



New Hampshire

Resource List

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NOTE: See the following publications for additional resources:

- *Immigration Issues and Resources* at:
<http://www.glad.org/uploads/docs/publications/immigration-issues-and-resources.pdf>
- *Resources for Prisoners and Ex-Offenders in New England* at:
<http://www.glad.org/uploads/docs/publications/resources-for-prisoners-and-ex-offenders-in-ne.pdf>
- *Transgender Resources* at:
<http://www.glad.org/uploads/docs/publications/trans-resources.pdf>

Civil Rights

New Hampshire Human Rights Commission

The commission enforces laws against discrimination in employment, housing and public accommodations based on a person's race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age, marital status, disability and sexual orientation

2 Chenell Drive #2

Concord, NH 03301

Tel: 603-271-2767

Fax: 603-271-6339

humanrights@nhsa.state.nh.us

www.nh.gov/hrc

American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) - NH

NHCLU is a nonpartisan organization that defends civil liberties in the courtroom and in the legislature and seeks to expand awareness of individual rights in the classroom, in civic groups and in the media. The Foundation provides representation for those whose rights have been violated and challenges laws that infringe on individual freedom.

18 Low Avenue

Concord, NH 03301

Tel: 603-225-3080

www.nhclu.org

Contact: Claire Ebel, Executive Director

General Legal Services

NH Legal Services - Legal Advice and Referral Center

New Hampshire Legal Services is a community of agencies providing a range of services to low income people across the state: Legal Advice & Referral Center, New Hampshire Legal Assistance, the Pro Bono Program of the New Hampshire Bar Association, The Disabilities Rights Center, the Civil Practice Clinic at Franklin Pierce Law, and the New Hampshire Public Defender provide representation, legal advice, information and support to clients with legal problems in New Hampshire.

The Legal Advice and Referral Center (LARC) is staffed by attorneys and paralegals who provide free information, legal advice, and referral services to low-income persons in the areas of family law, consumer law, bankruptcy, public benefits, and housing. Clients should be made aware that LARC does intakes on weekdays from 9:00am until 1:00pm and it is best to call as close to 9:00 as possible.

48 South Main Street
Concord, NH 03301
Tel: 800-639-5290 (toll-free); 603-224-3333
Fax: 603-224-6067
www.nhlegalaid.org

New Hampshire Bar Association

Offers standard and reduced-fee lawyer referrals over the phone or through the website.

2 Pillsbury Street, Suite 300
Concord, NH 03301
Tel: 603-229-0002 (lawyer referrals); 603-715-3290 (reduced fee referrals);
603-224-6942 (general)
Fax: 603-224-2910
NHBAinfo@nhbar.org
www.nhbar.org

New Hampshire Conflict Resolution Association

The New Hampshire Conflict Resolution Association (NHCRA) is a statewide organization dedicated to promoting and enhancing the practice and public understanding of peaceable and effective conflict resolution. NHCRA is a private, non-profit organization that is governed by a Board of Directors. Their membership is comprised of a variety of conflict resolution practitioners including but not limited to mediators, educators, neutral evaluators, health care professionals, arbitrators and attorneys. A list of community mediation centers can be found at: <http://www.nhcra.org/nhadrprograms.html>.

PO Box 3263
Nashua, NH 03061-3263
ContactUs@NHCRA.org
www.nhcra.org

General Human Services

WISE

Human service agency. Offers a domestic and sexual violence program, a youth awareness program, safe homes, a 24 hour hotline, advocacy with courts, police, and hospitals. Also provides information and referrals.

38 Bank Street

Lebanon, NH 03766

Tel: 603-448-5525, 866-348-9473 (crisis lines); 603-448-5922 (office)

Fax: 603-448-2799

peggy.oneil@wiseoftheuppervalley.org

www.wiseoftheuppervalley.org

Contact: Peggy O'Neil, Exec. Director

Rainbow Resources/Gay Info Line of NH

PFLAG now answers their calls for information, but they maintain an extensive online (downloadable, PDF) directory. The Gay Info Line of NH is an all-volunteer organization which provides information to and about the GLBT community of VT and NH. For over 15 years the GIL has provided information to callers and web-browsers.

26 South Main Street, Box 181

Concord, NH 03301

Tel: 800-750-2524 (in-state only); 603-536-6175

webmistress@rainbowresources-nh.org

www.RainbowResources-NH.org

211 New Hampshire

2-1-1 is an easy to remember telephone number that connects callers, at no cost, to information about critical health and human services available in their community.

PO Box 211

Manchester, NH 03105

Tel: 211 (in-state); 866-444-4211 (out-of-state)

www.211nh.org

HIV/AIDS

HIV/HCV Resource Center (formerly "ACoRN")

The Resource Center provides confidential and free HIV and Hepatitis C tests, direct services and referrals, financial assistance, and support groups for HIV+ men, affected family members and friends, and magnetic couples.

2 Blacksmith Street
Lebanon, NH 03766
Tel: 800-816-2220 (toll-free); 603-448-8887
Fax: 603-448-8885
acorn@acornvtnh.org
www.acornvtnh.org

New Hampshire Dept. of Health and Human Services Ryan White CARE Program

The CARE Program provides life-sustaining medications and clinical and case management services to underinsured/uninsured, HIV+ NH residents, including children exposed to HIV through their mothers during pregnancy. HIV+ NH residents who spend over 80% of the difference between their annual income and their maximum annual income for the household on healthcare related expenses may also qualify for CARE services. Here is a link to the CARE application:

<http://www.dhhs.state.nh.us/dphs/documents/careapplication.pdf>.

29 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH 03301
Tel: 800-852-3345 x4502 (toll-free); 603-271-4502
Fax: 603-271-4934
www.dhhs.state.nh.us/dphs/bchs/std/care.htm

Other Health/Disability

New Hampshire Minority Health Coalition

HIV Prevention; medical translation, advocacy services to ethnic and racial minorities living in New England. Also offers disease investigation prevention, case management and partner notification services.

25 Lowell Street, 3rd floor
Manchester, NH 03101
Tel: 603-627-7703
Fax: 603-627-8527
www.nhhealthequity.org

Disabilities Rights Center, Inc. (Protection and Advocacy System for New Hampshire)

The agency represents individuals on issues directly related to a person's disability, including discrimination in places of public accommodation or employment, but not for example in issues of family law, divorce etc. The agency receives thousands of calls a year and only opens for full representation 5-10% of these calls. For the rest of the callers, referrals are made and short term interventions are done. It only does work for people who live and/or work in New Hampshire.

18 Low Avenue
Concord, NH 03301
Tel: 800-834-1721 (toll-free in-state); 603-228-0432
Fax: 603-225-2077
advocacy@drcnh.org
www.drcnh.org

Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault

New Hampshire Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence

The New Hampshire Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence is a statewide network of independent member programs committed to ending domestic and sexual violence. To that end we seek to: ensure that quality services are provided to victims/survivors of domestic and sexual violence; prevent future violence by educating the public; influence public policy; and encourage the provision of services for perpetrators. The N.H. Coalition is comprised of 14 independent programs throughout the state that provide services to survivors of sexual assault and domestic violence. Their services are free, confidential, and available to all victims. The services include: emergency shelter and transportation; legal advocacy in obtaining restraining orders against abusers; hospital, police, and court accompaniment; information about and help in obtaining public assistance.

PO Box 353

Concord, NH 03302-0353

Tel: 866-644-3574 (domestic violence); 800-277-5570 (sexual assault); 603-224-8893 (general)

Fax: 603-228-6096

www.nhcadv.org

Domestic Violence Emergency Program (DOVE)

The Domestic Violence Emergency Project of the New Hampshire Bar Association can provide legal assistance to low-income resident in obtaining a Domestic Violence Restraining Order.

2 Pillsbury Street, Suite 300

Concord, NH 03301-3502

Tel: 866-644-3574

www.nhbar.org.

Youth/Schools

Child and Family Services

GLBTQ family group and an annual GLBTQ parents workshop. Also has a runaway and homeless youth program which includes transitional housing. Strongly supportive of alternative families and GLBTQ youth.

464 Chestnut Street, P.O. Box 448

Manchester, NH 03105

Tel: 800-640-6486 (toll-free); 603-518-4000

Fax: 603-668-6260

info@cfsnh.org

www.cfsnh.org

Contact: Gale Starr, VP

Outright

Outright is an educational, social service advocacy organization that offers services to GLBTQ youth (22 and under) in the greater New Hampshire, southern Maine, and northern Massachusetts Seacoast region. Offers support groups, training and consultation. *No central administration, so look below*

for individual chapters.

Seacoast Chapter

PO Box 842, Portsmouth, NH 03801

Tel: 800-639-6095 (crisis only); 603-431-1013 (general)

www.seacoastoutright.org

Concord Chapter

PO Box 4064, Concord, NH 03302

Tel: 603-223-0309

concordoutright@nhftm.org

www.nhftm.org/Xtras/ConcordOutrightWebpage.htm

Manchester Chapter

Meets every Tuesday, 7-9pm, @ UU Church, 669 Union Street,
Manchester, NH.

PO Box 492, Manchester, NH 03105

Tel: 603-537-7004

manchesteroutright@yahoo.com

www.manchesteroutright.com

GLSEN - New Hampshire

GLSEN combats the harassment and the discrimination leveled against students and school personnel. GLSEN creates learning environments that affirm the inherent dignity of all students, and, in so doing, teaches them to respect and accept all of their classmates -- regardless of sexual orientation and gender identity. GLSEN believes that the key to ending anti-gay prejudice and hate-motivated violence is education. And it's for this reason that GLSEN brings together students, educators, families and other community members-- of any sexual orientation--to reform America's educational system.

312 Old Chesterfield Road

Chesterfield, NH 03443

Tel: 603-358-2578

glsenswnh@gmail.com

www.glsen.org/southwestnh

Contact: Karen Cangialosi

PFLAG - New Hampshire

PFLAG New Hampshire is an affiliate of PFLAG, an international organization dedicated to the preservation of families in loving relationships, to educating an ill-informed public about homosexuality, and to the attainment of full civil rights for gay, lesbian, transgender and bisexual people and their families. Parents, children, and friends are all welcome at our meetings. *Local chapters: Concord, Keene, Lakes Region, Plymouth, Seacoast, Upper Valley.*

PO Box 957

Concord, NH 03301

Tel: 603-536-3823

pflaginfo@pflagnh.org

www.pflagnh.org

Contact: Carol Perkins

The Samaritans - New Hampshire

The crisis hotlines are available 24 hours a day, seven days a week to anyone who is feeling lonely, depressed or suicidal.

103 Roxbury Street, Suite 304

Keene, NH 03431

Tel: 877-583-8336 (toll-free in NH); 603-357-5505 or 603-924-7000

www.samaritansnh.org

Gay & Lesbian Advocates & Defenders (GLAD) is the leading legal rights organization in New England dedicated to ending discrimination based on sexual orientation, HIV status and gender identity and expression. Through impact litigation, education and public policy work, GLAD seeks to create a better world that respects and celebrates diversity—a world in which there is equal justice under law for all.

GLAD's Legal InfoLine and publications are provided *free of charge* to all who need them. We hope that those who are able will make a contribution to ensure that GLAD can continue the fight for equal justice under the law.

To make a tax-deductible contribution, visit our website at www.glad.org, or call us at (800) 455-GLAD (4523) with your credit card, or mail your check, payable to GLAD to 30 Winter Street, Suite 800, Boston, MA 02108. If your workplace has a matching gift program, please be sure to have your donation matched. Please contact us if you would like more information on becoming a GLAD partner.

Thank You!



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corrections to bbell@glad.org***

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1.800.455.GLAD (4523)
Fax 617.426.3594

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