



OPENING DOORS
IMPROVING THE LEGAL SYSTEM'S APPROACH
TO LGBTQ YOUTH IN FOSTER CARE
PROJECT

Resources

ABA Center on Children and the Law: Opening Doors for LGBTQ Youth in Foster Care Project:

<http://new.abanet.org/child/Pages/lgbtq.youth.wheretohelp.education.aspx>

Companion **It's Your Life** interactive site for LGBTQ Youth:

<http://new.abanet.org/child/Pages/lgbtq.youth.aspx>

American Psychological Association: Understanding sexual orientation and gender identity:

www.apa.org/topics/sexuality/index.aspx

Child Welfare League of America (CWLA): LGBTQ Youth Issues: www.cwla.org/programs/culture/glbqtq.htm

Equity Project: fairness and equality for LGBT youth in juvenile delinquency: www.equityproject.org

Gay and Lesbian Straight Education Network (GLSEN): Organization for students, parents, and teachers that tries to affect positive change in schools: www.glsen.org

Harvard Implicit Association Test: scientific test of implicit associations on gender and orientation.

<https://implicit.harvard.edu/implicit/demo/>

Human Rights Campaign: resources and training on LGBTQ for foster parents and youth: www.hrc.org

Lambda Legal: The nation's oldest and largest legal organization working for the civil rights of lesbians, gay men, and people with HIV/AIDS. www.lambdalegal.org

National Association of Social Workers (NASW): Gay, lesbian, bisexual and Transgender Issues:

www.naswdc.org/diversity/new/glbqt.asp

National CASA: LGBTQ Issues/Bias in decision-making:

www.casaforchildren.org/site/c.mtJSJ7MPIsE/b.6152977/k.A9F7/Online_Resources.htm

National Center for Lesbian Rights (NCLR): LGBT legal developments: www.nclrights.org/site/PageServer
(source of "Breaking the Silence" DVD)

Safe Schools Coalition: state-by-state resource guide: www.safeschoolscoalition.org/blackboard-organizations.html

Trevor Project: Suicide prevention and Lifeline hotline: 866-4-U-TREVOR (866-488-7346) It Gets Better Campaign: www.thetrevorproject.org

Williams Institute: Advances sexual orientation law and public policy through rigorous, independent research and scholarship: www.law.ucla.edu/williamsinstitute/home.html

World Professional Health Association for Transgender Health (WPATH): www.wpath.org

YES Institute: the source of education on gender and orientation: www.yesinstitute.org