EQUALITY FLORIDA
FLORIDA TRANSGENDER RESOURCE GUIDE

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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.

– Ashley Williams

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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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](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/](https://inwardboundjourneys.com/)
  Email: info@katharinecampbell.com

- **Dr. Carol Clark**
  305-891-1827
  [www.DrCarolClark.com](http://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/](https://jcsfl.org/services/lgbtqia/)
  [www.jcsfl.org/programs/lgbt](http://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
  jjoseph97@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: timeoutcounseling070@gmail.com  
  https://www.timeoutcounseling.org/  
  I work with children, teens adults with Gender Dysphoria.

• **Chris Bauchman PsyD**  
  100 Village Square Crossing, Suite 204, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410  
  561-328-7567  
  www.drbauchman.com

• **Christiane Blanco-Oilar PhD**  
  7700 Congress Ave Suite 2205 Boca Raton FL 33487  
  561-287-2088  
  Email: dr.christiane.blanco@gmail.com  
  https://drchristianeblancooilar.com  
  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.

• **Joan Torgersen Magill PsyD**  
  2200 Corporate Blvd., NW, Suite 110, Boca Raton, FL 33431  
  561-981-8802  
  docmagill@comcast.net  
  DocMagill@therapeuticoasis.com

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  https://www.drbbaumkirchner.com/  
  561-419-8086  
  drbaumkirchner@att.net

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561.314.9879
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https://bocatraumarecovery.com/
She accepts AETNA, BCBS, CIGNA, HUMANA, MEDICARE, UHC/OPTUM and OSCAR Insurance.
Ann@BocaCouplesTherapy.com

Angela Pezzote
1438 Washington Ave, Miami Beach, FL 33139
917-673-5003
empowerment@doctorangelo.com
https://www.doctorangelo.com/index.html
Conducts video chat appointments.

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tw@DrWunderman.com
https://drwunderman.wordpress.com/

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305-302-1793

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john.chaffin.mhc@gmail.com
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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](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](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](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
  954-564-0181
  [http://BoveDentistry.com](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;
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
• **Dr. Jennifer Bartczck**  
The Rowan Tree Medical  
2500 NE 15th Ave  
Wilton Manors, FL 33305  
954-533-5382  
3197 NE 18th Terrace  
Oakland Park FL 33306  
[http://www.rowantreemedical.com](http://www.rowantreemedical.com)

• **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  
**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  
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](http://www.sunserve.org/transgender)
  Email: [info@sunserve.org](mailto: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](http://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**

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**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](http://www.lotushouse.org)

**Youth Services**

• **Pridelines Youth Services**
  6360 NE 4th Ct, Miami, FL 33138
  305-571-9601; [www.pridelines.org](http://www.pridelines.org)

• **Alliance for GLBTQ Youth**
  1175 NE 125th Street, Suite 103
  North Miami, FL 33161
  866-634-8087; [www.GLBTQalliance.org](http://www.GLBTQalliance.org)

**Scholarships**

• **Aqua Foundation for Women**
  4500 Biscayne Blvd, Suite 340
  Miami FL
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305-576-2782; www.aquafoundation.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: info@survivorspathway.org
  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

Photography

- 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](http://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](http://www.testmiami.org)

- **UHealth Clinic, at Walgreens**  
  12295 Biscayne Blvd  
  North Miami, FL  
  More locations available  

**Plastic, Aesthetic & Reconstructive Surgery**

- **University of Miami**  
  1321 NW 14th St, Suite 402  
  Miami FL  
  305-243-4500  

- **Dr. Charles Garramone, M.D.**  
  The Garramone Center  
  4725 Volunteer Rd., Suite 202  
  Davie, FL 33330  
  954-752-7842  
  [www.drgarramone.com](http://www.drgarramone.com)  
  Email: [frontdesk@drgarramone.com](mailto: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](mailto:manager@takeshape.info)  
  [www.takeshape.info](http://www.takeshape.info)

- **Restore Medical Center, Dr. John Whitehead**  
  1111 Kane Concourse, Suite 311  
  Bay Harbor Island, FL 33154  
  305-865-2000  
  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.hopecfhc.com
  Assist with housing discrimination and protecting civil rights.

- **Survivors Pathway**
  786-275-4364
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 Fl 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. Meyers, FL
  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

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, Fl 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, Fl 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.

• Dr. David Baker-Hargrove, PhD, LMHC, DAPA, CCFC
801 N. Magnolia Ave., Suite 220
Orlando, FL, 32803, 407-963-5664
david@drdavidbakerhargrove.com; http://www.drdavidbakerhargrove.com/

• Dr. Mary G. Davenport, Ph.D.
1608 Oak Street, Sarasota 34236
941-366-3134; www.marygdavenportphd.com marygdavenport@comcast.net

• Kathy Lowry LMHC
Mental Health Counselor
Ft. Myers, FL, 239-443-6385; Endocrinologistsibs_lowry@yahoo.com

• Joe Salg, LMHC
Corrine Drive Counseling Center
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
  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, drkatieschubert@gmail.com, www.drkatieschubert.com Group practice: https://www.cypresswellnesscenter.com/meet-our-team
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](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)  
  LGBT Affirmative therapist - WPATH SOC, HRT readiness assessment/letter. FREE support group - 2nd & 4th Tuesdays Open to LGBTQQI & Allies - CALL/EMAIL for location info (for safety of attendees).

- **Jacqueline Hubbard, M.D.**  
  147 2nd Ave South, Suite 303, St Petersburg, FL 33701  
  727-877-8225, [http://HubbardMD.com](http://HubbardMD.com)  
  Board Certified Child, Adolescent, and Adult Psychiatrist

- **John Nguyen, MSCP, LMHC**  
  2433 Lee Road, Winter Park, FL 32789, (321) 323-7496  
  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](http://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  
  rainbowcounselingtampabay.com  
  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](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  
  Ashley@SusFamFound.org, 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  
  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**  
  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/  
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- **Angela Bulla, LCSW**
  51 South Main Ave. Suite 304
  Clearwater, FL 33765
  angelabrownbulla@gmail.com, 727-287-9302, [http://www.angelabulla.com/](http://www.angelabulla.com/)
  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/](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**
  2441 West State Rd 426, Suite 1071, Oviedo, FL 32765
  catherinerutter9@gmail.com, 407-204-9108
  [https://www.catherinerutterlmhc.com/](https://www.catherinerutterlmhc.com/)

- **Peaceful Counseling LLC**
  90 Fox Ridge Ct Suite B
  DeBary, FL 32713
  Email: ppeace@peacefulcounselingllc.com
  [http://www.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](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](http://www.themeaningfullifecenter.com)

- **Integrated Counseling Solutions**
  120 E. Robinson St.
  Orlando, Florida 32801
  [https://www.integratedcounselingsolutions.com/](https://www.integratedcounselingsolutions.com/)

- **Building Resiliency, LLC**
Yiset Perez LCSW
3001 Aloma Ave
Orlando, FL 32792
yiset@buildingresiliencellc.com, 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, alan@azupkacounseling.com
  Www.AZupkaCounseling.com

- Lake Nona Behavioral Health Services
  Natasha D’Arcangelo
  10437 Moss Park Road Suite B
  Orlando, FL 32832
  1-407-808-5773, admin@lnbehavioralhealth.com
  https://www.lnbehavioralhealth.com/

- A Place for Growth
  Brittany Sted LMHC
  734 Irma Ave, Orlando, FL 32803
  407-701-8006, stedbrittany@gmail.com
  www.brittanysted.com

- Storyology LLC
  Adam Baldowski RMHCI
  315 N. Wymore Road
  Winter Park, FL 32792
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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Lara Klopp, RCSWI
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Fedora Psychological group
Kristen Sturdevant
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http://www.TheFedoraPsychologicalGroup.com/

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- **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

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**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.cfphysiciansgroup.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  
3251 3rd Avenue North, Suite 125, St. Petersburg, FL 33713  
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, Suite 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 Suite 300
  St. Petersburg, FL 33703
  813-499-7749, floridagendercare@gmail.com
  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

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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
  Email: ChrisR@metrotampabay.org

- **The Center Orlando**
  946 North Mills Ave
  Orlando, FL 32803
  407-228-8272
  [www.Thecenterorlando.org](http://www.Thecenterorlando.org)

- **T-Network, Part of the Orlando LGBT Chamber of Commerce**
  321-800-3946
  Email: gina.duncan@me.com

- **Southern Comfort Conference (SCC)**
  [http://SCCFLA.org/](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

- **LBGT Welcome Center**
  2227 Central Avenue
  St. Petersburg, FL 33713
  727-201-4925
  [www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com](http://www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com)
  Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

- **METRO LGBT Centers**
  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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:carolync@tampabay.rr.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](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](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](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/](https://www.eqfl.org/)  
  Email: [Nikole@equalityflorida.org](mailto:Nikole@equalityflorida.org) or [HR@equalityflorida.org](mailto:HR@equalityflorida.org)  
  (813) 870-3735

• **Crew Health (HIV/STD Testing)**  
  8601 Commodity Circle  
  Orlando, FL 32819  
  Email: [hello@crewhealth.org](mailto:hello@crewhealth.org)
Youth Services

- Zebra Coalition
  407-228-1446
  [www.zebrayouth.org](http://www.zebrayouth.org)
  Email: info@zebrayouth.org, Facebook: [www.facebook.com/zebracoalition](http://www.facebook.com/zebracoalition)

- PFLAG Orlando: Parents, Family & Friends Support
  [www.pflagorlando.org](http://www.pflagorlando.org)
  407-236-9177
  Email: pflagorlando@yahoo.com

- METRO LGBT Centers
  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

- Weekly Youth Support Programs, Free Counseling

  LGBT Welcome Center
  2227 Central Avenue
  St. Petersburg, FL 33713
  727-201-4925
  [www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com](http://www.lgbtwelcomecenter.com)
  Email: LGBT@metrotampabay.org

  Queer Youth Nights, Drop-ins

- Rose Dynasty Foundation
  Email: jason@rosedynastyfoundationinc.org
  [www.rosedynastyfoundationinc.org](http://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](http://www.singershealth.com)  
Skype ID: doctorsoprano, email: wicklund@singershealth.com  
- Professor Emeritus, The Schools of Music and Communication Disorders, Western Michigan University  
- 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](http://www.wigsanmore.com), Email: debbiebarry@gmail.com

- **Wig Villa**  
  St. Petersburg  
  727-823-3100, [www.wigvillaonline.com](http://www.wigvillaonline.com), Email: wigvilla@verizon.net

- **Ritzy Rags**  
  Wigs, Breast Forms, Cosmetics  
  Orlando, FL  
  407-897-2117, [www.ritzyrags.com](http://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](http://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](http://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/](http://orlandoinstitute.com/), Email: michele@orlandoinstitute.com

- **Aesthetics by Karen Marlise**  
  10701 Village Green Ave, Seminole FL 33772  
  [www.tampabaylaserhairremoval.com](http://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

• 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
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
jmoble@legalaidocba.org, 407-790-6637, Civil Legal Aid
Mental Health Therapists

- **Kristie Overstreet LMHC, LPC, CAP, NCC**  
  Licensed Mental Health Counselor - Licensed Professional Counselor - Certified Sex Therapist - Certified Addiction Professional  
  Therapy Department  
  4540 Southside Boulevard Suite 401, Jacksonville, FL 32216  
  Email: [Kristie@TherapyDepartment.com](mailto:Kristie@TherapyDepartment.com), (904) 566-9256, [http://www.TherapyDepartment.com](http://www.TherapyDepartment.com)  

- **Noelle Pomeroy, PhD, LMHC**  
  Jacksonville Center for Sexual Health  
  12443 San Jose Blvd., Jacksonville, Florida 32223  
  [noelle@jaxsexualhealth.com](mailto:noelle@jaxsexualhealth.com), 904-383-7613  
  [www.jaxsexualhealth.com](http://www.jaxsexualhealth.com)

- **Dr. Jennifer Sager, Ph.D.**  
  1208 NW 6th Street Gainesville FL 32601  
  352-378-2829, [SagerITM@aol.com](mailto: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](mailto:info@drcharlesmartin.com)  
  [https://www.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/](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](mailto:mrw417@aol.com)  

- **Lisa J. Moore, LMHC**  
  2301 Park Avenue, 406-5, Orange Park, Florida, 32073  
  (904) 269-2931, [lisajmoorems@gmail.com](mailto:lisajmoorems@gmail.com)  
  [https://lisajmoorelmhc.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](mailto: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

• **Ieshai 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  
  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  
  Sliding scale. Private insurance. Provides HRT and Surgery letters.

- **Anne C. Hooton LMHC**  
  112 W Cervantes St, Pensacola, FL 32501 (850) 466-3200  
  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/](https://jaxtherapists.com/)

- **Authentic Self Counseling, LLC**  
  3733 University Blvd, Suite 112, Jacksonville FL 32217  
  akindland@authenticselfjax.com, 904-990-7117  
  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

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  2121 NW 40th Terr. Ste B. Gainesville, FL 32605 & 108 N. Magnolia, Suite 309, Ocala, FL 33475  
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  Haile Market Therapy & Behavioral Medicine
  2653 SW 87th Drive, Suite A, Gainesville, FL 32608
  352-331-0020
  https://hailemarkettherapy.com/

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  352.375.7756
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  352-265-4357

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  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/

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

- **Judith Asermely, LCSW**
  8825 Perimeter Park Blvd Jacksonville, FL 32216
  judithasermely@gmail.com
  (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**
• **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  
  alicia@counselingwithalicia.com  
  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](http://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](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
Endocrinologists
• **Michael Fox, MD, Endocrinologist**  
  Jacksonville Center for Reproductive Medicine  
  7051 Southpoint Pkwy, Suite 200  
  Jacksonville, FL 32216  
  904-493-2229  
  [www.jcrm.org](http://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  
  *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](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](http://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**  
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  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
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/](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](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](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/](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](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/](https://gainesvillegynecology.com/)

**PHARMACY**

- **TruLife Pharmacy**
  3516 Enterprise Way, Suite 7, Green Cove Springs FL 32043
  [frank@trulifepharmacy.net](mailto:frank@trulifepharmacy.net)
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  
  https://www.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 Jacksonville 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, Fl 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  

- **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.
transgendertallahassee@gmail.com
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, unflgbt@unf.edu
https://www.unf.edu/lgbtqcenter/

- **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@jasmyrn.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**
**General**

- **Jax Youth Equality**
  [https://jaxyouthequality.org/safe-place-resources/](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](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/](http://211atyourfingertips.org/)
  [https://www.crisiscenter.com/what-we-do/2-1-1-contact-center/](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
  [gainesvilleletransaffairs@gmail.com](mailto:gainesvilleletransaffairs@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
  alachuatranquility@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

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**NATIONAL RESOURCES**

**Legal**

- **Female to Male (FTM) International**
  [www.ftmi.org](http://www.ftmi.org)
  877-267-1440
  Email: [info@ftmi.org](mailto: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](http://www.transequality.org)
  Phone: 202-642-4542
  Email: [ncte@transequality.org](mailto: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](http://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/](https://www.aclu.org/know-your-rights/)
  LGBT & Aids Project:  [https://www.aclu.org/about-aclu-lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgender-aids-project](https://www.aclu.org/about-aclu-lesbian-gay-bisexual-transgender-aids-project)

- **National Association of Social Workers (NASW)**
  [https://www.socialworkers.org/](https://www.socialworkers.org/)

- **Help Starts Here**
  [https://www.helpstartshere.org/?p=1610](https://www.helpstartshere.org/?p=1610)

- **Sylvia Rivera Law Project**
  212-337-8550
  Email: info@srlp.org

- **TransYouth Family Allies**
  888-462-8932

- **OutServe-Servicemembers Legal Defense Network (SLDN)**
  P.O. Box 65301
  Washington, DC 20035
  [http://www.outserve-sldn.org](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/](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/](https://definingwellness.com/resources/bipoc-addiction-resources/)
  833. DWC.WELL
  [www.definingwellness.com](http://www.definingwellness.com)

### Education/Community Support

- **Tri-ESS National**
  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/](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](mailto:contact@StephanieSteenTherapy.com), [www.StephanieSteenTherapy.com](http://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](mailto:lisa@lisamoorelgbt.com), [http://lgbtwellnessssummit.com](http://lgbtwellnessssummit.com)
  It is free to register. [http://lgbtwellnessssummit.com/order/](http://lgbtwellnessssummit.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](mailto:Kristie@TherapyDepartment.com), [www.TherapyDepartment.com](http://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/](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](http://www.allurenj.com)

- **HealthLabs.com**
  5821 Southwest Fwy, Houston, TX 77057
  [christopher@medology.com](mailto:christopher@medology.com), 1-800-579-3914

- **HealthyTrans**
  [https://www.healthytrans.com/](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/](http://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)
• 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 at http://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 notary public or deputy clerk. You should file the original with the clerk of the circuit court 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. You may not request a hearing on the petition if you have not obtained fingerprints, and the results have not been received by the clerk of court.

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 petitioner 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 final hearing 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, family law intake staff, or judicial assistant about the local procedure for setting a hearing. You may be required to attend the hearing. Included in these forms is a Final Judgment of Change of Name (Family), 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 final judgment form 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 order. This officially changes your family’s name. The clerk can provide you with certified copies 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.
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