

# MNSOC Member Organizations

<p><b>AMAZE</b> 612-724-4323 P.O. Box 17417 Minneapolis, MN 55417 www.amazeworks.org</p>	<p>AMAZE works to create caring, safe learning communities for all children. Our Families All Matter Book Project, persona dolls and activities develop the awareness, empathy and skills that kids need to stop bullying and respect differences. AMAZE's staff training and standards-aligned, age-leveled classroom tools are great for K-5 schools, after-school programs, preschools, childcare centers, etc.</p>
<p><b>Annex Teen Clinic</b> 763-533-1316 5810 42nd Avenue North Robbinsdale, MN 55422</p>	<p>The Annex Teen Clinic provides low cost, confidential, nonjudgmental sexuality-related health care for adolescents and young adults through age 23. We provide sexuality-related health care services in a friendly and comfortable setting. We also facilitate fact-based education for young people, parents, professionals and community members.</p>
<p><b>Avalon Charter School</b> 651-649-5495 700 Glendale Street; Saint Paul, MN 55114</p>	<p>Avalon School prepares students for college and life in a strong, nurturing community that inspires active learning, engaged citizenship, and hope for the future.</p>
<p><b>The Birds &amp; Bees Project of Pro-Choice Resources</b> info@birdsandbees.org 612-821-9795</p>	<p>The Birds &amp; Bees Project provides comprehensive reproductive health information to youth and adults, including Internet-based education, classroom-based education, and community outreach. We offer information and values-clarification skills to help individuals make healthy decisions. We seek to resonate with the realities of young people's lives, inclusive of all races, religions, ages, cultures, sexual orientations, genders and abilities.</p>
<p><b>Brooklyn Center Jr./Sr. High Health Resource Center</b> 763-561-2120 6500 Humboldt Ave. N. Brooklyn Center, MN 55430</p>	
<p><b>Color CoordiNATION</b> 612-382-5072</p>	<p>COLOR coordiNATION connects, creates and promotes queer communities of color. We provide community connection and referral services, collaborate with community partners and businesses to provide safe space venues that educate, engage, nourish and uplift queer culture and communities.</p>
<p><b>District 202</b> 651-340-6167 PO Box 8139 St. Paul, MN 55108</p>	<p>District 202 continues to empower LGBT youth through a unique blend of programs, face-to-face interaction throughout the Twin Cities and online engagement through our secure social networking site. Creating safe spaces online and throughout the Twin Cities is the most efficient and effective use of our and our community's resources.</p>
<p><b>East Central MN PFLAG</b> s_endicott@yahoo.com 113 S. Grove St. Mora, MN 55051</p>	
<p><b>Face to Face Health and Counseling</b> 651-772-5555 1165 Arcade Street Saint Paul MN 55106</p>	<p>Face to Face serves more than 3,200 homeless and underserved youth and young adults ages 11 to 23 annually in the greater twin cities area. We accomplish our mission by providing integrated mental health, medical, and case management services to youth and families. And providing services specifically to homeless, runaway, and at-risk youth.</p>
<p><b>Family Tree Clinic</b> 651-645-0478 1619 Dayton Ave Suite 205 St. Paul MN, 55104</p>	<p>Family Tree Clinic's mission is to cultivate a healthy community through comprehensive sexual health care and education. We are committed to sexual and reproductive health care access. We work toward this goal every day with a three-pronged approach: Clinic Services, Education, and engagement in public policy work.</p>
<p><b>First Christian Church Open Table (Disciples of Christ)</b> opentable@fccminneapolis.org 612-870-1868 2201 First Avenue South Minneapolis, MN 55404</p>	<p>Open Table is a ministry of support, fellowship and welcome to GLBT persons and allies who seek to follow Christ and welcomed to First Christian. We seek to be an active and visible presence through fellowship (potlucks and game nights) as well as advocacy.</p>

<b>GLBT-Kids: Abuse Intervention Program -The Family Partnership</b>	GLBT-Kids offers support, referrals, resources, training and connections about and for GLBT (gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender) youth - who are or have experienced abuse or mistreatment - and for their families, caregivers, professional and others who care about them.
lcombs@thefamilypartnership.org 612-728-2079 877-452-8543	
<b>GLBTQ Online High School</b>	Our mission is to provide a safe and welcoming educational community that provides a high quality, comprehensive college-preparatory online high school experience for students who are GLBT youth, or those questioning their sexuality or gender, and others.
info@glbtqonlinehighschool.com 612-877-4101	
<b>Join the Impact Twin Cities</b>	Join the Impact (JTI) is part of a loosely affiliated local grassroots organizers and activists with one common goal – Full Federal Equality for LGBTQ People. Using education, community organizing and direct action, JTI-TC is fighting federal, state and local laws that codify discrimination on the basis of gender expression and sexuality and the anti-LGBTQ environments they help create.
612-872-8266 Grace Trinity Community Church 1430 West 28th Street Minneapolis, MN 55408	
<b>Keewaydin School</b>	
612-668-4670 5209 30th Avenue South Minneapolis, Minnesota 55417	
<b>Metropolitan State University GLBT Support Services</b>	The Gender and Sexuality Support Services provides safe spaces for all members of the Metropolitan State University community to explore, organize, and promote learning around issues of gender and sexuality.
sidney.gardner@metrostate.edu 651-793-1544	
<b>Minnesota Department of Education, HIV/STI Prevention Program</b>	The MDE HIV/STI program is part of the Minnesota Coordinated school Health Initiative funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta. The goals of the program are to increase the number of schools implementing specific, effective HIV prevention policies and practices, and to increase implementation of school-based programs and strategies to reduce health disparities among youth disproportionately affected by HIV infection
Mary.Thissen-Miulder@state.mn.us	
<b>MN GLBTA Campus Alliance</b>	The Minnesota GLBTA Campus Alliance is a statewide coalition of students, staff, faculty, alumni, and community members uniting for change on college and university campuses. We offer events, programming, and opportunities aimed at building community, developing leaders, and creating welcoming, affirming, and safe environments for GLBTA individuals.
info@mncampusalliance.org 2136 Ford Parkway #131 Saint Paul, MN 55116	
<b>Minnesota Online High School</b>	Minnesota Online High School (MNOHS) is a state-approved, public online high school open to Minnesota students in grades 9 through 12. Our entire curriculum, from Physical Education to AP Calculus to Elements of Music to Genre Studies, is developed by our own teachers who hold a Minnesota license to teach in each of their assigned subject areas.
info@mnohs.org 612-735-8386 2314 University Avenue West, Ste. 10 St. Paul, MN 55114	
<b>MN Transgender Health Coalition</b>	The Minnesota Transgender Health Coalition is committed to improving health care access and the quality of health care received by trans and gender nonconforming people through education, resources, and advocacy.
mntransdirector@gmail.com 612-823-1152 3405 Chicago Ave, Suite 103 Minneapolis, MN 55407	
<b>Out 4 Good: Minneapolis Public Schools</b>	Out4Good is dedicated to creating safe and supportive schools for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender students, families, teachers and staff in the Minneapolis Public School District. Out4Good promotes K-12 student achievement by providing direct support to GLBT students, staff and families. Improving the school climate in every school by nurturing respect for all. Educating the district community about the principles of anti-discrimination, anti-violence and inclusively.
out4good@mpls.k12.mn.us 612-668-5482 425 Fifth Street NE Minneapolis, MN 55413	

<p><b>Outfront Minnesota</b>  inquiries@outfront.org.  612-822-0127  310 East 38th Street, Suite 204  Minneapolis, MN 55409-1337</p>	<p>OutFront Minnesota's mission is to create a powerful statewide movement to end all forms of LGBT discrimination through delivery of services to the LGBT and allied communities in the areas of advocacy, public policy and education and training. As a progressive organization, OutFront Minnesota is committed to advocating for LGBT rights and equality. OutFront Minnesota fights to make our state a place where LGBT Minnesotans have the freedom, power, and confidence to make the best choices for their own lives.</p>
<p><b>Outward Spiral Theatre Company</b></p>	
<p><b>The Naming Project</b>  staff@thenamingproject.org</p>	<p>The goal of The Naming Project is to provide a safe and sacred space where youth of all sexual orientations and gender identities are named and claimed by a loving God; can explore and share faith; experience healthy and life-giving community; reach out to others; and advocate for systemic change in church and society.</p>
<p><b>PFLAG – Twin Cities</b>  contactus@pflagtc.com  612-825-1660  PFLAG Twin Cities  Box 19290  Minneapolis, MN 55419</p>	<p>PFLAG promotes the health and well-being of GLBT persons, their families and friends through: Support to cope with an adverse society Education to enlighten an ill-informed public Advocacy to end discrimination and to secure equal civil rights. PFLAG also provides opportunity for dialogue about sexual orientation and gender identity, and acts to create a society that is healthy and respectful of human diversity.</p>
<p><b>Plymouth Christian Youth Center (PCYC)</b>  612-522-6501  2210 Oliver Avenue North  Minneapolis, MN 55411-1878</p>	<p>To enrich the skills, prospects and spirit of North Minneapolis area youth and adults, in partnership with families and communities.</p>
<p><b>Point Northwest</b>  612-230-9622</p>	<p>The YMCA POINT Northwest program is a 24-hour crisis intervention and mediation program for youth and their families, ages 10-21, in Northwest Hennepin County, who are on run, thinking of running away, homeless, precariously housed, or transitioning out of foster care, group home, and correctional placements.</p>
<p><b>Rainbow Health Initiative</b>  612-206-3180  3249 Hennepin Ave South  Suite 45  Minneapolis MN 55408</p>	<p>Our mission is advancing the health and wellness of the LGBTQ communities through EDUCATION, RESEARCH, and ADVOCACY. By exploring our website, you'll learn of the many ways we work towards our goals. You'll see the programs we direct, some that we help fund, and you'll notice numerous community activities designed to gather us socially while learning more about the unique health challenges that affect us.</p>
<p><b>Rainbow Rumpus</b>  612-721-6442  Rainbow Rumpus  PO Box 6881  Minneapolis, MN 55406</p>	<p>Rainbow Rumpus is the world's only online literary magazine for children and youth with LGBT parents. We provide a safe, fun, and empowering place for young people to create and enjoy art, break through isolation, build community, and take action to make the world a better place.</p>
<p><b>RARE Productions</b>  <a href="mailto:Roxanne@rareproductionsmpls.com">Roxanne@rareproductionsmpls.com</a>  352-584-9907</p>	<p>RARE Productions is an arts and entertainment media production company. We promote, produce, and co-create opportunities and events utilizing innovative artistic methods and strategies. Through engaging LGBTQ Artists of Color and allies, RARE Productions seeks to unite communities and families in healing relationships and bridging cultural gaps via the vast mediums of art. Areas of focus are health, wellness, social justice, environmental justice, economic justice and planetary health.</p>
<p><b>St. Cloud State- GLBT Services</b>  lgbt@stcloudstate.edu  320-308-5166</p>	<p>The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender Resource Center at St. Cloud State University is dedicated to providing an inclusive and educational environment for all SCSU students, staff, faculty, alumni, allies, and the community at large.</p>

<b>Shades of Yellow (SOY)</b> community@shadesofyellow.org 651-309-0037 Shades of Yellow 379 University Ave. W. #213 St. Paul, MN 55103	Shades of Yellow is a nonprofit Hmong LGBTQ organization that provides support, education, and advocacy to Hmong LGBTQ and allies. We are committed to creating a community that is aware of the issues that Hmong LGBTQ face. We are base out of the Twin Cities, MN. While we have capacity here, we are committed to providing support and education all across the nation if needed.
<b>2 Stories PLC</b> Julie@2stories.com	At 2 Stories, Julie is interested in creating conversations with you that generate a multiplicity of stories that you prefer to live. Julie sees school-aged kids, youth, and adults in therapy for most problems that make trouble in peoples' lives. For Julie, it's not so much about what problems people are up against, but how she works in partnership with people to take a stand against problems.
<b>Together for Youth</b> 218-726-4889	Together for Youth is a social/support group in Duluth for gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender (GLBT) teenagers, or those questioning their sexual orientation. Together provides a safe environment for young people to find information, friendship, and community. Our service strives to provide youth a safe place to talk about feelings and concerns, a supportive place to meet other people and a trustworthy place to get accurate information.
<b>Trans Youth Support Network (TYSN)</b> transyouthsupportnetwork@gmail.com 612-208-9762 Trans Youth Support Network 3405 Chicago Ave S. Minneapolis, MN 55407	Our mission is to promote racial, social, and economic justice for trans youth, with the freedom to self-define gender identity and expression. We do this through training, educating, and connecting youth serving organizations. Our work is consistently shaped and directed by trans youth.
<b>Transgender Commission at the University of Minnesota</b> TransCom@umn.edu 612-626-3064	The University of Minnesota Transgender Commission works to create equity, access, and an inclusive environment for people of all genders through education, advocacy, and institutional change.
<b>Unity Church-Unitarian</b> http://www.unityunitarian.org Unity Church Unitarian 732 Holly Avenue • St. Paul, MN 55104 651-228-1456	Rainbow Chalice Alliance is a Outreach Ministry Social Justice Team of Unity Church-Unitarian. We actively support LGBTQ youth by helping create or foster safe space and access to supportive adults, advocating for safe and respectful school environments, and increasing awareness of the community at-large of the needs of LGBTQ youth. We also help to raise the awareness of youth that they have support in the broader community.
<b>University of Minnesota Duluth GLBT Services</b> anichols@d.umn.edu 218-726-7300	The mission of the GLBT Services Office is to develop, coordinate, implement and evaluate programs and services that affirm GLBT people and their allies in support of their academic success and social development, while encouraging an environment which promotes and appreciates multiculturalism
<b>Welcoming Schools</b> Johanna Eager, Regional Consultant johannaeager@gmail.com 612-987-3213 welcomingschools.org	Welcoming Schools is an LGBT-inclusive approach to addressing family diversity, gender stereotyping and bullying and name-calling in K-5 learning environments. Welcoming Schools provides administrators, educators and parents/guardians with the resources necessary to create learning environments in which all learners are welcomed and respected.
<b>West Suburban Teen Clinic</b> 478 2nd Street Excelsior, MN 55331	West Suburban Teen Clinic is a nonprofit organization serving young people ages 12-23, their parents and the general community in Western Hennepin, Carver and Scott Counties. We provide basic medical care, reproductive health care and education, and mental health counseling in an environment that is comfortable and welcoming to teens and young adults.
<b>Woodbury High School – Gay Straight</b>	

\* GLBT stands for Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender

