

# resources for *youth* in Louisiana

## SOUTHWEST LOUISIANA

**Acadiana Cares**  
P.O. Box 3865  
Lafayette, LA 70502  
337.233.2437

**Grace & Peace  
Christian  
Fellowship**  
3604 Romero Rd.  
Lafayette, LA  
337.988.3037

**League for  
Equality**  
P.O. Box 53425  
Lafayette, LA 70505

**PFLAG**  
P.O. Box 31078  
Lafayette, LA 70503  
318.984.2216

**SW Louisiana  
Council**  
435 10<sup>th</sup> Street  
Lake Charles, LA  
70601  
337.439.5145

**Lake Charles  
Metropolitan  
Comm. Church**  
P.O. Box 1911  
Lake Charles, LA  
70153

## NORTH LOUISIANA

**Comm. Center of  
NW Louisiana**  
P.O. Box 4751  
Shreveport, LA  
71134-4751

**GoCare, Comm.  
Based Org.**  
2121 Justice  
Monroe, LA 71201  
318.325.1092

**Information Ctr.**  
115 Monroe St.  
Bossier City, LA  
71111  
213.741.0094

**Philadelphia Ctr.**  
P.O. Box 44454  
Shreveport, LA  
71134-4454  
318.222.6633

**YWCA Comm.  
Outreach**  
700 Pierre Ave.  
Shreveport, LA  
71103  
318.226.8717

**PFLAG**  
P.O. Box 8931  
Shreveport, LA  
71148  
318.638.8609

## SOUTHEAST LOUISIANA

**Counseling  
Cooperative**  
3001 5th St. #300  
Metairie, LA 70002  
504.836.0000

**GLSEN**  
P.O. Box 72204  
New Orleans, LA  
70172

**Supporters United**  
Baton Rouge, LA  
225.388.5160

**Gulf Gender  
Alliance**  
P.O. Box 56836  
New Orleans, LA  
70156  
504.943.1999

**Lambda Center**  
AA and Al-Anon  
2106 Decatur St.  
New Orleans, LA  
70116

**Comm. Center of  
New Orleans**  
2114 Decatur St.  
New Orleans, LA  
70116  
504.945.1103

**Men of Color/New  
Orleans (MOC/  
NO)**  
P.O. Box 57694  
New Orleans, LA  
504.482.5341

**PFLAG**  
P.O. Box 15515  
New Orleans, LA  
70175  
504.895.3936

**Vieux Carre  
Metropolitan  
Comm. Church**  
1128 St. Roch Ave.  
New Orleans, LA  
70117  
504.945.5390

**Friends for Life/  
Capital Area  
Services**  
4521 Jamestown  
Suite 12  
Baton Rouge, LA  
70808  
225.923.2277

**Brotherhood, Inc.**  
1661 Canal # 3230  
New Orleans, LA  
70112 504.566.7955

**The Drop-In  
Center**  
1434 N. Rampart  
New Orleans, LA  
70116  
504.948.6701

## CENTRAL LOUISIANA

**Central Louisiana  
Support Services**  
103 Bolton Ave.  
Alexandria, LA  
71301  
1.800.444.7993

## NATIONAL GROUPS

**OUT/WORD**  
c/o S. Berry  
P.O. Box 20900  
Tompkins  
Square Station  
New York, NY  
10009-897

**T/G Variant in  
Prison**  
California Prison  
Focus  
2940 16th Street  
#307  
San Francisco,  
CA 94103

**HIV/Hepatitis C  
in Prison**  
California Prison  
Focus  
2940 16th Street  
#307  
San Francisco,  
CA 94103

**Advocates and  
Defenders**  
294 Washington  
Street #301

**SPECIFIC SUPPORT  
HOTLINES**

**Counseling Line:**

**504-833-1500**

A hotline for crises prevention

**Hate Crimes Project:**

**504-944-4325**

Call to report a hate crime or if you need counseling after some act of discrimination

**Anti-Violence Project:**

**1-800-616-HATE**

24-hour help line providing crime victim services to survivors of hate crimes, domestic violence, sexual assault, and other crimes.

**National Hotline:**

**1-888-THE-GLNH**

(1-888-843-4564)

Nationwide hotline for youth. Completely confidential. Offers information, referrals and peer counseling.

**Youth Talk Line:**

**1-800-347-8336**

Mon-Th, 7 PM-10 PM, Fri-Sun  
7 PM-12 AM

Nationwide talk-line for youths who just want to talk about any issue. This is not a crisis line, although it can transfer youths to a crisis line for free.

**LGBT National Hotline:**

**1-800-850-8078**

Offers confidential counseling from trained peer counselors

**GENERAL YOUTH  
CRISIS HOTLINES**

**Children of the Night:**

**1-800-551-1300**

A runaway crisis hotline, but you don't have to be running away to call. Talk, 24 hrs a day about anything. If they cannot help, they will refer you to someone who can.

**Covenant House Nineline:**

**1-800-999-9999**

Homeless, Runaway & Other Young People in Need of Help

**Nat'l Runaway Switchboard:**

**1-800-621-4000**

A hotline for runaway and homeless youth, teens in crisis and concerned family/friends. Completely confidential.

**MENTAL HEALTH  
HOTLINES**

**Self-Abuse Finally Ends:**

**1-800-DONT-CUT**

(1-800-366-8288)

Free information on self-injury available

**Kids Rights:**

**1-800-892-5437**

Provides info to parents & teens for suicide prevention programs

**Nat'l Mental Health Assoc.:**

**1-800-969-6642**

Mon-Fri 9AM-5PM

Information on mental health topics, referrals, access to specialists

**WEBSITES**

*These are some great websites specifically for kids. If you don't have a computer at home, use the one at your local library. You can most likely view these sites there. If you can't, give JJPL a call.*

**<http://www.outproud.org>**  
Resources for youth online

**<http://www.scc.net/~t-bonhham/EDLINKS.HTM>**  
Educational scholarships for youth

**<http://www.youth.org>**  
Safe space to interact online

**<http://www.mogenic.com>**  
Fun site with articles, chat rooms, horoscope, etc.

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