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Office of General Counsel

- **The Office of General Counsel** provides legal advice and responds to litigation on behalf of the district.
 - (213) 241-7600
- **The Office of Student Civil Rights** responds to and investigates allegations of bullying, discrimination and harassment based on protected categories, and provides support, resources and legal and compliance training on the rights of students.
 - (213) 241-7682
- **The Equal Opportunity Section** responds to and investigates allegations of employee-to-employee and student-to-employee harassment and discrimination due to one or more of the protected categories.
 - (323) 564-7094

The Division of Instruction

- **Health Education Programs** provide prevention education on violence, alcohol, tobacco and other drugs. They also provide support and PD on social emotional learning programs and practices for school site implementation.
 - (213) 241-3570
- **Interscholastic Athletics**
 - (213) 241-5847

Los Angeles School Police

- Los Angeles School Police responds to and investigates allegations of hate-motivated crimes.
 - (213) 625-6631

Student Health and Human Services

- **Student Health and Human Services** supports students, families and staff to cultivate a safe, healthy, welcoming and affirming learning and working environment where all students thrive and graduate as empowered members of society.
 - (213) 241-3840
- **Human Relations, Diversity & Equity** promotes affirming learning and working environments through support services and professional development in the areas of bullying prevention and response, LGBTQ+ advocacy, and educational resources. HRDE manages the OUT for Safe Schools campaigns and badges and the Schoology Groups LAUSD Pride and GSA Advisors.
 - (213) 241-0754
- **School Mental Health** provides services for families and students to support students' access to instruction. The Suicide Prevention Unit supports District crisis teams and student health personnel with suicide intervention/prevention.
 - (213) 241-3841
- **Student Discipline and Expulsion** ensures fair and equitable practices in relation to expulsion proceedings and the spectrum of discipline.
 - (213) 202-7555



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LGBTQ RESOURCES Related Policies

<u>BUL-5212</u>	Bullying and Hazing Policy (Student-to- Student and Student-to-Adult)
<u>MEM-5466</u>	Calendar of Commemorative Dates and Observances
<u>BUL-2433</u>	Challenging the Content of a Pupil Record
<u>REF-1303</u>	Commencement Guidelines
<u>BUL-1295</u>	Diploma and Graduation Guidelines
<u>BUL-6231</u>	Discipline Foundation Policy: School-Wide Positive Behavior Intervention and Support
<u>BUL-6718</u>	Educational Rights and Guidelines for Youth in Foster Care, Experiencing Homelessness and/or Involved in the Juvenile Justice System
<u>BUL-6224</u>	Gender Equity and Students – Ensuring Equity and Nondiscrimination
<u>BUL-6285</u>	Guidelines for Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity Inclusive Education
<u>BUL-5072</u>	Meetings of Student Groups
<u>BUL-5703</u>	Names and/or Gender of Pupils for Purposes of School Records
<u>BUL-6612</u>	Nondiscrimination and Anti-Harassment (Including Sexual Harassment) Policy and Complaint Procedure
<u>MEM-5818</u>	Nondiscrimination Required Notices and Ordering of Student Brochures
<u>BUL-2047</u>	Hate-Motivated Incidents and Crimes – Response and Reporting
<u>REF-6799</u>	Sex-Specific and All-Gender Single and Multiple User Restrooms
<u>BUL-6494</u>	Student Dress Codes/Uniforms
<u>BUL-2637</u>	Suicide Prevention, Intervention and Postvention (Students)
<u>BUL-5479</u>	Teaching About Religions
<u>BUL-2521</u>	Title IX Policy/Complaint Procedures
<u>REF-5259</u>	Use of New Student Enrollment Form
<u>BUL-141509</u>	Affirming Transgender, Nonbinary and Gender Diverse Employees

Educational Resources

[Advocates for Youth](#)
[Family Acceptance Project](#)
[GLSEN](#)
[Los Angeles Public Library](#)

[Project U Los Angeles](#)
[Safe Schools Coalition](#)
[SEX, etc.](#)
[Learning for Justice \(fka Teaching Tolerance\)](#)

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211 LA County is the central source for providing information and referrals for all health and human services in LA County. The phone line is open 24 hours, 7 days a week, with trained Community Resource Advisors prepared to offer help with any situation. (800) 339-6993

AIDS Project Los Angeles' (APLA) Youth Programs offers free sexual health STI/HIV education and interventions, support groups for youth and young adults, peer to peer counseling, access to health medical services, and social activities. (323) 329-9910

Bienestar Human Services' eight locations provide culturally and linguistically appropriate services for the Latino community. Services for LGBTQ youth include social events, peer support groups, HIV/STD testing, mental health services, and programs for HIV positive individuals. Sabores Youth Program (323) 727-7896

Childrens' Hospital, The Center for Transyouth Health and Development promotes healthy futures for transyouth by providing services, research, training and capacity building that is developmentally informed, affirmative, compassionate and holistic for gender non-conforming children and transyouth. (323) 361-5372

COLORS: LGBTQ Youth Counseling and Community Center is a safe and confidential space for LGBTQ or label-free youth under the age of 25 and their allies. COLORS offers free mental health services, community building and educational support, and social and creative activities for individuals, couples, groups and families. (323) 953-5130; Email: info@coloryouth.org

Cityx1 offers social activities and peer-to-peer counseling for LGBTQ youth. (310) 712-3918; Email: webmail@cityx1.com

Gay and Lesbian Armenian Society (GALAS) offers a safe and supportive environment for LGBTQ Armenians for emotional, spiritual, cultural and professional growth. GALAS also offers academic scholarships for high school and college students and psychotherapy sessions. (310) 203-1587; Email: galas@galasla.org

Genders & Sexualities Alliance (GSA) Network connects school-based GSAs to each other and community resources. Through peer support, and leadership development, the GSA Network supports young people in creating safe learning environments, educating the community about homophobia, gender identity and sexual orientation issues, and fighting discrimination/harassment and violence in schools. (415) 552-4229; Email: info@gsanetwork.org

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Healthy City provides data to understand health and equity in California. <https://www.healthycity.org>

Latino Equality Alliance's mission is to promote liberty, equality, and justice for the Latino/a Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer+ community. LEA is located at Mi Centro LGBTQ Community Center in Boyle Heights. (323) 286-7224, www.latinoequalityalliance.org

Muslims for Progressive Values envisions a future where Islam is understood as a source of dignity, justice, compassion and love for all humanity. They offer services, resources and events for LGBTQI Muslims and allies. www.mpvusa.org/lgbtqi-resources

ONE Institute's National Gay and Lesbian Archives houses the world's largest research library on LGBTQ heritage, honors the past, celebrates the present, and enriches the future of all LGBTQ people. ONE is dedicated to collecting, preserving, documenting, studying, and communicating LGBTQ history, challenges and aspirations. (213) 741-0094; <https://www.oneinstitute.org/>

PFLAG provides culturally and linguistically appropriate support and resources for LGBTQ+ persons and families throughout LA County, and facilitates presentations by LGBTQ+ persons and family members for students, parents and the community. (888) 735-2488; www.pflagla.org; Email: president@pflagla.org

Reach LA's mission is to engage and empower young LGBTQ people of color and their communities. The programs include HIV prevention education, sexual and reproductive health for women of color, LGBTQ youth issues, youth leadership and public policy. (213) 622-1650; www.reachla.info Email: reachla@earthlink.net

South Bay Gay and Lesbian Center provides activities for education, social interaction, personal growth, political empowerment, and public understanding of the South Bay LGBTQ community. (310) 328-6550; www.southbaycenter.org

TEENLINE offers a Crisis Line, Suicide Youth Panel, LGBTQ Youth Panel, Youth Listening Line. (310) 855-4673; www.teenlineonline.org

Transforming Family creates a positive environment for children, adolescents and their families to explore issues of gender identity. www.transformingfamily.org

The Trevor Project is a nationwide, 24-hour suicide prevention helpline for LGBTQ youth.

The Wall-Las Memorias is a community health and wellness organization serving Latino, LGBT and other underserved populations through advocacy, education and building the next generation of leadership. (323) 257-1056 www.thewalllasmemorias.org

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The Los Angeles LGBTQ Center offers health, social services & housing, culture & education, and leadership & advocacy for LGBTQ individuals and families at seven locations in Los Angeles: (323) 993-7400; www.lagaycenter.org

- Calendar of Events
- LifeWorks offers individual, peer, and group mentoring opportunities for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer and questioning youth ages 12-24. Lifework's goal is to help LGBTQ youth to realize their goals and dreams with a safe space, positive and affirming role models, workshops, and activities that are fun and educational. www.lifeworksla.org
- Lifeworks also produces the LGBTQ+ Youth Scholarship Awards and the annual Models of Pride conference www.modelsofpride.org
- Trans Wellness Center provides comprehensive resources and services for transgender and non-binary people. Services include medical and sexual health services, social support groups, youth services, mental health service, housing, legal services, employment, benefits enrollment, clothing closet and research. <https://mytranswellness.org/>
- Legal Services include consultation and referral, hate crime assistance, intimate partner/domestic violence assistance, asylum assistance, transgender services, legal assistance and advocacy.
- Youth Services for LGBTQ youth ages 18-24 years include temporary housing or housing referrals, meals, showers, clothing and laundry services, education program, HIV testing and counseling, addiction recovery services, employment program, computer lab, recreational activities, art/music groups, counseling and support groups.

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