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Call the toll-free Member Services number listed for your county to talk with a representative about behavioral health services.

Members can call Member Services 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Usted puede llamar a Servicios al Miembro las 24 horas del día, los 7 días de la semana.

Capital Area Zona de la Capital Cumberland, Dauphin, Lancaster, Lebanon, and Perry counties: 1-888-722-8646

North Central Region Zona Norte central Franklin and Fulton counties: 1-866-773-7917 TTY users: Call PA Relay at 1-800-654-5984 or 711.

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Behavioral Health Care For LGBTQIA+ Members

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In many ways, individuals in the LGBTQIA+ community have similar behavioral health care needs as the general population. However, if you face stigma related to your sexuality or gender identity, you may experience undue stress and discrimination that can lead to anxiety, depression, mood disorders, thoughts of suicide, and unhealthy coping behaviors, such as substance use or other high-risk activities. At PerformCare Pennsylvania, we know the value of respectful, supportive behavioral health programs and believe in equal access to fair, quality health care for all.

Our services include:

- Helping you find the right provider to address your behavioral health needs.
- Directing you to helpful resources for families supporting LGBTQIA+ loved ones.
- Connection with inclusive community groups. These resources can help with housing, legal, and other needs for LGBTQIA+ people.

We care

PerformCare Pennsylvania addresses the health of communities. With our providers and community partners, we work to help our members achieve their best health. We want our members and their families to expect and receive affirming and culturally responsive care. This includes access to preventive care, treatment, and recovery-oriented services for mental health and substance use problems.

You are not alone. Don't be afraid to ask for help.



Need to talk?

Sometimes you just need to talk to someone. Here are some resources for support, connection, and information:

- Alder Health Services offers a culturally sensitive and supportive environment for LGBTQIA+ people and people living with HIV/AIDS. www.alderhealth.org
- Lancaster LGBTQ+ Coalition advocates for affirming care and is committed to building a supportive and enriching community abundant in opportunities for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, questioning, intersex, and asexual individuals; others who identify with the LGBTQIA+ community; and those with a stake in creating a more inclusive Lancaster County. www.lgbtlancaster.org
- The LGBT Center of Central PA nurtures inclusion and good health in LGBTQIA+ individuals and communities. www.centralpalgbtcenter.org

- The LGBT National Help Center offers confidential peer support, including phone, email, and online chat, for LGBTQIA+ people of all ages. www.lgbthotline.org
- **Pride Franklin County** promotes affirming health care and community resources for the LGBTQIA+ community in Franklin County, Pennsylvania. https://www.pridefranklincounty.org
- Trans Lifeline is a grassroots hotline offering direct emotional and financial support to transgender people in crisis. Trans Lifeline is run by and for trans people. https://translifeline.org
- TransCentralPA is committed to providing advocacy and support to transgender individuals and their significant others, family, and friends. http://www.transcentralpa.org/
- The Trevor Project is a support network for LGBTQIA+ people younger than 25. It provides crisis intervention and suicide prevention, including a 24-hour text line. www.thetrevorproject.org



How can we help?

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Sources:

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2. "LGBTQ+ Behavioral Health Equity Center of Excellence," Substance Abuse and Mental Health Servies Administration, https://www.samhsa.gov/lgbtq-plus-behavioral-healthequity.