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To learn more about the LITE study or if there are any questions regarding this resource booklet, contact Chloe Jordan at 404.251.8991, 470.499.4590, or e-mail liteATL@jhu.edu
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Transgender Day of Visibility  
March 31st

Nat’l Transgender HIV Testing Day  
April 18th

Stonewall Memorial  
June 28th

Atlanta Black Gay Pride  
Labor Day Weekend  
www.atlantaprideweekend.com

Atlanta Pride  
2nd Full Weekend in October  
www.atlantapride.org

Atlanta Trans Parade  
Saturday of Atlanta Pride

Trans Day of Remembrance  
November 20th

Trans Day of Resilience  
November 20th

ELECTROLYSIS & ESTHETICIANS

Mishael’s Electrolysis Center  
5825 Glenridge Drive, NE Bldg.1, Ste 103  
Atlanta // 404.843.9993  
www.mecatlanta.com

Fair Skin Spa  
2410 Camellia Ln NE  
Atlanta // 229.699.6232  
www.fairskinspa.com

Diamond Facez  
175 West Wieuca Rd NE  
Atlanta // 770.313.8516  
www.dfacez.com

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### Clothing Sources

1. **RCR Consignment Boutique**  
   C1, 22 Bennett St. NW  
   Atlanta // 404.400.3699  
   www.rcrconsignment.com

2. **Snatched and Layed**  
   238 Walker St SW #1,  
   Atlanta // 404.769.6878  
   www.snatchedandlayed.com

3. **Out of the Closet**  
   1858 Cheshire Bridge Rd NE  
   Atlanta // 404.447.6473  
   www.outofthecloset.org

4. **Janet’s Closet**  
   www.janetscloset.com

5. **Lost-N-Found Thrift Store***  
   2585 Chantilly Dr. NE, Atlanta and  
   6409 Jimmy Carter Blvd. #700, Norcross  
   678.856.7824  
   www.lnfy.org/thrift-store  
   *Lost-N-Found Thrift Store is open to the public for regular sales but one must be 18-26 and registered through facility intake to receive free goods

### Affirming Places of Worship

1. **Real Inspiration Ministries**  
   659 Larkin St. SW  
   Atlanta // 404.284.3113  
   www.rimatlanta.org

2. **New Covenant Church of Atlanta**  
   2091 Faulkner Rd.  
   Atlanta // 404.929.1400  
   www.newcovenantatlanta.com

3. **Tabernacle Baptist Church**  
   1041 Moreland Dr.  
   Atlanta // 404.876.3777  
   www.tbcatlanta.net

4. **Covenant Presbyterian Church**  
   2461 Peachtree Rd, NE  
   Atlanta // 404.237.0363  
   www.covpresatlanta.org

5. **Impact Church - East Point (UMC)**  
   2323 Sylvan Rd,  
   Atlanta // 404.577.2826  
   www.impactdoingchurchdifferently.org

6. **St. Mark United Methodist Church**  
   781 Peachtree St NW,  
   Atlanta // 404.873.2636  
   www.stmarkumc.org
EMERGENCY SHELTERS AND HOUSING

- Atlanta Center for Self Sufficiency (ACSS)
  460 Edgewood Ave SE
  Atlanta // 404.874.8001
  www.atlantacss.org

- Trans Housing Atlanta Program (THAP)
  1530 Dekalb Ave. NE, Suite A
  Atlanta // 404.458.7948
  www.transhousingatlanta.org

- Crossroads Community Ministries
  420 Courtland Street NE
  Atlanta // 404.873.7650
  www.crossroadsatlanta.org

- Atlanta Children’s Shelter
  607 Peachtree Street NE
  Atlanta // 404.892.3713
  www.acsatl.org

- Atlanta Mission
  2353 Bolton Rd. NW (admin)
  Atlanta // 404.588.4000
  www.atlantamission.org

- HOPE Atlanta
  34 Peachtree Street NW, Ste 700
  Atlanta // 404.817.7070
  www.hopeatlanta.org

- Gateway Center
  275 Pryor St. SW
  Atlanta // 404.215.6600
  www.gatewayctr.org

- Jerusalem House
  17 Executive Park Drive, Ste 290
  Atlanta // 404.350.1633
  www.jerusalemhouse.org

- Living Room
  50 Hurts Plaza, ste 1200
  Atlanta // 404.600.8081
  www.livingroomatl.org

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<td>Our House</td>
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<td>404.522.6056</td>
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<td>Zaban Couples</td>
<td>1605 Peachtree St NE</td>
<td>404.872.2915</td>
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<td>Nicholas House</td>
<td>830 Boulevard SE</td>
<td>404.622.0793</td>
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<td>Caring Works</td>
<td>2785 Lawrenceville Hwy, Ste 205</td>
<td>404.371.1230</td>
<td><a href="http://www.caringworksinc.org">www.caringworksinc.org</a></td>
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SUPPORT GROUPS

ACLU of Georgia (School Rights)
1100 Spring St NW
Atlanta // 770.303.9966
www.acluga.org

Georgia Equality, Inc.
1530 DeKalb Ave. NE A,
Atlanta // 404.523.3070
www.georgiaequality.org

Aniz, Inc.
233 Forsyth St. SW, Suite 300
Atlanta // 404.521.2410
www.aniz.org

Belong
www.belong.lgbt

Lambda Legal Defense Fund
730 Peachtree St. NW
Atlanta // 404.897.1880
www.lambdalegal.org

Southerns on New Ground
580 Holderness St. SW
Atlanta // 404.549.8628
www.southernersonnewground.org

A Vision 4 Hope, Inc.
5532 Old National Hwy. Ste 100 #G
College Park // 678.705.3814
www.avision4hope.org

George Crisis & Access Line
1.800.715.4225

Transgender Health & Education Alliance (THEA)
1530 DeKalb Ave, Atlanta
www.transhealtheducation.org

Someone Cares, Inc. of Atlanta
236 Forsyth St, Suite 204
Atlanta // 678.921.2706
www.someonecaresatl.org

Latino LinQ
678.744.LINQ (5467)
latinolinq@gmail.com
www.latinolinq.org

Belong
www.belong.lgbt

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
1.800.273.8255
Atlanta Legal Aid Society
54 Ellis Street, NW, Atlanta
404.524.5811 (main)
404.614.3980 (Name Change Project)
404.614.3969 (AIDS Legal Project)
www.atlantalegalaid.org

Alphabet Soup
3811 Brockton Place, Decatur
www.alphabetsoupatlanta.com

Transgender Law Center (TLC)
Micky Bradford, Regional Organizer
micky@transgenderlawcenter.org

La Gender Inc. S.W.I.T.C.H
Trans Support Group
1st & 3rd Wednesday’s 6pm-8pm
2861 Eastpoint St.
Atlanta // 404.819.7864
www.facebook.com/lagenderinc

Wellspring Counseling Center North
Fulton Teen Trans Support Group
700 Old Roswell Lakes Pkwy., Ste 300
Roswell // 678.431.3901
Anna Baxter, abaxterga@gmail.com

Hour of Power (HOP) Positive Impact Trans Support Group
523 Church St,
Decatur // 404.589.9040
www.positiveimpacthealthcenters.org
*(to find out dates contact Tori Cooper at 678.990.6438 or tori.cooper@PIHCGA.org)

Families First Counseling Services for Individuals, Couples, and Families
80 Joseph E. Lowery Blvd. NW
Atlanta // 404.853.2800
www.familiesfirst.org

Dr. Joshua M. Noblitt
Various form of Therapy
781 Peachtree St. NE,
Atlanta // 404.981.0901
www.joshuanoblitt.com

Wellspring Counseling Center North
Fulton Adult Trans Support Group
700 Old Roswell Lakes Pkwy., Ste 300
Roswell // 678.431.3901
Anna Derenthal, annalisaderenthal@gmail.com

Alphabet Soup
3811 Brockton Place, Decatur
www.alphabetsoupatlanta.com

TransThriving @ ThrivingHeart
158 Moreland Ave. SE,
Atlanta // 404.257.6757
www.thivingheart.com

Transgender Law Center (TLC)
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micky@transgenderlawcenter.org
Government Resources

- **Housing Urban Development (HUD)**
  Five Points Plaza Building, 40 Marietta Street, Atlanta
  Part of HUD’s mission is to give every person and family access to a safe, secure and affordable home including ensuring fair and equal access to housing for all Americans, regardless of their sexual orientation, gender identity or marital status. HUD is working to promote, strengthen and create opportunities for LGBTQ inclusion in its federal programs and regulations.

- **City of Atlanta LGBT Services**
  55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 5000, Atlanta
  404.546.4171 // www.atlantaga.gov
  The Mayor’s Adviser on LGBT Issues counsels on issues arising on the local, state and national levels. She also works with community groups to identify strategies for achieving equal protection and treatment for Atlanta’s LGBT residents, workers and visitor.

- **Atlanta Housing Authority**
  230 John Wesley Dobbs Ave. NE, Atlanta
  404.892.4700 // www.atlantahousing.org
  The City of Atlanta has established a Human Relations Commission (HRC) to promote mutual respect and understanding within the city of Atlanta. The HRC investigates and hears complaints regarding discrimination, makes recommendations on how to resolve such complaints, and initiates activities in keeping with its mission.

- **Office of Constituent Services**
  Atlanta Human Relations Commission
  55 Trinity Avenue, Atlanta
  Investigates and hears complaints regarding discrimination, makes recommendations on how to resolve such complaints, and initiates activities in keeping with its mission.
The Atlanta Citizens Review Board (ACRB)
55 Trinity Avenue, SW Suite 9100 Atlanta
404.865.8622 // www.atlantaga.gov
The ACRB ensures that city departments are directly responsible for public safety; particularly the Police Department and the Department of Corrections have the proper support of the government and its various agencies. It is designed to provide citizen oversight of misconduct accusations against sworn members of the police and corrections departments in the City of Atlanta.

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
100 Alabama Street, SW, Suite 4R30, Atlanta
1.800.669.4000 // www.eeoc.gov
Responsible for enforcing federal laws that make it illegal to discriminate against a job applicant or an employee because of the person’s race, color, religion, sex (gender identity, and sexual orientation), national origin, age, disability or genetic information. It is also illegal to discriminate against a person because the person complained about discrimination, filed a charge of discrimination, or participated in an employment discrimination investigation or lawsuit.

Housing Authority of DeKalb County (HADC)
750 Commerce Drive, Ste 201, Decatur
404.270.2500 // www.dekalbhousing.org
We strive for excellence and are working daily to maximize our resources and funding to develop new housing solutions, improve the properties we own, enhance resident services for seniors and those with disabilities, and deliver programs to help our clients achieve self-sufficiency and economic independence.

Housing Authority of Fulton County
4273 Wendell Drive, Atlanta
404.588.4950 // www.hafc.org
The Housing Authority of Fulton County creates housing opportunities for low- to moderate-income citizens of Fulton County.
The Georgia Commission on Equal Opportunity was created to safeguard individuals within the State of Georgia from discrimination in public employment based on race, color, religion, national origin, sex handicap and age with respect to employment.

The Georgia Department of Labor provides a wide range of services to job seekers and employers. These include administration of Georgia’s unemployment insurance, employment service, provision of workforce information to the public and private sectors, and oversight of child labor issues.

The United States Attorney’s Office enforces and defends the laws of the United States through the prosecution of criminal cases brought by the Federal government, and the litigation and defense of civil cases in which the United States is a party. The United States Attorney for the Northern District of Georgia is the chief federal law enforcement officer for the District.

The Fulton County Board of Health is committed to promoting and protecting the health of individuals, families and communities.
The General Assembly restored DPH to its own state agency after more than 30 years of consolidation with other departments. At the state level, DPH functions through numerous divisions, sections, programs and offices. Locally, DPH funds and collaborates with Georgia’s 159 county health departments and 18 public health districts.

The DeKalb County Board of Health works to protect and improve the health of those who live, work and play in DeKalb County. The Board of Health continually strives to meet the varied health needs of all the residents of DeKalb County. However, we know that creating healthier communities involves what we all do collectively to assure the conditions in which people can be healthy.