

LGBTQ+ member resource guide for Wellpoint

Wellpoint in Maryland is committed to establishing equity in healthcare for LGBTQ people by providing access to affirming and informed providers, breaking down barriers, and providing access to appropriate resources/support. This resource guide is intended to serve as a starting point to connect members with select national and local organizations and resources.

Parents and families of transgender and gender expansive

- PFLAG parent guide: *Our Trans Loved Ones*

Name and gender marker change resources:

- Trans Maryland Name Change Program
- National Center for Transgender Equality ID Documents Center

Welcoming and affirming health navigation

Primary care, gender affirming care, dental, pharmacy, behavioral health, psychiatry, case management, and HIV care:

- **The Center for LGBTQ Health Equity, Chase Brexton Health Care**



Wellpoint LGBTQ member advocate

An LGBTQ member advocate is here to support your access to welcoming and affirming healthcare.

Email: lgbtqmemberadvocate@wellpoint.com

Services for LGBTQ elders (50 years and older):

- ElderPride, The Center for LGBTQ Health Equity, Chase Brexton Health Care

Local Maryland LGBTQ community resources

Baltimore Safe Haven:

- Trans-led organization providing Baltimore City LGBTQ people currently living in survival mode with opportunities to thrive
- Includes: drop-in center, food distribution, transitional housing, GED preparation courses, vocational training, mobile outreach, and harm reduction

The Pride Center of Maryland:

- LGBTQ Community Center

Hearts & Ears:

- Peer-run wellness and recovery center in Baltimore City for LGBTQIA+ people offering a variety of groups and activities as well as daily check-ins and assistance locating job, housing, and mental and behavioral health resources

FreeState Justice:

- Legal advocacy organization that seeks to improve the lives of low-income LGBTQ Marylanders



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