBT Veteran Care Coordinator.

• Dr. Stephany Mahaffey at Authentic Life Transitions, LLC

3001 Aloma Ave, Suite 204, Orlando, FL 32792, 407-965-3563 info@authenticlifetransitions.com; https://drstephanymahaffey.com/

Sliding scale & payment plans accepted. Individual/couples therapy, evaluation for medical transition, and a support group available. Therapy and evaluations available ONLINE to Florida residents.

Connected Coaching & Counseling

1600 W Eau Gallie Blvd, 201 L, Melbourne, FL 32904, 321-280-6508 contact@StephanieSteenTherapy.com, https://www.facebook.com/BalancedLifeTherapy/ Mental Health Services for LGBT teens and their families. Parent coaching available nationwide.

Winter Haven Hospital/Baycare

1201 1ST Street South, Polk Winter Haven, FL 33880, (863) 294-7062 ext. 205714 meena.mohan@baycare.org http://www.dignitymodel.com/find-a-provider I am currently a Licensed Clinical Social worker recent certified in providing Transgender care to teens and adults in our Outpatient Mental Health Facility. Please call to set up apt.

Sustainable Family Services

8487 9th Street N, St. Petersburg, FL 33702, 727-318-3224

<u>Ashley@SusFamFound.org</u>, http://www.sustainablefamilyservices.com/
We specialize in pediatric LGBTQ+ Mental health & support services, including transgender/questioning children under the age of 12; as well as transitioning/questioning parents with young children.

• Jamie Gunning at SoulCare Orlando, LLC

801 Magnolia Ave, Suite 318, Orlando, FL, 32805, (407) 917-8590 https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/therapists/jamie-gunning-orlando-fl/376376 LGBTQ-affirming mental health care. Specializing in gender therapy services including HRT/GRS letters and trans couples counseling.

• Gary Howell, Psy.D.

2109 E Palm Ave, Suite 201, Tampa, FL, 33605 813-419-7793, info@centerforpsychologicalgrowth.com, http://www.centerforpsychologicalgrowth.com/contact.html

• Metro Wellness & Community Center

3251 3RD Ave N., St. Petersburg, FL, 33713, 727-321-3854, http://www.metrotampabay.org/ Metro's Health Centers offer HIV testing & medical care, Hep C & STI testing & treatment, Primary Care, Behavioral Health specialists, Trans Health & Hormone Replacement Therapy and has an on-site lab, pharmacy and Youth support groups available.

• Metro Wellness & Community Center

2105 N Nebraska Ave, Tampa, FL 33602, 803-232-3808, http://www.metrotampabay.org/
Metro's Health Centers offer HIV testing & medical care, Hep C & STI testing & treatment, Primary Care, Behavioral Health specialists, Trans Health & Hormone Replacement Therapy and has an on-site lab, pharmacy and Youth support groups available.

Metro Wellness & Community Center

4747 US HWY 19, New Port Richey, FL, 34652, 727-494-7625, http://www.metrotampabay.org/

Metro's Health Centers offer HIV testing & medical care, Hep C & STI testing & treatment, Primary Care, Behavioral Health specialists, Trans Health & Hormone Replacement Therapy and has an on-site lab, pharmacy and Youth support groups available.

• Metro Wellness & Community Center

2349 Sunset Point Road, Clearwater, FL, 33765, (727) 220-0550, http://www.metrotampabay.org/ Metro's Health Centers offer HIV testing & medical care, Hep C & STI testing & treatment, Primary Care, Behavioral Health specialists, Trans Health & Hormone Replacement Therapy and has an on-site lab, pharmacy and Youth support groups available.

Angela Bulla, LCSW

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Gender therapist, LGBTQIA inclusive & affirming counseling.
Adults/Older Adults/Couples/Adolescents.

My Path Unfolding Kristen R. Weick, MA, LMHC, NCC

1384 Lake Baldwin Ln, Unit B Orlando, FL 32814 mypathunfolding@gmail.com, 321-209-4311, http://www.mypathunfolding.com/

Works with the entire LGBTQI+ spectrum, specifically transgender & intersex clients age 13+. Counseling for individuals, relationships, families, & partners. Video/online counseling for FL residents.

Catherine Rutter, Registered Mental Health Counselor Intern

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Peaceful Counseling LLC

90 Fox Ridge Ct Suite B Debary, FL 32713

Email: ppeace@peacefulcounselingllc.com

http://www.peacefulcounselingllc.com, 386-479-9062

Maried Gutierrez LMHC

100 E Sybelia Ave #380, Maitland, FL 32751 counselormaried@gmail.com, 407-360-7601 https://counselormaried.wixsite.com/website

The Meaningful Life Center

2700 Westhall Lane Suite 135
Maitland, FL 32751
407-534-0186, Admin@themeaningfullifecenter.com
www.themeaningfullifecenter.com

Integrated Counseling Solutions

120 E. Robinson St.
Orlando, Florida 32801
https://www.integratedcounselingsolutions.com/

Building Resiliency, LLC

Yiset Perez LCSW 3001 Aloma Ave Orlando, FL 32792 <u>yiset@buildingresiliencyllc.com</u>, 407-986-8938 https://www.buildingresiliencellc.com/

Jessica Singh MSW

Transcendence Counseling Center 333 17th Street, Suite E Vero Beach, FL 32960 407-890-0262 https://transcendencecounselingfl.com/ Not accepting new clients, as of 2/1/22

• Life Enhancement Counseling Services

446 N. Dillard St., Suite 3 Winter Garden, FL 34787 407-443-8862 http://lifeenhancementcs.com/

Dr. Joshua Stanley Counseling & Consulting

3222 Corrine Drive Suite A Orlando, FL 32803 www.joshuastanley.org

• Ginger Ibis Counseling Center

1401 Town Plaza Ct Ste 2020 Winter Springs, FL 32708 321-263-8763, teresa@gingeribiscounseling.com www.gingeribiscounseling.com

Alan Zupka RMHCI

3222 Corrine Dr Orlando, FL 32803 407-986-2888, <u>alan@azupkacounseling.com</u> <u>Www.AZupkaCounseling.com</u>

Lake Nona Behavioral Health Services

Natasha D'Arcangelo 10437 Moss Park Road Suite B Orlando, FL 32832 1-407-808-5773, admin@Inbehavioralhealth.com https://www.Inbehavioralhealth.com/

A Place for Growth

Brittany Sted LMHC 734 Irma Ave, Orlando, FL 32803 407-701-8006, <u>stedbrittany@gmail.com</u> www.brittanysted.com

Storyology LLC

Adam Baldowski RMHCI 315 N. Wymore Road Winter Park, FL 32792 (321) 316-9843 https://storyology.care/

• Lucas Counseling

2700 Westhall Lane Maitland, FL 32751 referrals@lukascounseling.org/ https://lukascounseling.org/

Enso Behavioral Healthcare

Rachel Sobiech RCSWI 2005 Pan Am Circle Suite 120 Tampa, FL 33607 (844) 959-1561 https://www.angiespeller.com/

Life Journey Counseling and Consulting

Sherry S Mattos LMHC 11537 Lake Underhill Road Orlando, FL 32825 407-821-3098

SPEKTRUM Health

Ann Currier LMHC 5205 South Orange Ave Suite 110, Orlando, FL 32809 407-454-1363, YOU@SPEKTRUM.Health

Toll Free: 1-888-LGBTQA1 https://spektrum.health/

We provide Primary Care, HRT, TaSP, STD screening and treatment, PrEP and mental health/medication management with a full focus on the LGBTQIA+ community.

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Sara Fackelman LMHC

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Fedora Psychological group

Kristen Sturdevant 1913 Tyrone Blvd N Saint Petersburg, FL 33710 727-209-7792; <u>TheFedoraGroup@gmail.com</u> http://www.TheFedoraPsychologicalGroup.com/

Maureen Corbett PhD

840 Beach Drive NE, St. Petersburg, FL 33701

727 826-1887, <u>maureen@drmaureencorbett.com</u> www.drmaureencorbett.com

Renee Natvig LCSW

631 N. Hyer Avenue, Orlando, FL 32803 407.625.3134, renee@reneenatvig.com/https://www.reneenatvig.com/

Dr. David Tredinnick PsyD

734 Irma Ave., Orlando FL 32803 407-476-1345 https://dtpsych.com/ Not accepting new patients as of 2/3/22

Heather Eslien LMHC

1608 Oak St, Sarasota, FL 34236 (941)-840-0878 heather.d.eslien@gmail.com

Mary Davenport PhD

1608 Oak St, Sarasota, FL 34236; 941-366-3134 http://www.marygdavenportphd.com/

• Mx. Steph Ostrow (They/Them/Theirs) LMHC MH20830

www.mymedicineiswithin.com steph@mymedicineiswithin.com 727.342.0227 St. Petersburg, FL – Virtual Only

Atala Counseling

905 S Missouri Ave Lakeland, FL 33803 info@atalacounseling.com 863-450-3626

Primary Care Physicians / Medical Providers

• Dr. Brenda Berry

930 Lake Baldwin Lane, Orlando, FL 32814 407-898-1500; http://brendabarrymd.com

Dr. Pinero

1720 S. Orange Ave., Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32806 407-426-9693; http://www.pineromedical.com

Bliss Healthcare Services

2901 Curry Ford Rd, Suite #106 Orlando, FL 32806; 407-203-5984; Email: Rortiz@blisshs.com

Dr. Adrianne Burrowes

CFP Physicians Group 985 State Road 436, Casselberry, FL 32707 407-831-3765; http://www.cfpphysiciansgroup.com

Dr. Roy Finley

1100 62nd Ave S.

St. Petersburg, FL 33705; 727-866-3166

• Meredith Gray, MD

St. Petersburg Location:

3251 3rd Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713, 727-321-3854

Tampa Location:

1315 E. 7th Ave, Suite 201, Tampa, FL 33605, 813-232-3808

www.metrotampabay.org; Private Insurance, Medicaid, Medicare, & Self-Pay

Chris Rudisill

Director of LGBT Community Center Services

Metro Wellness and Community Centers

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Phone (727) 321-3854 ext. 238, Fax (727) 327-7670, www.metrotampabay.org

LGBT Welcome Center

2227 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg, FL 33713

www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com

Dr. Tim Carlson, M.D.

Palms Primary Care 1615 Pasadena Ave. South, Sute 430, St.Petersburg, FL 33707 727-397-0606; Danielle Earley, Practice Manager

Miracle of Love

1301 W. Colonial Drive Orlando, FL 32804 407-843-1760 www.miracleoflove.org

Crew Health

8601 Commodity Circle Orlando, FL 32819

Email: hello@crewhealth.org

407-605-2252

www.crewhealth.org

26 Health

801 North Magnolia Ave, Ste 402 Orlando, FL 32803 (321) 800-2922 www.26health.org

Harmony Healthcare

1400 Orlando Ave #205 Winter Park, FL 32789 407-777-2022 https://harmonyhealthcareorlando.org/

• Dr. Craig Levoy

470 2nd Street S Suite 101/201 St. Petersburg, FL 33701 727-893-6060 www.bayfrontstpete.com

• Florida Gender Care

7901 4th Street N Sutie 300 St. Petersburg, FL 33703 813-499-7749, <u>floridagendercare@gmail.com</u> https://www.floridagendercare.com/

Diversity Health Center of Tampa Bay

Dr. David Lyter 4302 N. Habana Avenue, Ste. 200, Tampa, FL 33607 813-518-0881 www.diversityhealthcenter.com

Love The Golden Rule

3000 1st Ave N St. Petersburg, FL info@lovethegoldenrule.com (727) 826-0700 Lovethegoldenrule.com

• AHF - Orlando

1701 N Mills Ave, Orlando, FL 32803 407-204-7000

AHF - Tampa

3135 FL-580 Safety Harbor, FL 727-725-9931

Endocrinologists

• Dr. Wende Kozlow

Intercoastal Medical Group 3333 Cattleman Road, Suite 104, Sarasota, FL 34232 941-379-1777

• Dr. Roberto Ortiz

Bliss Healthcare Services 2901 Curry Ford Rd, Suite #106, Orlando, FL 32806 407-203-5984; Email: Rortiz@blisshs.com

Dr. Brenda M. Barry, M.D.

930 Lake Baldwin Lane, Orlando, FL. 32814 (407) 898-1500 ext 10, WomenCare@cfl.rr.com http://brendabarrymd.com

Accepts most insurances. Does not take minors. Letter required. Physician that will supervise HRT, OB/GYN, (Estrogen for MTF).

Tim Blend, M.D.

The Blend Institute 8648 East SR 70, Bradenton, FL 34202 941-722-5600, cmonaghan@theblendinstitute.com

Craig Sweet, M.D.

Reproductive Medicine and Surgery World Plaza Lane, Ft. Myers, Fl 33907; 239-275-8118

• Cayce Jehaimi, M.D. (pediatric)

Pediatric Endocrinologist 15901 Bass Rd. #102, Ft. Myers, FL 239-215-2186

Tampa Bay Diabetes Thyroid and Endocrinology Clinic;

Ajay Varanasi 5775 5th Ave N, St Petersburg, FL 33710; 727-345-5222

Pediatric Endocrine Associates

Dr. Anne Lenz 3001 West Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. 3rd Floor, Medical Arts Building Tamps, FL 33607 United States Info@peatampa.com (813) 554 8420 www.peatampa.com

CENTRAL FLORIDA ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Tampa Bay, St. Petersburg, Orlando, Melbourne

Education/Community Support

Southwest Florida Trans* Support Group

Southwest Florida Trans* Support Group provides a safe, supportive and secure environment for Transgender, Transsexual and Gender Variant people and their loved ones. Our Groups are facilitated by Mary G. Davenport, PhD., and Heather D. Eslien, M.A., LMHC

Contact at (941)-840-0878 or heather.d.eslien@gmail.com or Dr. Davenport by phone at (941)-366-3134 for more info, or visit: https://swfltrans.org/

The 1st Saturday of each month: Trans* Feminine Support Group

The 2nd Saturday of each month: Trans* Masculine Support Group

The 3rd Saturday of each month: Loved Ones of Trans* and Gender Variant

LBGT Welcome Center

2227 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg, FL 33713 727-201-4925

http://lgbtwelcomecenter.com/

Email: ChrisR@metrotampabay.org

• The Center Orlando

946 North Mills Ave Orlando, FL 32803 407-228-8272

www.Thecenterorlando.org

• T-Network, Part of the Orlando LGBT Chamber of Commerce

321-800-3946

http://mbaorlando.org/

Email: gina.duncan@me.com

• Southern Comfort Conference (SCC)

http://SCCFLA.org/ Email: info@sccatl.org

ALSO Youth, Inc.

1470 Blvd of the Arts Sarasota, FL 34236

Contact Person: Donna E. Hanley, MA

Executive Director, ALSO Youth, Pronouns: she, her, hers

Office: 941-951-2576, www.alsoyouth.org www.facebook.com/alsoyouth

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www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com
Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

METRO LGBT Centers

http://www.metrotampabay.org/ Email: Info@metrotampabay.org St. Petersburg Location: 3251 3rd Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713 727-321-3854

Tampa Location: 2105 N Nebraska Ave Tampa, FL 33602 813-232-3808

Pasco/Hernando Location: 4747 US Hwy 19 New Port Richey, FL 34652 727-494-7625

Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

Transgender support programs, social programs and events, education and training, HIV testing and prevention, HIV Case Management Services and Medical Care, Transgender Health Care, Smoking Cessation, Health and Wellness Programs, Yoga and Meditation, Cultural Competency Training, SAGE Tampa Bay (Older Adult Services), Substance Abuse, Youth programs.

Metro Wellness at the Flamingo Resort

4601 34th St South

St. Petersburg, FL 33711

Metro now offers free HIV & Hep C testing at the Flamingo Resort on Sundays, Mondays, and Thursdays from 2:00 to 7:00 pm. Please call us for more information or stop by for a test during those hours!

Hope and Help Center of Central Florida

6388 Silver Star Road, Suite 1B Orlando, Florida 32818 (407) 645-2577

http://www.hopeandhelp.org/

Services offered: HIV Treatment & Prevention, LGBTQ Primary Care, STD Treatment & Prevention, Transgender Health and Medical Transition Therapy. We also do FREE HIV screening at our office and several locations throughout Central Florida as well as on our mobile unit!

• Gender Identity in Florida Today - G.I.F.T.

Orlando, FL (321) 430-5590
Group Support - Friendships - Events/Socials - Advocacy https://giftorlando.org/
publicrelations@giftorlando.org

TRANS CENTRAL STATION - Orange County

Trans Central Station welcomes all individuals within the LGBT spectrum, their family and supporters. 7:00 to 8:30 pm on the 1st Tuesday of the month

FULL TIME TRANS - Orange County

a peer-to-peer support group in which transsexuals in transition and post-op transsexuals can meet to discuss problems specific to their situation. 7:00 to 8:30 pm on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. BETWEEN THE LINES - Orange County

Still questioning their place among the spectrum of gender, or for those of us who are existing between female and male, and even those who question gender roles. 7:00 to 8:30 pm on the 4th Tuesday of each month.

TRANS MEN - Orange County

Support group for FTM and trans masculine individuals. 7:00 to 9:00 pm on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.

Meetings are held at The Center in Orange County

The Center 946 North Mills Ave Orlando, Florida 32803 (407) 228-8272 thecenterorlando.org

Trans + Allies support group - Volusia County

Join us at the Collective Church for a supportive event featuring guest speakers, snacks as well as Game Night after the meeting. All people under the umbrella, allies, friends and family welcome! Donations Accepted.

Meetings are held at The Collective Church in Volusia County Collective Church 111 S Alabama Ave DeLand, Florida 32724 (321) 238-8341 wearecollectivechurch.com

• TRANSnFIT - Fitness Training, Coaching, Nutrition and Health

Orlando, FL Contact Coach Alexandria alegutier@gmail.com 786-863-4618 - Call or text

Crosswinds Youth Services, Inc.

1407 Dixon Blvd, Cocoa, FL 32922

Cell: (321)452-0800

Email: infocrosswinds@crosswindsyouthservices.org;

Website: www.crosswindsyouthservices.org

Crosswinds Youth Services, Inc provides a multitude of resources for youth, including a youth shelter for 17 and under, transitional housing, case management, and outpatient counseling.

Corrine Drive Counseling Center

3222 Corrine Drive, Suite A, J, K, L

Orlando, FL 32803 Cell: 407-716-7207

Email: corrinedrivecounselingcenter@gmail.com

Website: http://www.corrinedrivecounselingcenter.com

Both Joe Salg, LMHC and Dominique Barritt, LMHC specialize in work with the transgender community... during all phases of transition.

Chase Therapies

2400 S. Ridgewood Ave Suite 17

S. Daytona, FL 32119 Cell: 4079296251

Email: Jennifer.Marvin.61@gmail.com

Therapist is a Transgender Woman. LGBT staff members.

Transforming Children and Families

15 N. Tampa Ave Tampa, FL 33602 Cell: 4079296251

Email: Jennifer.Marvin.61@gmail.com

Therapist is a Transgender woman. There are also LGBT staff members.

Transgender & Crossdressers: Phi Epsilon Mu

P.O.Box 158

Highland City, FL 33846

Email: carolync@tampabay.rr.com

http://transsupportfl.com/

TG Support group for emerging TG folks, wives, and S/O's. Meets monthly in the Orlando area

Bliss CARES Inc.

2901 Curry Ford Rd Suite 106

Orlando, FL

Jrodriguez@blisshs.com; 407-203-5984

http://Blisscares.org

Specialized in Patient Care, mental health and resources for Transgender.

PFLAG Orlando & Central Florida

PO Box 141312, Orlando, FL, 32814-1312, 407-236-9177

info@pflagorlando.org, http://pflagorlando.org

PFLAG Orlando & Central Florida, was started in 1992 and is here to provide ongoing support, education and advocacy to all Central Florida LGBTQ+ persons, their parents, family, friends and allies.

The Spring of Tampa Bay

211 N Willow Ave

Tampa. FL 33606

mdecampos@thespring.org, (813) 247-7233

http://thespring.org

The Spring is Hillsborough County's certified domestic violence agency that provides services to survivors of intimate partner violence and human trafficking. All services provided are inclusive.

Equality Florida

Website: https://www.eqfl.org/

Email: Nikole@equalityflorida.org or HR@equalityflorida.org

(813) 870-3735

Crew Health (HIV/STD Testing)

8601 Commodity Circle Orlando, FL 32819

Email: hello@crewhealth.org

407-605-2252 www.crewhealth.org

Youth Services

Zebra Coalition

407-228-1446

www.zebrayouth.org

Email: info@zebrayouth.org, Facebook: www.facebook.com/zebracoalition

PFLAG Orlando: Parents, Family & Friends Support

www.pflagorlando.org

407-236-9177

Email: pflagorlando@yahoo.com

METRO LGBT Centers

http://www.metrotampabay.org/ Email: Info@metrotampabay.org

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Tampa Location: 2105 N Nebraska Ave Tampa, FL 33602 813-232-3808

Pasco/Hernando Location: 4747 US Hwy 19 New Port Richey, FL 34652

727-494-7625

Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

Weekly Youth Support Programs, Free Counseling

LGBT Welcome Center 2227 Central Avenue St. Petersburg, FL 33713 727-201-4925

www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com
Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org
Queer Youth Nights, Drop-ins

Rose Dynasty Foundation

Email: jason@rosedynastyfoundationinc.org

www.rosedynastyfoundationinc.org

Aging Support

The Center, Orlando

www.thecenterorlando.org

Email: director@thecenterorlando.org

• SAGE Tampa Bay

METRO LGBT Centers 813-232-3808

www.metrotampabay.org

Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

Churches

Allendale Methodist Church

3803 Haines Road North – Saint Petersburg, Florida 33703 http://www.allendaleumc.org/
(727) 527-6694
office@allendaleumc.org

Veteran Services

Tamara J. Reed (Program Manager & Outreach - LGBTQSA Special Emphasis)
 James A. Haley and C.W. Young Bay Pines Veterans' Hospitals
 Tampa, FL, (813) 972-2000, ext. 2131, Email: Tamara.Reed@va.gov

Keri K. Griffin-Edenfield LCSW, CAP

Orlando Veterans Administration Medical Center (Veterans Only) Orlando, FL, 407-621-2622, Email: Keri.Griffin@va.gov

Veterans Readjustment Counseling Services
 Orlando, FL, 1-407-857-2800, Email: Elizabeth.Jackson3@va.gov

 Interactive Online Veterans Shared Experiences www.maketheconnection.net

Gender Expression

METRO LGBT Centers

3251 3rd Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33713

www.metrotampabay.org, Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

Ongoing group classes offered.

Vocal Coaching

Barbara Oliver M.Ed. CCC/SLP, Speech Pathologist (Voice and Communication Training)
 St. Petersburg, 727-418-3065, Email: babz1948@gmail.com

Dr. Karen Wicklund

Lakewood Ranch

847-476-7464, wickland@singershealth.com, www.singershealth.com

• Dr. Karen Wicklund, DM, MHS CCC-SLP/L, SVS

Florida Center for Professional Voice/Of Special Note Inc.

8374 Market Street, Box 523

Bradenton, FL 34202

voice mail: (941)251-6694, fax: (941) 251-6697, www.singershealth.com

Skype ID: doctorsoprano, email: wicklund@singershealth.com

-Professor Emeritus, The Schools of Music and Communication Disorders,

Western Michigan University

- -Author of Singing Voice Rehabilitation, Second Edition, 2015, NICEV (National Institute for Continuing Education in Voice) Press
- -Provider of Singing Voice Specialist Training through National Center for Continuing Education in Voice (NICEV), a division of Of Special Note Inc.

Hair & Makeup

• Wigs & More (Trans Owned)

Port Charlotte

941-979-9999, www.wigsanmore.com, Email: debbiebarry@gmail.com

Wig Villa

St. Petersburg

727-823-3100, www.wigvillaonline.com/ Email: wigvilla@verizon.net

Ritzy Rags

Wigs, Breast Forms, Cosmetics

Orlando, FL

407-897-2117, www.ritzyrags.com/ Email: ritzyragsemail@aol.com

• Pizarro Hair Restoration Inc.-Marina Pizarro MD

7575 Dr Phillips Blvd. Suite #20, Orlando, FL 32819

info@drpizarro.com; 407-226-9300; www.drpizarro.com

With over 25 years of experience, Dr. Pizarro is a specialist who performs nothing but hair transplant surgery (FUE & FUT).

Electrolysis

Mary J. Moffett

727-527-5327

Tampa/St. Petersburg, FL

• 6S Boutique (Trans Owned)

St. Petersburg, FL

727-498-6590, www.6sboutique.com - Email: Andrew@6sboutique.com

Orlando Institute For Electrolysis & Laser Hair Removal

#1-8, 6900 Turkey Lake Rd, Orlando, FL 32819

407-295-2081, http://orlandoinstitute.com/ Email: michele@orlandoinstitute.com

Aesthetics by Karen Marlise

10701 Village Green Ave, Seminole FL 33772

www.tampabaylaserhairremoval.com/, Phone: (727) 398-4187

James at Badar's Hair and All

2321 E Fowler Ave, Tampa, FL 33612

Phone: (813) 979-0058

https://www.badarshairandall.com/

Legal

METRO LBGT Centers

3251 3rd Avenue North, St. Petersburg, FL 33713

www.metrotampabay.org, Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org, Free legal consultation by appointment.

Surgery Resources

Dr. Jessica Vaught

21 Columbia St, #101, Orlando, FL 32806, 321-841-6060

http://www.winniepalmerhospital.com/physician-finder/jessica-m-vaught-md/

Performs hysterectomies for trans men. Very trans friendly.

Dr. Michael Fountain

1210 Waterman Way, Suite 1210, Tavares, FL 32778, 352-343-2364 https://www.adventhealth.com/find-doctor/doctor/michael-fountain-do-1023260205 M2F orchiectomy

Timeless Surgical Center, Mariah Fox

3343 Tampa Road, Palm Harbor, FL 34684

727-493-2588 https://timelessandbeautiful.com/

Minimally invasive and non-surgical options: Body shaping, Vaser lipo, Laser hair removal, Botox, Fillers, etc.

Mia Aesthetic

209 5th JPV Street Winter Haven, Florida 33880 407-953-1811

Veteran Services

Orlando VA Medical Center

5201 Raymond. St, Orlando, FL 32803

Keri.Griffin@va.gov, 407-621-2622, http://www.orlando.va.gov/services/LGBT_Program.asp

I work as the Orlando VA LGBT Special Emphasis Program Manager. I provide individual, couples, family, & group therapy as well as many other services, please contact me to find out more.

The Legal Aid Society of the OCBA, Inc.

100 E Robinson Street, Orlando, FL 32801

imobley@legalaidocba.org, 407-790-6637, Civil Legal Aid

NORTH FLORIDA RESOURCES

Jacksonville, Gainesville, Tallahassee, Pensacola, Panama City

Mental Health Therapists

• Kristie Overstreet LMHC, LPC, CAP, NCC

Licensed Mental Health Counselor - Licensed Professional Counselor - Certified Sex Therapist - Certified Addiction Professional

www.KristieOverstreet.com

Therapy Department

4540 Southside Boulevard Suite 401, Jacksonville, FL 32216

Email: <u>Kristie@TherapyDepartment.com</u>, (904) 566-9256, <u>http://www.TherapyDepartment.com</u>. *Accepts many insurances & self-pay. Provides HRT letters. Hosts a free trans support group.*

Noelle Pomeroy, PhD, LMHC

Jacksonville Center for Sexual Health 12443 San Jose Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida 32223 noelle@jaxsexualhealth.com, 904-383-7613 www.jaxsexualhealth.com

Dr. Jennifer Sager, Ph.D.

1208 NW 6th Street Gainesville FL 32601 352-378-2829, SagerITM@aol.com (Can email to make appointment)

Accepts Blue Cross Blue Shield. Costs: \$175(initial session) & \$125(following 50 minute sessions).

Dr. Charles Martin, Ph D.

2631 NW 41 St E6, Gainesville, FL 32606 352-375-7756, info@drcharlesmartin.com https://www.drcharlesmartin.com/

Matt Borer, Ph.D. LMFT

2720 Park St. Office 209, Jacksonville, Fl. 32205 904-874-1387, https://www.mattborer.com/ Notes: Works specifically with transgender clients.

Marcy Weiss, Ph.D., LCSW, CEAP, CAP, SAP

Crossroads Office Plaza 1897 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd, Suite 110, West Palm Beach, Florida 33409 561-702-2228, Email: mrw417@aol.com http://www.drmarcydaterweiss.com/

Lisa J. Moore, LMHC

2301 Park Avenue, 406-5, Orange Park, Florida, 32073 (904) 269-2931, lisajmoorems@gmail.com https://lisajmoorelmhc.com/

• Patricia Lee O'Haver

1727 Blanding Blvd., Suite 105
Jacksonville, Florida 32210
The Alternatives Group, 904-446-5175, 904-772-1775, Email: patricia_gal@yahoo.com

Alan Kagan, MD, Psychiatrist

2880 Capital Medical Blvd #2, Tallahassee, FL 32308

Dr. Ellen Shapiro, Clinical psychologist

1003 N Adams, Tallahassee, FL 32303 850-222-0003, Email: DrEllenShapiro@gmail.com https://www.drellenshapiro.com/

Lorin Brand

109 W. 4th Ave. Tallahassee, FL 32303 850-308-5429, Email: lorinbrand@gmail.com

Ludmila De Faria, MD, Psychiatrist

University of Florida Health Clinic 4037 NW 86th Terrace, Gainesville, FL 32606 (352) 594-1859, l.barbosadefaria@ufl.edu

leshai T. Bailey-Davis, M.S., CST

Board Certified Sex Therapist - Transgender Care Therapist - Registered Mental Health Counseling Intern - Kink Aware Therapist - Certified Clinical Trauma Professional Bailey House of Wellness, LLC 4570 St. Johns Avenue Suite C, Jacksonville, Florida 32210 (904) 738-3506 (office) Jacksonville Location, bhowyou@gmail.com www.bhowyou.com

Emily Franck Hoon, PhD - Therapist

2531 NW 41st Street, Gainesville, FL 32606, 352-375-4666

Tamara Powell

Arya Therapy Services 2701 N. 12th Ave., Pensacola, FL 32503

Email: arya.therapy@gmail.com, Cell: (850) 777-3334

Web: www.aryatherapy.com, FB: www.facebook.com/aryatherapyservices

A Safe Port Counseling Center

1720 W. Fairfield Dr Suite 505 Pensacola, FL 32501, 850-723-0042, feathersong@bellsouth.net

Free Trans Support Group

406 McIntosh Ave, Orange Park, FL 32073 edna@escounseling.com: Second Tuesday of the month at 4 p.m. Contact Edna to confirm date and location before attending

Free Trans Support Group

Noelle@jaxsexualhealth.com, 904-383-7613, http://jaxsexualhealth.com/; Usually second or third Wednesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in Jax Public Library South Mandarin Branch (12125 San Jose Blvd). Contact Noelle to confirm location and date.

Possible Self Counseling

Melissa Lee-Tammeus, PhD, LMHC possibleselfcounseling@gmail.com Possibleselfcounseling.com 904-867-7478

Individual/Family Counseling for HRT/SRS - for those exploring and/or seeking Hormone Replacement Therapy (HRT) or Sexual Reassignment/Confirmation Surgery (SRS).

Pamela Trompeter MA, MSW, LCSW

277 Forest Park Circle, Panama City, FL 32401
(850) 972-1522, ptlcsw@hotmail.com
https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/therapists/pamela-monace-trompeter-panama-city-fl/301724
My practice is focused on working with depression, anxiety, couples counseling, addictions, LGBTQI issues and hormone therapy evaluations.

Jennifer Ducharme, LMHC @ Jacksonville Center for Counseling

3560 Cardinal Point Suite 204, Jacksonville, FL 32257 (904)737-7242, jaxcounselors@gmail.com http://www.jacksonvillecenterforcounseling.com/ Sliding scale. Private insurance. Provides HRT and Surgery letters.

Anne C. Hooton LMHC

112 W Cervantes St, Pensacola, FL 32501 (850) 466-3200 http://www.acmhc-fl.org/
Sliding scale. Private insurance. Provides HRT and Surgery letters.

Breakthrough's Counseling and Recovery- Jada Helmer, LMHC

3810-3 Williamsburg Park Blvd, Jacksonville FL 32257 jadarh@gmail.com
904-419-6102
https://jaxtherapists.com/

Authentic Self Counseling, LLC

3733 University Blvd, Suite 112, Jacksonville FL 32217 akindland@authenticselfjax.com, 904-990-7117 http://www.authenticselfjax.com/

Authentic Self Counseling: private practice with two Dignity Model Certified counselors who specialize working with LGBT community. Can provide HRT and GA surgery letters.

Psychological Fitness Associates;

21903 Panama City Beach Parkway, Panama City Beach, FL 32413; Leticia Grove LMHC 850-588-7089 leticia.grove@psychfitness.org

Lutheran Social Services of Northeast Florida

4615 Philips Highway, Jacksonville, Florida 32207 John Pimentel Jr RMHCI 904.739.7022 ic2it@hotmail.com

Jennifer Evans PsyD

2121 NW 40th Terr. Ste B. Gainesville, FL 32605 & 108 N. Magnolia, Suite 309, Ocala, FL 33475 Phone: (352) 336-2888 drevans@cpancf.com

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7711 SW 103rd Ave., Gainesville, FL 32608 352-222-3372, drjanmsnyder@gmail.com www.drjanmsnyder.com

Marc Kepner PsyD

Haile Market Therapy & Behavioral Medicine 2653 SW 87th Drive, Suite A, Gainesville, FL 32608 352-331-0020 https://hailemarkettherapy.com/

Charles Martin PhD

2631 NW 41 St E6, Gainesville, FL 32606 352.375.7756 info@drcharlesmartin.com

Emily Hoon PhD

2531 NW 41st St., Building C, Gainesville, FL 32606 352-375-4666 efhoon@remconsults.com

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Anyaliese Hancock-Smith PhD 8491 NW 39th Ave, Gainesville, FL. 32606 352-265-4357

North Florida/South Georgia Veterans Health System

Michelle Smith PhD 619 South Marion Avenue, Lake City, FL 32025 386-755-3016 x392602 https://www.va.gov/north-florida-health-care/

Dr, Cynthia Mulit, PH.D, LAC, NCC. BC-TMH

404 Kelly Plantation Dr Unit 1505 Destin, FL 07830 cynthia.mulit@me.com
https://drcynthiamulit.securepatientarea.com/portal/

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325 John Knox Road, Building T, Suite 2, Tallahassee, Florida 32303 alicia@counselingwithalicia.com
(850)-229-6777
http://www.counselingwithalicia.com

Judith Asermely, LCSW

8825 Perimeter Park Blvd Jacksonville, FL 32216 <u>judithasermely@gmail.com</u> (904)-834-5619

Alea Wise

2114 NW 40th Terrace Suite D2 alea@aleawise.com (352) 448-1134 Registered Play Therapist (LGBTQ+ Youth)

A. Michael Davidson RMHCI

Family Resources, Inc. 850.567.1102 x103 michaeld@famresources.com https://www.famresources.com Tallahassee, FL

Perspectives Anew Therapy

info@perspectivesanewtherapy.com (904) 414 - 3359 Jacksonville, FL

Alicia Armstrong LCSW

325 John Knox Road Building T – Suite 2 Tallahassee, FL 32303 <u>alicia@counselingwithalicia.com</u> counselingwithalicia.com 850-299-6777

Primary Care Providers

• Dr. Howard Green

14444 Beach Blvd Ste 28, Jacksonville, FL 32250, (904) 367-2277

Dr. Julie Kelch and Dr. John Ness

616 Universal Dr, Tallahassee, FL 32303, 850-385-1839

Dr. Laura Preston

Capital Regional Medical Center 3217 Capital Medical Blvd, Tallahassee, FL 32308, 850-942-5728 www.capitalregionalmedicalcenter.com

• Dr. Jonathan Appelbaum

FSU-TMH Internal Medicine Residency Clinic 1300 Miccosukee Road, Tallahassee, FL 32308, (850) 645-1227 Email: jonathan.appelbaum@med.fsu.edu

Also provides HRT.

Dr. Ramiz Kseri

2911 Roberts Ave
Tallahassee, Florida 32310
Email: ramiz.kseri@med.fsu.edu
https://med.fsu.edu/fsuprimaryhealth/home

Family Practice Associates

Michael Horseman 4410 W Newberry Rd Ste B, Gainesville, FL32607 (352) 372-7800

UF Health Family Medicine - Magnolia Parke

Catherine Blackband 3951 NW 48th Terrace, Suite 101, Gainesville, FL 32606 352-265-5230 blaccm@shands.ufl.edu

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Nichole Provost 3951 NW 48th Terrace, Suite 101, Gainesville, FL 32606 352-265-5230 provon@shands.ufl.edu

UF Health Pediatric Specialties and UF Health Shands Children's Hospital;

Janet Silverstein MD 2000 SW Archer Rd, Second floor, Gainesville, FL 32608; 352-265-5230

University of Florida Student Health

Ann Grooms MD Infirmary Building, 280 Fletcher Drive, Gainesville, Fl 32611; (352) 294-7403 agrooms@ufl.edu

Keystone Behavioral Pediatrics

172 Canal Blvd, Ponte Vedra Beach, FL 32082 (904) 373-0082 info@keystonebehavioral.com https://www.keystonebehavioral.com/

UF Health Pediatrics

Stephanie Ryan MD Tower Road; 7046 SW Archer Rd, Gainesville, FL 32608 352-733-1770 https://ufhealth.org/stephanie-ryan

UF Health Youth Gender Program

Kristin Dayton MD 352- 265-PEDS (7337); peds-administration-ref-info@peds.ufl.edu

Medical Health Center, Urgent Care in Ocala

Lisa Young MD 1714 SW 17th St, Ocala, FL 34471; 352.274.9900 info@gotomhc.com

AHF- Pensacola

4300 Bayou Blvd suite 17D, Pensacola, FL 32503 (850) 476-3131

AHF- Jacksonville

2 Shircliff Way DePaul, Building, Ste 900, Jacksonville, FL 32204 (904) 381-9651

• Michael Fox, MD, Endocrinologist

Jacksonville Center for Reproductive Medicine 7051 Southpoint Pkwy, Suite 200 Jacksonville, FL 32216 904-493-2229

www.jcrm.org

Physician that oversees HRT. Experience working with older clients.

• C.W. Randolph, Jr., M.D., R.Ph.

Ageless & Wellness Medical Center 1891 Beach Blvd., Suite 200 Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250 904-249-3743

http://www.agelessandwellness.com/

Physician that oversees HRT. Experience working with older clients.

• Michelle Mendez, MD

Mendez Family Care 904-264-2752 1909 Beach Blvd. Ste 102 Jacksonville Beach, FL 32250

http://mendezfamilycare.doctorsoffice.net

This doctor does not permit trans females to dress in feminine clothing in her practice. Confirmed by NP 4/15/2014. Only in-house shots.

Dr. Hashey

First Coast Family Medicine 9191 R G Skinner Pkwy #603 Jacksonville, FL 32256 904-538-0950

www.firstcoastdoctor.com

Physician that oversees HRT. This location does in-house injections only (no take home injectable hormone prescription). Cost is \$48/shot (usually weekly) for self-pay, insurances vary.

Jeffery Johns, DO

St. Vincent's Family Medicine 2627 Riverside Ave Jacksonville, FL 32204 904-308-7372

Sadaf Jeelani, MD

4340 Newberry Road, Suite 301 Gainesville, FL 32607 352-372-9414

Email: robertsb@accentmd.com

Dr. Jonathan Appelbaum

FSU-TMH Internal Medicine Residency Clinic 1300 Miccosukee Road Tallahassee, FL 32308 (850) 431-7900

Email: jonathan.appelbaum@med.fsu.edu

Celeste Hart

North Florida Regional Thyroid Center

1705 S. Adams Tallahassee, FL 32301 850-224-7154 www.thyroidcenter.com

Terry Sherraden

Tallahassee Endocrine Associates 2633 Centennial Blvd Ste 100, Tallahassee, FL, 32308 850-877-7387

Vishnu N. Behari, M.D.

6160 N Davis Hwy #10a, Pensacola, FL 32504 (850) 208-3848

UF Health Youth Gender Program

2000 SW Archer Road Gainesville, FL 32601, 352-265-7337

https://endo.pediatrics.med.ufl.edu/resources/youth-gender-program/

UF Health Youth Gender Program is a multidisciplinary clinic, medical and psychological, specifically for transgender youth up to age 21. A "letter" is not required to make an initial appointment.

Institute of Endocrinology

501 N Spring St., Crestview, FL 32536 (850)460-7090 https://www.iedhh.com/

Institute of Endocrinology

1241 Airport Rd Suite M
Destin, FL 32541 (850)460-7090
https://www.iedhh.com/

Accent Physician Specialists

Sadaf Jeelani 4340 W Newberry Road, Suite 301, Gainesville, FL 32607 352-372-9414 http://www.accentmd.com

UF Health Pediatric Specialties

Michael Haller MD

Medical Plaza; 2000 SW Archer Rd, Second floor, Gainesville, FL 32608 (352) 265-7337, hallerms@ufl.edu https://ufhealth.org/michael-haller

Additional Resources

Surgeons

 Gulf Coast Facial Plastics, Daniel Campbell Daube Jr, M.D., F.A.C.S. 200 Doctors Drive,

Panama City, FL 32405

https://www.gulfcoastfacialplastics.com/our-team/dr-daniel-c-daube

(850) 784-7722

Doctors Daube and McAllister assist each other in their practices to provide transgender affirming care to the LGBT community throughout the area by sharing OR's to reduce the cost of procedures for transgender patients.

Coastal Plastic Surgery Institute, Andrew D. McAllister, D.O.

600 Grand Panama Boulevard Suite 101B

Panama City Beach, Florida 32407

https://www.coastalplasticsurgeryinstitute.com/

(850) 233-7674

Doctors McAllister and Daube assist each other in their practices to provide transgender affirming care to the LGBT community throughout the area by sharing OR's to reduce the cost of procedures for transgender patients.

UF Health Plastic Surgery and Aesthetics Center

Bruce Mast MD FACS Plastic Surgeon 4037 NW 86 Terrace, 3rd Floor, Gainesville, FL 32606; 352-265-8402

https://ufhealth.org/bruce-mast

Gynecologists

• Todd Rasner, M.D., F.A.C.O.G. Sekine, Rasner, & Brock, M.D., P.A.

Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Fertility 11945 San Jose Blvd., building 400, Jacksonville, FL 32223 904-262-5333

https://www.srbobgyn.com/dr-todd-rasner

Micheal Fox

Jax Center for Reproductive Medicine 7051 Southpoint Pkwy S Ste 200, Jacksonville, FL (904) 493-2229 https://jcrm.org/michael-fox/

Planned Parenthood of South, East, and North Florida

Jacksonville Health Center 5978 Powers Ave Jacksonville, FL 32217 904-399-2800

https://www.plannedparenthood.org/planned-parenthood-south-east-north-florida

Gainesville Gynecology Group

Kelli Ross MD OBGYN 6730 NW 11th Place Gainesville, FL 32605; 352-331-3234 https://gainesvillegynecology.com/

PHARMACY

TruLife Pharmacy

3516 Enterprise Way, Suite 7, Green Cove Springs FL 32043 frank@trulifepharmacv.net

904-531-3030

http://www.trulifepharmacy.net/

TruLife Pharmacy in JAX is transgender friendly. We compound male/female hormones and ship for free. 904-531-3030 phone; 904-531-3060 fax; frank@trulifepharmacy.net. PS—we also escribe!

General Resources

• Dan Sostrom, President

PFLAG St. Augustine PO Box 573, St. Augustine, FL 32085-0573

Phone: (904) 853-0808 Email: pflagstaug@gmail.com

Facebook: www.facebook.com/pflagstaug

UNF LGBT Resource Center

University of North Florida (904) 620-4720, unflgbt@unf.edu/lgbtqcenter/

Lavender Network

The Lavender Network's goal is to bring the LGBTQ community, their friends and families, together through gardening and related activities.

thelavendernetwork@gmail.com; Facebook: www.facebook.com/thelavendernetwork

PFLAG Jacksonville

Through support, education, and advocacy, PFLAG of Jacksonvile promotes the Health and well-being of LGBT persons, family, and friends.

Garry Bevel, Current President 24/7 Helpline: 904.737.3329 General E-Mail: info@pflagjax.org

USPS: P.O. Box 2971 Jacksonville, FI 32203

Website: www.pflagjax.org

PFLAG Panama City

pflagpanamacity@gmail.com

Tom Huges, Current President (850) 866-5573

Through support, education, and advocacy, PFLAG of Panama City promotes the Health and well-being of LGBT persons, family, and friends. Offering support groups and gatherings monthly.

Jacksonville Transgender Action Committee (JTAC)

JTAC works to improve the lives of transgender and gender nonconforming individuals in the Jacksonville community through education, support, and advocacy.. The group hosts biweekly socials every other thursday, as well as monthly committee meetings the third Tuesday of each month. Phone:904-620-2939

k.legg@unf.edu; jaxtransaction@gmail.com https://www.facebook.com/Jax.Trans.Action

• Transgender Tallahassee

Margeaux Mutz is the contact person for Transgender Tallahassee. We do a monthly chat group plus various other events through out the year. We are a conduit to education of the non-trans community as well through our speaker bureau and other interaction with the local media etc. Our chat group meets once a month at:

Waterworks, 1133 Thomasville Rd. 32301.

<u>transgendertallahassee@gmail.com</u> https://www.facebook.com/Transgender-Tallahassee-138910469495684/

The Family Tree

The Family Tree is chaired by Steven Hall who can be reached at steven@familytreecenter.org. The Family Tree is Tallahassee's LGBT organization. They present our yearly Pride Celebration and also serve to disseminate info throughout the community both LGBT and not. The Family Tree is the non-profit organization or which Transgender Tallahassee is linked. No physical address at this time. web: familytreecenter.org, email: steven@familytreecenter.org, Phone: 850-222-8555

Dr Noelle Pomeroy's Trans+Gender Nonconforming Support Group

12125 San Jose Blvd, South Mandarin Library Jacksonville, FL 32223

Noelle@jaxsexualhealth.com; https://jaxsexualhealth.com/

Edna Schafer, LMHC Trans+Gender Nonconforming Support Group

406 McIntosh Avenue Orange Park, FL 32073 edna@ecounseling.com

Second Tuesday of the month at 4pm in E S Counseling starting in December (pending RSVPs)

• Bare Skin Electrolysis

4400 Bayou Blvd Ste 36 Pensacola, FL 32503 (850) 476-5244 http://newlifebareskin.com/ Ask for Kelly

Youth/Young Adult Support

• UNF LGBT Resource Center

University of North Florida (904) 620-4720, <u>unflgbt@unf.edu</u> https://www.unf.edu/lgbtgcenter/

JASMYN (Jacksonville Area Sexual Minority Youth Network)

923 Peninsular Place Jacksonville, FL 32204 P: (904) 389-3857

Gay Youth Information Line: (904) 389-0089 E-mail: jasmyn@jasmyn.org, www.jasmyn.org

Mental Health/Addiction/Recovery Support

Freedom to be Me

FreedomToBeMeLGBT@yahoo.com
904-516-8088
https://www.facebook.com/Freedom2BMe

Lakeview Health

https://www.lakeviewhealth.com/ 1900 Corporate Square Blvd, Jacksonville Fl 32216 866.552.6557

HIV/AIDS Care

NFAN (Northeast Florida AIDS Network) 2715 Oak St, Jacksonville, FL 32205 (904) 356-1612, http://www.nfanjax.org/

Florida Counseling and Evaluation Services

6950 Philips Highway, Suite 11 Jacksonville, FL 32216 agauler@flces.com
904-239-3677

General

Jax Youth Equality

https://jaxyouthequality.org/safe-place-resources/

A resource list of LGBT-friendly resources, including businesses, legal services, and health-related providers.

Acupuncture Physician in Pensacola

Dr. Peter J Shark, AP NNTS Gulf Coast Wellness 1215 W Garden St., Pensacola, FL 32502 850-390-0774, drshark@wellgulfcoast.com http://wellgulfcoast.com

Brandi Skipalis, Notary Public

Jacksonville, FL 32218, 904-476-3207

b.skipalis@outlook.com

Notary services available in Northeast Florida for standard notarization (\$10) and weddings (\$30) by appointment. Fully LGBTQ+ inclusive and trans-affirming.

Crisis Counseling Hotline

Call 211 on a landline or cell phone in Hillsborough county, indicate that you want crisis counseling, and you will be connected to an intervention specialist. Chat options also available.

Online database: http://211atyourfingertips.org/

https://www.crisiscenter.com/what-we-do/2-1-1-contact-center/

Support Centers and Social Groups

Trans Affairs in Gainesville

22 SE 5th Ave, Ste D Gainesville, FL 32601 gainesvilletransaffairs@gmail.com 352-474-2774

A local Trans Activism group seeking to strengthen the Transgender Community through social activism, community outreach, and seeking social justice!

• TranQuility: Transgender Community Group of Alachua County

2401 SW Archer Road (The building is called HealthStreet)

Gainesville, FL 32608

alachuatranguility@gmail.com, 678-907-4616

https://www.facebook.com/alachua.tranquilitysupport/

TranQuility strives to educate, support, and care for all transgender people, their friends, families, and allies. Meets monthly for discussion on a specific topic, connection, and personal sharing.

Strive -- Social Trans Initiative

3109 East Brainerd Street

Pensacola, FL 32503

strivepensacola@gmail.com, (850) 320-8593

https://www.strivepensacola.com/

Strive can find housing, employment, and other resources for trans people along the Gulf Coast as they become available, but can also go outside the Northwest Florida area if need be.

Gulf Coast Transgender Alliance

315 Garden St, Annex

Pensacola, FL 32503

gctransgenderalliance@gmail.com

http://www.gulfcoasttransgenderalliance.com/

850-332-8416

Great support group that meets twice a month.

• THE CENTER LGBTQ Center of Bay County

1608 Bakers Court, Room 6

Panama City, FL 32401

president@lgbtqcenterofbaycounty.org

(850) 252-5145

https://www.lgbtqcenterofbaycounty.com/

The Center in Bay County offers a wide array of services and outreach to the community.

STATE WIDE RESOURCES

Planned Parenthood of Southwest and Central Florida (PPSWCF) Health Centers

They offer a wide array of services that benefit our community to include:

Transgender Care

We offer hormone replacement therapy (HRT), either testosterone or estrogen, for transgender patients. We see HRT as an important service that really goes to the core of our mission. This service can be found at any of our health centers.

PrEP (Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis) Services

PrEP is a way to help prevent HIV infection by taking a pill every day. It helps protect you from getting HIV from an infected partner.

HIV Testing and Counseling

Up to 1 out of 6 people who have HIV don't know it. Knowing your status is essential to you and your future partner's sexual health.

Sexually Transmitted Infection Testing and Treatment

Sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) are caused by infections that are passed from one person to another during sexual contact.

Naples

1425 Creech Road, Naples, FL 34103-4207

Health center: 239-262-0301

Fort Myers

6418 Commerce Park Drive, Fort Myers, FL 33966

Health center: 239-481-9999

Sarasota

736 Central Ave. Sarasota, FL 34236-4042

Health center: 941-953-4060

• St Petersburg

33 6th St S, Ste 110, St. Petersburg, FL 33701

Health center: 727-898-8199

Tampa

8068 N. 56th St. Tampa, FL 33617-7620

Health center: 813-980-3555

North Tampa

236 E. Bearss Avenue, Tampa, FL 33613

Health center: 407-246-1788

Lakeland

2250 East Edgewood Drive, Lakeland, FL 33803-3643

Health center: 863-665-5735

Kissimmee

610 Oak Commons Blvd, Kissimmee, FL 34741-4198

Health center: 407-246-1788

East Orlando

11500 University Boulevard, Suite B, Orlando FL 32817-2155

Health center: 407-246-1788

NATIONAL RESOURCES

Legal

Female to Male (FTM) International

www.ftmi.org 877-267-1440 Email: info@ftmi.org

Serves the Female-to-Male community by providing support meetings for FTMs and their families

in cities around the world.

National Center for Transgender Equality (NCTE)

www.transequality.org Phone: 202-642-4542

Email: ncte@transequality.org

National social justice organization devoted to ending discrimination and violence against transgender people through education and advocacy on national issues of importance to transgender people.

Transgendered American Veterans Association (TAVA)

www.tavausa.org

Formed to address the growing concerns of fair and equal treatment of transgender veterans and active duty service members.

Transgender Law Center (TLC)

www.transgenderlawcenter.org

510.587.9696

Email: info@transgenderlawcenter.org

California-based civil rights organization advocating for transgender communities. TLC utilizes direct legal services, public policy advocacy, and educational opportunities to advance the rights and safety of diverse transgender communities.

Servicemembers Legal Defense Network

www.sldn.org

info@modernmilitary.org, 202.328.3244

Supports, defends and empowers LGBT service members, veterans and their families; mission is to strengthen military culture by securing equal opportunity, equal protection and equal benefits, without threat of harassment or discrimination, for LGBT service members and veterans.

Ruby's List

https://www.rubyslists.com/

872-221-2081

This web site provides LGBT+ friendly adoption services and support information nationwide.

NATIONAL RESOURCES

Human Rights Campaign (HRC)

www.hrc.org

America's largest civil rights organization working to achieve gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender equality; works to secure equal rights for LGBT individuals and families at the federal and state levels by lobbying elected officials, mobilizing grassroots supporters, educating Americans, investing strategically to elect fair-minded officials and partnering with other LGBT organizations.

Immigration Equality

www.immigrationequality.org

National grass roots organization that works to end discrimination in U.S. immigration law, to reduce the negative impact of that law on the lives of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and HIV-positive people, and to help obtain asylum for those persecuted in their home country based on their sexual orientation, transgender identity or HIV-status.

Gay & Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation: TRANSGENDER

http://www.glaad.org/transgender/resources

Trans 101: http://www.glaad.org/transgender/trans101

Dedicated to promoting and ensuring fair, accurate and inclusive representation of people and events in the media as a means of eliminating homophobia and discrimination based on gender identity and sexual orientation.

Workplace Advocates: Out & Equal

http://outandequal.org/

hello@outandequal.org

• The Trevor Project

24/7 crisis support for LGBTQ+ youth https://www.thetrevorproject.org/get-help/

Helpline: 1-866-488-7386

Text "START" to 678-678 for anonymous text counselling Crisis counselling and assistance for harassment

American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)

https://www.aclu.org/know-your-rights/

LGBT & Aids Project: https://www.aclu.org/about-aclu-lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgender-aids-project

National Association of Social Workers (NASW)

https://www.socialworkers.org/

Help Starts Here

https://www.helpstartshere.org/?p=1610

• Sylvia Rivera Law Project

http://srlp.org/ 212-337-8550

Email: info@srlp.org

TransYouth Family Allies

888-462-8932

http://www.imatyfa.org/

OutServe-Servicemembers Legal Defense Network (SLDN)

P.O. Box 65301

Washington, DC 20035

http://www.outserve-sldn.org

OutServe-Servicemembers Legal Defense Network has represented the United States Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) service member and veterans effected by Don't Ask Don't Tell worldwide.

TruVoice Vocal Development

ryland@rsvocalcoach.com

646-498-3466

https://www.truevoicevocaldevelopment.com/

We offer online voice training for the transgender community. We offer voice feminization and masculinization - all genders are welcome! We also offer singing and piano lessons. Unlock Your TruVoice!

Defining Wellness Centers

BIPOC Mental Health and Addiction Guide - https://definingwellness.com/resources/bipoc-addiction-resources/

833. DWC.WELL

www.definingwellness.com

Education/Community Support

Tri-ESS National

http://www.tri-ess.org/

Email: JEFTRIS@aol.com

Educational, social and support group for heterosexual crossdressers, their partners, the spouses of married crossdressers and their families. Expressing both the masculine & feminine sides of self.

PFLAG Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays

Phone: 202-467-8180

Website: http://community.pflag.org/, Email: info@pflag.org/
Highly active in educating and advocating for transgender needs.

Connected Coaching & Counseling

303 S Babcock St #102, Melbourne, FL 32904, 321-280-6508 contact@StephanieSteenTherapy.com, www.StephanieSteenTherapy.com Mental Health Services for LGBT teens and their families. Parent coaching available nationwide.

LGBT Wellness Summit

PO Box 3418, Sedona, AZ 86340, 480-788-1326 lisa@lisamoorelgbt.com, http://lgbtwellnesssummit.com

It is free to register. http://lgbtwellnesssummit.com/order/ We want the trans community aware of this amazing summit, airs for the one year Orlando tragedy. You can be affiliate, 50% pay back. Lisa

Dr. Kristie Overstreet

18821 Delaware St, Suite 208, Huntington, CA 92648, 904-566-9256 Kristie@TherapyDepartment.com, www.TherapyDepartment.com

Video counseling Florida, Georgia, and Louisiana. HRT and gender confirming surgery letters. Assistance with gender marker letters and name changes. Free transgender virtual support group.

Medical

• World Professional Association. For Transgender Health (WPATH)

Phone: 612-624-9397

Website: http://www.wpath.org/, Email: wpath@wpath.org

• Out of State Surgery Provider

Dr. John Taylor

194 Highway 35, Red Bank, N.J. 07701 732-707-1932 www.allurenj.com

HealthLabs.com

5821 Southwest Fwy, Houston, TX 77057 christopher@medology.com, 1-800-579-3914 www.healthlabs.com/anti-aging-hormones-testing

HealthyTrans

https://www.healthytrans.com/

Great website with lots of good info on FFS, Top, and GRS info as it pertains to insurance and much more.

Sunshine Behavioral Health

https://www.sunshinebehavioralhealth.com/

Recommended Out-of-State Gender Confirmation Surgery Providers

Dr. Toby R. Meltzer M.D.

480-657-7006

Toll Free: 866-876-6329 (TRM-MDAZ)

https://themeltzerclinic.com/ Email: info@themeltzerclinic.com

Dr. Marci Bowers, M.D.

(650) 570-2270

www.marcibowers.com

Email: mail@marcibowers.com

Crane Center for Transgender Surgery

415-625-3230 (California) 512-446-9486 (Austin, TX) www.cranects.com

Dr. Toby G. Mayer, M.D.

Beverly Hills Institute of Aesthetic & Reconstructive Surgery (424) 245-4156

https://www.drtobymayer.com/ Email: info@drtobymayer.com

• Dr. Maureen Whelihan, MD FACOG

6801 Lake Worth Rd #100W, Greenacres, FL 33467 (561) 965-9559 https://mygynpractice.com/

FLORIDA REQUIREMENTS

Changing the Gender Marker on Your Driver's License

To request a gender different from what appears on the driver license or identification card you must provide a signed original statement on office letterhead from the attending medical physician (internist, endocrinologist, gynecologist, urologist or psychiatrist).

This medical certification must include the following items:

- 1. Physicians full name;
- 2. Medical license or certificate number;
- 3. Issuing state or other jurisdiction of medical license/certificate;
- 4. Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) registration number assigned to the physician;
- 5. Address and telephone number of the physician;
- 6. Language stating that he/she is the attending physician for the customer and that he/she has a doctor/patient relationship with the customer.
- 7. Language stating the customer is undergoing appropriate clinical treatment for gender transition to the new gender (male or female); and
- 8. Language stating, "I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States the forgoing is true and correct."

We hope the above information provides better clarification and addresses your concern.

We hope this information is helpful, this matter has been closed by our Customer Service Department. If you have further questions you may contact us by phone at(850)617-2000 or submit a new question athttp://www.flhsmv.gov/html/contact2.html

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ORIGINAL INQUIRY:

Hello, I am currently in the process of going from Male to Female, I have been looking for information in writing that clearly indicates the requirements for having my gender marker changed once the name change has been done. Their seems to be a lot of information on the web, but none of it is clear on do you need a letter from the doctor who is supervising your hormones. to it can only be done once Sexual reassignment surgery has taken place. I have seen that you do not need SRS and a letter indicating that your birth certificate was changed. If so with that, what can you do when the state where you were born only changes the birth certificate after SRS. it seams to be a bit confusing and you tend to get different answers when you call this is why I would like to have in writing what is the clear expectation of the state to me the requirements of the state. Thank you for your time in this matter.

Warmly, Morgan

MY QUESTION IS ABOUT IF YOU HAVE NOT HAD SEXUAL REASSIGNMENT SURGERY My question is prior to SRS to change the Drivers License to have FEMALE put on it, what are the requirements? I understand step one is to legally change my name Step two is to change your SSN what are the next steps to change the gender marker without having SRS?

FLORIDA REQUIREMENTS

How to Legally Change Your Name

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FLORIDA SUPREME COURT APPROVED FAMILY LAW FORM 12.982(f), PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME (FAMILY) (06/10)

When should this form be used?

This form should be used when a family wants the court to change its name. This form is **not** to be used in connection with a **dissolution of marriage**, **paternity**, or adoption action. If you want a change of name because of a dissolution of marriage, paternity, or adoption action that is not yet final, the change of name should be requested as part of that case.

This form should be typed or printed in black ink and must be signed before a <u>notary public or deputy clerk</u>. You should <u>file</u> the original with the <u>clerk of the circuit court</u> in the county where you live and keep a copy for your records. The petition should only be completed for one adult. If you wish to change the name(s) of another adult and/or any child(ren), you should complete and file with the clerk of court the attached Supplemental Form(s) for Petition for Change of Name (Family) for each additional family member. **Be sure that the bottom of each page of each supplemental form is initialed.**

What should I do next?

Unless you are seeking to restore a former name, each adult petitioner must have fingerprints submitted for a state and national criminal history records check. The fingerprints must be taken in a manner approved by the Department of Law Enforcement and must be submitted to the Department for a state and national criminal history records check. You may not request a hearing on the petition until the clerk of court has received the results of your criminal history records check. The clerk of court can instruct you on the process for having the fingerprints taken and submitted, including information on law enforcement agencies or service providers authorized to submit finger prints electronically to the Department of Law Enforcement. The process may take several weeks and you will have to pay for the cost of processing the fingerprints and conducting the state and national criminal history records check.

If any of the children for whom you are requesting this change of name are not the legal children of both adults filing this petition, you must obtain the consent of the legal parent(s). A parent not named as a <u>petitioner</u> in this action may consent by submitting a **Consent for Change of Name (Minor Child(ren))**, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.982(d).

If the other parent does not consent to the change of name, you may still have a hearing on the petition if you have properly notified the other parent about your petition and the hearing. If you know where he or she lives, you must use personal service. If you absolutely do not know where he or she lives, you may use constructive service. For more information about personal and constructive service, you should refer to the "General Instructions for Self-Represented Litigants" found at the beginning of these forms and the instructions to Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure Forms 12.910(a) and 12.913(b) and Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.913(a). The law on constructive service is very complex and you may wish to consult an attorney regarding constructive service.

Next, you must obtain a <u>final hearing</u> date for the court to consider your request. If you are seeking to restore a former name, hearing on the petition MAY be held immediately after the petition is filed. The final hearing on any other petition for a name change may be held immediately after the clerk of court receives the results of your criminal history records check. You should ask the clerk of court, <u>family law intake staff</u>, or <u>judicial assistant</u> about the local procedure for setting a hearing. You may be required to attend the hearing. Included in these forms is a <u>Final Judgment of Change of Name (Family)</u>, Florida Supreme Court Approved Family Law Form 12.982(g), which may be used when a judge grants a change of name for a family. If you attend the hearing, you should take the <u>final judgment form</u> with you. You should complete the top part of this form, including the circuit, county, case number, division, the name(s) of the petitioner(s) and leave the rest blank for the judge to complete. It should be typed or printed in black ink.

If the judge grants your petition, he or she will sign this <u>order</u>. This officially changes your family's name. The clerk can provide you with <u>certified copies</u> of the signed order. There will be charges for the certified copies, and the clerk can tell you the amount of the charges.

FLORIDA REQUIREMENTS

How to Legally Change Your Name (Continued)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR FLORIDA SUPREME COURT APPROVED FAMILY LAW FORM 12.982(f), PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME (FAMILY) (06/10)

Where can I look for more information?

Before proceeding, you should read "General Information for Self-Represented Litigants" found at the beginning of these forms. For further information, see section 68.07, Florida Statutes.

You may access forms needed at

http://forms.uscourtforms.com/Florida/pdf%5C1%20Statewide%5CFamily%20Law%5CName%20Change/Petition%20For%20Change%20Of%20Name%20Adult%20w-Instructions%20%7B12.982%28a%29%7D.pdf

Special notes...

The heading of the form calls for the name(s) of the **petitioner(s)**. This is (are) the parent(s) who is/are requesting the change of their family's name(s). The judicial circuit, case number, and division may be obtained from the clerk of court's office when you file the petition.

It may be helpful to compile a list of all of the people and places that will need a copy of the final judgment. This list may include the driver's license office, social security office, banks, schools, etc. A list will help you know how many copies of your order you should get from the clerk of court after your hearing.

Remember, a person who is NOT an attorney is called a nonlawyer. If a nonlawyer helps you fill out these forms, that person must give you a copy of a **Disclosure from Nonlawyer**, Florida Family Law Rules of Procedure Form 12.900(a), before he or she helps you. A nonlawyer helping you fill out these forms also **must** put his or her name, address, and telephone number on the bottom of the last page of every form he or she helps you complete.

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NATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Updating Your U.S. Passport

Identification Requirements for Gender Reassignment Applicants for US Passport

If you are in the process of or have completed gender reassignment, please note:

- The ID you present with your application must accurately reflect your current appearance (see ID photocopy requirements on Step 4 of the previous page).
- The passport photo submitted with your application must accurately reflect your current appearance.
- In order to have the passport issued in your new gender, you must submit a physician certificate with your application that validates whether your gender transition is in process or complete.
- Requirements for all elements of the passport application aside from gender still apply, including evidence of legal name change (if applicable).

If a physician certifies that your transition is complete, you are eligible for a full validity ten-year passport. The signed original statement from the attending medical physician must be on office letterhead and include:

- · Physician's full name
- Medical license or certificate number
- Issuing state or other jurisdiction of medical license/certificate
- Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) registration number assigned to the physician
- Address and telephone number of the physician
- Language stating that he/she is your attending physician and that he/she has a doctor/patient relationship with you
- Language stating you have had appropriate clinical treatment for gender transition to the new gender (male or female)
- Language stating "I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the forgoing is true and correct"

If a physician certifies that your transition is in process, you are eligible for a limited validity two-year passport. The signed original statement from the attending medical physician must be on office letterhead and include:

• Physician's full name

- Medical license or certificate number
- Issuing state or other jurisdiction of medical license/certificate

A limited passport book can be extended to the full ten-year validity book with no additional fee by submitting Form DS-5504 within two-years of the passport issue date.

Updating Your Social Security Information

Follow this link to the SSA website which will show all info needed for Social Security Administration:

https://secure.ssa.gov/poms.nsf/lnx/0110212200

The SSA policy now permits a transgender person to change their gender marker upon submission of one of the following types of documents:

- A letter from the person's doctor confirming that the person has undergone "appropriate clinical treatment for gender transition":
- A full-validity, 10-year U.S. passport that includes the person's correct gender;
- A state-issued birth certificate that shows the correct gender; or
- A court order recognizing the person's gender.

Example Certification from Attending Physician

(Attending Physician's Official Letterhead)

I, (physician's full name), (physician's medical license or certificate number), (issuing State of medical license/certificate), (DEA Registration number), am the attending physician of (name of patient), with whom I have a doctor/patient relationship.

(Name of patient) has had appropriate clinical treatment for gender transition to the new gender (specify new gender male or female).

Or

(Name of patient) is in the process of gender transition to the new gender (specify new gender male or female). I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the forgoing is true and correct.

Signature of Physician Typed Name of Physician Date

Sample Letter 2 from Licensed Physician

(Physician's Address and Telephone Number)

I, (physician's full name), (physician's medical license or certificate number), (issuing U.S. State/Foreign Country of medical license/certificate), am the physician of (name of patient), with whom I have a doctor/patient relationship and whom I have treated (or with whom I have a doctor/patient relationship and whose medical history I have reviewed and evaluated). (Name of patient) has had appropriate clinical treatment for gender transition to the new gender (specify new gender, male or female).

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the forgoing is true and correct. Signature of Physician

Typed Name of Physician

Date