



Gay Switchboard Dublin

Information Listings

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ACCOMMODATION

CLARE

Kilfenora Hostel	065-708-8908		mailto:enquiries@kilfenorahostel.com
East Clare B&B - "Gloccamorra", Scarrif (gay owned)	061-923-172	http://www.gloccamorra.com	-
Burren Retreats - pamper, walking, self development	065-6827749	http://www.burrenretreats.com	-

CORK

A Roman House - Gay & Lesbian B&B - Cork City	021-450-3606	http://www.aromanhouse.ie	mailto:sales@aromanhouse.ie
Emerson House - 2 Clarence Terrace, Summer Hill North	086-834-0891	http://www.emersonhousecork.com	-

DUBLIN

Jury's Inn - Christchurch	01-4540000	http://www.jurysinn.com	
Inn on the Liffey - 21 Upper Ormond Quay, Dublin 7	01-677-0828	http://innontheliffey.com/	
Nua Haven Gay Guesthouse - Harold's Cross Dublin 6	087-6867062		mailto:nuahaven@gmail.com
Panti's Pads -self catering	087-9298885	http://www.pantibar.com/pads	

GALWAY

Side by Side B&B (Women) - Salthill, Galway	087-9417797		mailto:sidebysidebandb@gmail.com
Amber Hill B&B - Close to Galway City Centre	091-582088	http://www.amberhillbb.ie/	

KILDARE

Osprey Hotel & Spa - Naas	01-45881111	http://www.ospreyhotel.ie	mailto:info@ospreyhotel.ie
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<u>LIMERICK</u>				
Limerick Strand Hotel	061-421800	http://www.strandlimerick.ie		mailto:events@strandlimerick.ie
<u>LOUTH</u>				
Riva Townhouse - Dundalk	042-9371090		-	mailto:bernie@rivatownhouse.ie
<u>MAYO</u>				
Hotel Westport - Westport	098-25122	http://www.hotelwestport.ie	-	
Ferndale Guesthouse - Achill	098-43908	http://www.ferndale-achill.com	-	
<u>MEATH</u>				
Slane Castle - Slane	041-9820643	http://www.slanecastle.ie	-	
The Millhouse - Slane	041-9820723	http://www.themillhouse.ie	-	mailto:info@themillhouse.ie
Ballymagarvey Village - Balrath	041-9825959	http://www.ballymagarvey.ie	-	
<u>OFFALY</u>				
Tullamore Court Hotel - Tullamore	057-9346666	http://www.tullamorecourthotel.com	-	
<u>SLIGO</u>				
Cromleach Lodge - Lough Arrow	071-9165155	http://www.cromleach.com	-	
Markree Castle - Collooney	071-9167800	http://www.markreecastle.ie	-	
<u>WATERFORD</u>				
Athenaeum House Hotel - Christendom	051-833999	http://www.athenaeumhousehotel.com	-	
<u>WEXFORD</u>				
Serenity Guesthouse - Camolin Park	053-9382928	http://www.serenitywexford.com		

AA

DUBLIN

Alcoholics Anonymous - Meets in Outhouse Friday 8pm & Sunday 6.30pm.

Contact Outhouse

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

ALAnon Group - For families and friends of alcoholics. Meets in Outhouse every

Wed at 6.15pm. Contact Outhouse

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

CORK

Live and let live - Gay friendly AA meeting in Other Place café, 8 South Main St. Cork. Meets Wed. 8pm.

Contact Clive.

021-4278470

<http://www.theotherplacecork.com>

<mailto:theotherplacecork@gmail.com>

AA help-line Cork - 8pm - 10pm every night.

021-450-0481

GALWAY

LGB AA for people in Galway and Midlands area. Meets every Saturday at 7.30pm

Denis 087-295-6233 or Paddy 087-250-7580

MIDLANDS

AA for the LGB community in the Midlands:

087-912-2685 Or 087-679-8495

AIDS see HIV Services

ARCHIVE

Irish Queer Archive - The Irish Queer Archive contains the most comprehensive collection of material in Ireland relating to homosexuality and general queer studies. The archive is housed in the national Library of Ireland

<http://irishqueerarchive.com>

<mailto:irishqueerarchive@ireland.com>

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BARS

BELFAST

The Kremlin - 96 Donegal St.	0044-2890316064	http://www.kremlin-belfast.com
Union Street - 8-14 Union St.	0044-2890316064	http://unionstreetpub.com/
MYNT - Dunbar St.	0044-2890234520	http://www.myntbelfast.com
Forbidden Fruit - Mon. Rain Nightclub Tomb St	0044-2890327308	http://www.rainnightclub.co.uk
Queens Bar - Gay Friendly. Queen's Arcade	0044-2890321347	

CORK

Chambers Bar - Washington St.	021-4222860	http://www.chambersbar.ie	mailto:info@chambersbar.ie
Loafers - 26 Douglas St. (popular also with lesbians)	021-4975529		

DUBLIN

The George , South Great George's St.	01-478-2983	http://www.thegeorge.ie	mailto:info@thegeorge.ie
The Dragon -64/65 South Great George's St.	01-4781590		
Panti Bar - Capel St. Dublin 1	01-8740710	http://www.pantibar.com	
The Front Lounge - Parliament St. Dublin 1	01-6704112	http://www.thefrontlounge.ie/	mailto:info@thefrontlounge.ie

GALWAY

Dignity Bar West - 34 Shop Street Galway	091-530701	http://dignity-galway.mfbiz.com/#
The Stage Door - Galway -		http://www.thestagedoor.ie
Wilde's Bar - Henry St. Galway	085-8521335	http://www.wildesbar.ie/?p=64

WATERFORD

Dignity Bar - John St. Waterford	051-879631	http://www.dignitybar.com
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BEARS

Bear Coffee Night - Monday 7.30-9.30

Outhouse Cafe.

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

<mailto:outreach@outhouse.ie>

Furry Glen - club night aimed at the Bear community & it's admirers in Dublin.

Thomas House Bar, 86 Thomas Street,
Dublin 8. Held on 2nd Saturday of every month.

<http://www.thefurryglen.com>

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BOOK CLUB

Gay Book Group (Dublin) - First

Wednesday of every month at 8pm –

OutHouse

01-8734999

<http://groups.google.com/group/dgrg>

BISEXUALITY

Bi Irish Social Group (Dublin) - Meets

second Tuesday of the month in Outhouse

Café at 7pm sharp

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

BEAUTY THERAPY

Stephen Thomas - Male Grooming. 64
Dame Street & Top Floor, Coghills Court,
Temple Bar, Dublin 2

01-6729444

<http://www.stephenthomas.ie/>

The Grooming Rooms - 16, South William
St. Dublin 2

01-6790777

<http://www.thegroomingrooms.com/>

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CHOIRS

Gloria - Dublin's Lesbian and Gay Choir.

<http://www.gloria.ie>

<mailto:info@gloria.ie>

Mná Mná - Cork Lesbian Choir. Thursdays 8pm at Linc, 11 A White St. Cork

021-4808600

<http://www.linc.ie/>

<mailto:info@linc.ie>

COMMUNITY/ OUTREACH

BELFAST

Rainbow Project - Belfast LGBT Centre, 1st Floor, 9-14 Waring St. Belfast BT1 2DX

0044-28-90319030

<http://www.rainbow-project.org/>

CORK

The Other Place - Cork's LGBT Community Resource Centre & Cafe. 8 South Main St. Cork

021-4278470

<http://theotherplacecork.com/>

<mailto:info@theotherplacecork.com>

LINC - Resource Centre for LBT women 11A White St. Cork,

021-4808600

<http://www.linc.ie/>

<mailto:info@linc.ie>

Gay Project Cork - 8 North Mall, Cork

021-4304884

<http://gayprojectcork.com/>

DERRY

Rainbow Project - Foyle
LGBT Centre. 12A Queen
Street, Derry

0044 - 28-
71283030

<http://www.rainbow-project.org/>

DUBLIN

Outhouse - 105 Capel St.
Dublin 1

01-873-4999

www.outhouse.ie

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

KERRY

**Kerry Gay and Lesbian
Project**

[https://sites.google.com/site/kerrygayandlesbianproj
ect/home](https://sites.google.com/site/kerrygayandlesbianproject/home)

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LIMERICK

Rainbow Support Services

- Supporting the LGBT
community in the mid -
west region, covering
Limerick City, Limerick
County, County Clare and
North Tipperary. Foxes
Bow, Williams Street,
Limerick City, Limerick

061-310101

LOUTH

Dundalk Outcomers - 8
Roden Place, Dundalk

042-9329816

<http://www.outcomers.org/>

<mailto:info@outcomers.org>

WATERFORD

sOUTH - LGBT Support for
Waterford and the south-
east. Drop In Centre,
Cheshire Homes, John's
Hill, 1st and 3rd
Wednesday of each
month 8pm to 10pm

086-2147633

<http://southgroup.wetpaint.com/>

<mailto:southlgbt@gmail.com>

COUNSELLORS — See psychotherapists

D

DEAF SERVICES

Greenbow Deaf LGBT - Deaf LGBT society. Outhouse 105 Capel St.	01-8749148 / 086-3671375	http://www.greenbowdeaf.com/	mailto:info_greenbow@yahoo.ie
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DINING OUT GROUPS

CORK

Out 4 Dinner - Dining Group for Cork LGBT.	021-4808660 / 0214278470		mailto:info@theotherplacecork.com
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DUBLIN

Dining Out - Group for Gay Men. Meets 2nd Friday and Last Sunday of the month	087-2863349	http://www.diningoutireland.org/	mailto:info@DiningOutIreland.org
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Older Women - wining, dining and networking group			mailto:verity20042000@yahoo.co.uk
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Older Wiser - Lesbian social group. Meets for dining out etc.		mailto:www.meetup.com/older-wiser-lesbians	-
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KERRY

Kerry LGBT Dining Group - Meets 8pm 3rd Sunday of the month	Richard - 086-205-4912		
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MID WEST/TIPPERATY

Mid-west Dining Out Group	Joe - 086-898-9626		
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FILM FESTIVALS

CORK

OutLook Film Festival - Cork LGBT film Festival

<http://outlookfilmcork.com/>

<mailto:outlookfilmcork@gmail.com>

DUBLIN

GAZE -Dublin International Gay & Lesbian Film Festival - runs the August bank holiday weekend each year

<http://www.gaze.ie/>

<mailto:info@gaze.ie>

G

GARDA LAISON OFFICERS

CLARE/SHANNON

Garda Paul Clancy 063-65900

CORK

Bridewell - Garda Karl Griffin 021-4943330

DUBLIN

Garda Advice Service - Free and Confidential
Service 2nd Wed of the month in Outhouse

01-8734999

<mailto:outreach@outhouse.ie>

Community Relations Section - Inspector Finbarr
Murphy 01-6663831 / 01-6663811

Community Relations Section - Sergeant Andy
Tuite 01-6663831 / 01-6663821

Domestic Violence & sexual assault unit -
Detective Sergeant Michael Lynch 01-6663366 / 01-6663435

Pearse St. Detective Brendan Supple 01-6669000

Store St. - Martina McDermott 01-6668000

Store St. - Mark O'Doherty 01-6668000

Kevin St. - Mark Bolger 01-6669400

Cabra - Brigit Burke 01-6667400

Bridewell - Garda Ita Bradley 01-6668000

Bridewell - Det. Frank Treacy 01-6668200

Fitzgibbon St. - Garda Eoin Lynch 01-6668400

Cabinteely - Derval Gillan 01-6665400

GALWAY

Galway - Sgt. Karen Maloney 091-514721
Oranmore - Paul Keane 091-514721

KILDARE/CARLOW

Sgt. Mary Corchoran 045-884300

KILKENNY

Inspector Pdraig Dunne 051-305300

LOUTH

Dundalk - Sergeant Vincent Jackson 042-9335577

MAYO

Castlebar 094-902222

WESTMEATH

Athlone - Garda Pat Keegan 0906-6492609
Athlone - Garda Mary O'Connor 0906-6492609

WATERFORD

Inspector Pdraig Dunne 051-305300
Garda Sinead Donoghue 051-305300

GARDA EMPLOYEES

G Force - Garda Employee LGB Support
Network.

<mailto:group42732@yahoo.com>

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HEALTH SERVICES

STI Clinics:

BELFAST & THE NORTH

Rainbow Project - works to improve the physical, mental & emotional health of gay, bisexual & non-heterosexual men in Northern Ireland.
Belfast and Derry

0044-28-
90319030

<http://www.rainbow-project.org/>

CARLOW

Carlow STI Clinic - Carlow District Hospital. Mon-Fri Mornings. Appointment Only

051-842646

CLARE

Ennis General Hospital - Monday 9.00-12.00. Appointment only.

061-482382

CORK

Victoria Hospital - Old Blackrock Rd. Cork. Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs 9.30-11.45, Wed 2pm-4.30

021-4966844

DUBLIN

Gay Men's Health Service

(GMHS) - STI Screening, counselling. Baggot St. Hospital. Tuesday and Wednesday from 5pm

01-6699-553 <http://www.gmhs.ie>

The Guide Clinic - STI testing and PEP. St. James's Hospital.

Mon. 9am walk-in (tickets allocated at 8am), Tues 13.30 walk-in (tickets allocated at 9am), Thurs. 13.30 walk-in (tickets allocated at 9am).

Appointments and Reception - 01-4162315 / 01-4162316 <http://www.guideclinic.ie/>

Beaumont Hospital - Dept. Of Infectious Diseases. HIV Testing only. Walk-in or appointment. Thurs. 9am-12pm

01-8093006

GALWAY

University College Hospital -

Infectious Disease Clinic. Newcastle Rd. Galway. Walk-in or appointment. Mon 2pm-4pm, Wed 9am-5pm, Fri (appointment only) 9am-1pm

091-5252000

Portiuncla Hospital -

Ballinasloe. Thurs 2pm-5pm Appointment only

090-9624676

KERRY

Tralee General Hospital -

Outpatients Dept. Fri 2-4.30

021-4966844

LAOIS

Portlaois STI Clinic - St.

Fintan's Hospital, Portlaois.
Tues. 4.30-6.30. Appointment
only

057-9360134

LOUTH

GUM Clinic - Louth County
Hospital Dundalk. Outpatient
Department. Friday 2-5pm
Walk-in or appointment

086-8241847

LIMERICK

Limerick Regional Hospital -
Dooradoyle, Limerick. Tues &
Thurs 9am-5pm. Appointment
only.

061-482382

MAYO

Mayo General Hospital -
Castlebar. Tues 9.30-1pm.
Appointment only.

094-0921733

MONAGHAN

GUM Clinic - Monaghan
General Hospital. Outpatient
Department. Tuesdays
9.30am-12.30pm Walk-in or
appointment

086-8241847

SLIGO

GUM Clinic - Sligo Regional Hospital. Tues & Thurs 6pm-7pm. Appointment only. 071-9170473

TIPPERARY

Clonmel STI Clinic - South Tipperary Hospital, Clonmel. Wed. 2pm-3.30pm. Appointment only. 051-842646

Nenagh General Hospital - Wed 2pm-5pm. Appointment only. 061-482382

WATERFORD

Waterford Regional Hospital - Mon-Fri 9am-12.30 & 2pm-3pm. Appointment only. 051-873221

Support Services/Resources:

Dublin Aids Alliance - 53 Parnell Square. Community Support, Prevention and Education & Resource Library. 01-8733799 <http://www.dublinaid alliance.ie/>

Gay Doctors Ireland - Promotes education and awareness <http://www.gaydoctorsireland.ie/>

Gay Health Network - Promotes HIV prevention and sexual health awareness <http://www.ghn.ie>

Open Heart House - HIV Peer Support. 2 St. Mary's Place, Dublin 7.

01-8305000

<http://www.openhearthouse.ie/>

Southern Gay Men's Health project - 8 South Main Street, Cork.

021-

4278470/1

<http://www.gayhealthproject.com/>

Women's Services

<http://www.lgbt.ie/information.aspx?contentid=11>

Mental Health:

IRIS - Mental Health peer support group. Meets in Outhouse first Monday of every month at 6.30pm

01-

873499999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

HELP-LINES

National LGBT Helpline

1890-929539

<http://www.lgbt.ie>

CORK & THE SOUTH

Gay Information Cork - Non directive service for men.

Tuesday & Wednesday 7-9pm

021-4271087

<http://gayprojectcork.com/helpline/>

Cork Lesbian Line - A voluntary helpline for women, providing confidential, informal information and support regarding sexual orientation. Wed 7-9pm

021-4318318

DUBLIN & THE EAST

Gay Switchboard Dublin - Non Directive support to the gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender community, their parents, families and friends, and to anyone who has concerns or questions relating to sexuality.

<http://gayswitchboarddublin.ie>

Dublin Lesbian Line: - support and information helpline service run by lesbian and bisexual women for women who are attracted to women, women questioning their sexuality, and their friends and families. Mon & Thurs 7-9pm

01-8729911

<http://dublinlesbianline.ie>

<mailto:info@dublinlesbianline.ie>

MID WEST

Limerick Gay and Lesbian Switchboard - Limerick's gay and lesbian helpline provides information on the local scene, counselling services and information on other services available all around Ireland. Tues 7-9pm

061-310101

NORTH EAST

Dundalk Outcomers - are a social and support group for Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual people in the north east of Ireland. We also offer a befriending service. If you would like to meet with two of our volunteers to talk in person, or to join our group please call us. Thurs 8-10pm

042-9353035

<http://www.outcomers.org>

<mailto:info@dundalkoutcomers.com>

WEST & NORTH WEST

OutWest - totally confidential and non judgmental listening ear to anyone who may be having difficulty accepting or dealing with their own sexuality, or with the sexuality of a family member. Wed 8-10pm

094-9372479

<http://www.outwestireland.ie>

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H.I.V. SERVICES

Drugs/HIV Help-line - This is a free and confidential, active listening helpline and email support service offering non-directive support, information, guidance and referral to anyone with a question or concern related to substance use or HIV and sexual health.

Mon-Fri 10-5

1800-459459

<http://www.hse.ie/go/drugshivhelpline>

<mailto:drugshiv@hse.ie>

Dublin AIDS Alliance - A voluntary organisation working to improve conditions for people living with or affected by HIV and AIDS. 53 Parnell Square West.

01-873 3799

<http://www.dublinaid alliance.ie/>

<mailto:info@dublinaid alliance.ie>

Open Heart House - Open Heart House is innovative culturally diverse project which challenges the social stigma and associated isolation of living with HIV through peer support. 2, Saint Mary's Place Dublin 7.

01-830 5000

<http://www.openhearthouse.ie/>

<mailto:info@openhearthouse.ie>

HIV/AIDS Family Support

Group Cork - 21-22, MacCurtain Street, Cork

021-4551331

ACET - Care services to those infected and affected by HIV, as well as Education & Training on HIV, sexual health and other related issues.

01- 87 87 700

<http://www.acetireland.com/cms/>

Cork AIDS Helpline - 10-5 Mon-Fri & 7-9 Tues

021-4276676

AIDS West - voluntary organisation funded by HSE West

091-562213

<http://www.aidswest.ie>

<mailto:info@aidswest.ie>

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INTERNATIONAL GROUPS

GIG (Gay International Group)- Meets
first Tuesday of every month 7pm in
OUTHOUSE. Men and Women welcome.

01-873-4999

www.outhouse.ie

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

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LESBIAN SERVICES/GROUPS

GENERAL

The Lady List - An independent website dedicated to providing a FULL list of events for lesbian, bi, queer & transgender/gid women in Ireland. From nights out to social groups happening around the country

<http://www.theladylist.ie/>
<mailto:http://www.meetup.com/Dublin-LGBTQ-Womens-Social-Networking-Club/>

Running Amach - Social Networking Site for LGBTQ women in Ireland

CORK AND THE SOUTH

Cork Lesbian Line - See Helplines

Linc - Peer support, community centre, outreach, social events for Lesbian and Bi-sexual women. 11 A White Street, Cork.

021-4808600

<http://www.linc.ie/>

<mailto:info@linc.ie>

Lesbian Parents Support Cork- see parents

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DUBLIN AND THE EAST

Dublin Lesbian Line - See Helplines

First Out - a group for women of all ages, who are questioning their sexuality or considering "coming out". There are currently two support groups. One in Outhouse, 105 Capel Street, Dublin 1 and the second at North Leitrim Women's Centre, Manorhamilton, Co. Leitrim. Both groups meet on the first Thursday of every month between 7.30 and 9.30pm all year around.

Outhouse - 01-8734932 North Leitrim Women's Centre - 071-9856220

<http://www.firstout.ie/>

<mailto:firstout@firstout.ie>

Outhouse Women's Night - Social group for all women. Meets in Outhouse every Thursday 7.30-9.30

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie/>

<mailto:outreach@outhouse.ie>

Dundalk Outcomers Women's Night - Every Monday 8.30-10.30. "We generally have a cup of tea or coffee and a chat about current issues, have a gossip, watch a film with a lesbian theme or catch up on the latest series of the L Word.

Bernadine - 042-9329816

<http://www.outcomers.org>

<mailto:bernardine@outcomers.org>

Older Women - wining, dining and networking group

<mailto:verity20042000@yahoo.co.uk>

Older Wiser - Lesbian social group. Meets for dining out etc.

<mailto:www.meetup.com/older-wiser-lesbians>

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LIMERICK AND THE WEST

Limerick Gay and Lesbian

Switchboard - See Helplines

Limerick Women's social Group -

Meets 2nd and 4th Thursday of every month in Rainbow Support Services

061-310101

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<mailto:rainbowlmk@eircom.net>

Clare Area Lesbian Information

Line - To find out what's going on in Clare

087-9494725

<mailto:clarelesinfo4@eircom.net>

Clare Women's Network - Meets every 2 weeks

<mailto:clarewomen@eircom.net>

M

MARRIED MEN AND WOMEN

Married Men's Group - A peer support group for men who are or have been married (or in a long term relationship) and who identify as gay, bisexual or attracted to other men. There is no agenda, the group is member focused. Meets first Thursday of every month in Carmichael House and is facilitated by two experienced GSD volunteers. New members planning to attend should ask for Tony. See agenda for dates of meetings.

First Out women's Group - See Lesbian Groups/Services

MUSIC GROUPS

Dublin Gay Music Group - is a gathering of gay men who meet each Saturday afternoon to listen to recordings of classical music. An outlet for enthusiasts of classical and operatic music, the focus is on music appreciation. New members are always welcome.

<http://dublinmusicgroup.com/>

<mailto:info@dublinmusicgroup.com>

N

NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

DUBLIN

NA Meeting - Meets Thursdays in Outhouse
at 8pm. 105 Capel St. Dublin 1

01-873 4999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

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PARENT SUPPORT

LOOK (Loving Our Out Kids) - formerly Parents' Support, consists of a small group of parents who have gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgendered children

087-2537699

<http://www.lovingouroutkids.org>

<mailto:info@lovingouroutkids.org>

Waterford Parents Group

<mailto:waterfordgayparents@gmail.com>

PEP (Post Exposure Prophylaxis) - see The Guide Clinic under Health Services

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

Personal Development Course

- 6 week course run for men.

To book place contact GMHS

01-8734952

<mailto:gmhsoutreach@eircom.net>

PSYCHOTHERAPY / COUNSELLING

DUBLIN

The Healing House -

Counselling Services

<http://www.thehealinghouse.ie/Counselling.htm>

John Smith:

Counsellor/Psychotherapist 01-2605751 /

(Addictions Therapy Certified) 087-7689823

<http://www.boosterstowncounselling.com>

Ciarán Nolan - Counsellor. The

Well, Beacon Private Clinic,

Sandyford, Dublin 18.

087-783-1973

<http://www.ciarannolan.com>

Gerard Rodgers -

Psychotherapist. 22 St. James

Ave. Clonliffe Dublin 3

087-2210741

CORK

Bantry Centre for Counselling

and Therapy

027 - 55907

<http://www.bcct.ie>

<mailto:info@bcct.ie>

TRAVELLER

Traveller Counselling Service -

6 New Cabra Road, Phibsboro,

Dublin 7

086-308-1476

[http://www.ntmabs.org/tharie-times-](http://www.ntmabs.org/tharie-times-online/dec-2009-issue-8/76-traveller-counselling-service-update)

[online/dec-2009-issue-8/76-traveller-](http://www.ntmabs.org/tharie-times-online/dec-2009-issue-8/76-traveller-counselling-service-update)

[counselling-service-update](http://www.ntmabs.org/tharie-times-online/dec-2009-issue-8/76-traveller-counselling-service-update)

<mailto:travcounselling@hotmail.com>

Q

QUEER STUDIES - See Research

R

RESEARCH

Queer Studies Group - Open discussions
in WERRC Resource Room. Arts Annex,
UCD, Belfield, Dublin 4. Friday 6-8

See Also - Archive

<mailto:dublinqueerstudiesgroup@hotmail.com>

S

SAUNAS

DUBLIN

The Boilerhouse: Crane Lane, Temple Bar, Dublin 2. Open Mon-Thurs 12-6am & all weekend 24 hrs.

01-677-3130

<http://www.the-boilerhouse.com>

<mailto:theboilerhouse@hotmail.com>

The Dock Sauna - Inn on the Liffey, 21 Upper Ormond Quay, Dublin 7. Open Mon-Thurs 10am-4am All weekend 24 hrs.

01-677 0828

<http://www.innontheliffey.com>

CORK

Mykonos Sauna - 40 MacCurtin St. Cork. Open Mon & Tues 1pm-1am, Wed & Thurs 1pm-4am Fri 1pm-Sun 3am

021-4503777

<http://www.mykonossaunacork.com>

<mailto:moregan@mykonossaunacork.com>

SOCIAL GROUPS

DUBLIN & THE EAST

Outhouse Men's Night

- Meets Friday 7-10

01-873-4999

www.outhouse.ie

<mailto:info@outhouse.ie>

Outhouse Women's

Night - Meets Thursday

7.30-9.30

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie/>

<mailto:outreach@outhouse.ie>

Dundalk Outcomers

Open Night - Meets

Saturday 8.30-10

042-9353035

<http://www.outcomers.org>

<mailto:info@dundalkoutcomers.com>

Dundalk Outcomers

Men's Night - Meets

Tuesday 8.30-11.30

042-9329816

<http://www.outcomers.org>

<mailto:info@dundalkoutcomers.com>

Dundalk Outcomers

Women's Night - Meets

Mondays 8-10

042-9329816

<http://www.outcomers.org>

<mailto:info@dundalkoutcomers.com>

Athy GLB group

(Kildare) - meets on

Tuesdays, every 3rd

week.

<mailto:athyglb@gmail.com>

Sunrise LGBT Group

(Kildare) - Meets every

2nd Saturday.

085-7409988

Facebook: sunrise.lgbt.kildare

<mailto:sunrise.lgbt@gmail.com>

Amach Wicklow -

Meets in Ashford 2nd

Wednesday of every

month.

<mailto:amachwicklow@gmail.com>

<mailto:gaybray@gmail.com>

Gay Bray (Wicklow) -
social group for LGBT in
Bray area.

**GLOW (Gays and
Lesbians of Wexford) -**

Mixed social group.
Meets Sundays.

051-879907

<mailto:glow@aol.ie>

EAGLE - Gay Wexford
social group. Meets 1st
Friday of the month in
Wexford Town 8pm.

Text 086-
0792625

<http://www.gaywexford.com>

<mailto:info@gaywexford.com>

BELFAST AND THE
NORTH

Men of the North -

Alternative gay venue
for men over 25. Meets
2nd Friday of every
month at Mynth,
Belfast.

<http://www.menofthenorth.com>

<mailto:info@menofthenorth.com>

In space Coffee Lounge

- Meet 1st & 3rd
Saturday of the month
at Gay Centre, Waring
St. Belfast 3-6pm. All
welcome.

Gay Newry

**Gay and Lesbian across
Down**

0044-

7791398438

<http://www.gaynewry.com>

<http://www.gladni.org>

Lesbian Friends

Northern Ireland -

Social group for LBT
women

LesbianFriendsNorthernIreland@groups.msn.com

Border Area Group

(BAG) - Based in Monaghan also includes Cavan, Fermanagh, Tyrone and Armagh areas. 087-7758640 083-0053909

<mailto:borderareagroup@yahoo.com>

Causeway LGBT

Network - Group for Causeway Coast area. Meet 1st Monday of every month 7-9 0044-791-0980314 on Thursday 7-9 only

<mailto:info@causewaylgbt.co.uk>

CORK, KERRY & THE SOUTH

Linc Drop-in - Mon-Wed 11-3, Thurs 11-8. 021-4808600

<http://www.linc.ie>

<mailto:info@linc.ie>

SOUTH Drop-in Centre (Waterford) - 1st & 2nd Wednesday of the month 8-10 086-2147633

Kerry Gay and Lesbian Project 087-2947266

<mailto:kerrygayandlesbianproject@gmail.com>

MEN (Male Emerging Network) - Social and support group for gay men (Cork). Meets monthly

<http://www.gaycork.com/men>

Gaycork.com - Social groups and monthly social events (Cork).

<http://www.gaycork.com>

<mailto:info@gaycork.com>

GALWAY THE WEST
AND NORTH WEST

I'm Out Here (Sligo) -

Informal meet up every Tuesday in Sligo at 10 Text 087-9862400

GoBLiT (Mayo) - Social group meets every Tuesday in Ballina 089-4454708

OUTWEST Gay Group -

Meets 1st Friday of every month and holds other social events 087-9725586 <http://www.outwestireland.ie> <mailto:info@outwestireland.ie>

MIDLANDS

Gay Westmeath 086-066469 <http://www.gaywestmeath.com>

LGBTinC - Support group for Cavan and surrounding areas 086-2491821 <http://www.lgbtinc.org>

**SPORTS
CLUBS/
GROUPS**

GENERAL

Out in Ireland - Gay and Lesbian Sport Network <http://www.outinireland.net>

DUBLIN AND THE EAST

Emerald Warriors -

Rugby football Club.
Training every Tuesday
and Thursday at 7.30 in
Balbrook Tallaght.

Beginners welcome, no
experience necessary.

<http://ewrfc.ie>

Dublin Devils FC - Gay
men's soccer club. All
levels welcome.

Training Tuesdays 7pm
in Phoenix Park

<http://www.dublindevilsfc.com>

<mailto:info@dublindevilsfc.com>

Irish Shamrocks - Gay
men's soccer club. All
welcome.

086-0889273

<http://www.irishshamrocksfc.com>

<mailto:info@irishshamrocksfc.com>

The Phoenix Tigers -

Dublin Lesbian soccer
team. Training on
Tuesdays in Larkin
College 8-9.30. New
players all welcome.

<mailto:phoenixtigersirl@gmail.com>

Dublin Front Runners -

Running club for gay
men and women. All
levels. Meets

Wednesday 7pm.

<http://www.dublinfrontrunners.ie>

<mailto:dublinfrontrunners@gmail.com>

G-Swim - Gay men
swimming club. Meets
Wednesday 8.45 at
statue outside
Markievicz pool,
Townsend St.

087-6665770

<mailto:Gswim@eircom.net>

Saturday Swingers -

Women's Golfing.
Meets every 2nd
Saturday. Some
experience necessary. 087-9871661

Out & About - Hiking
group. Meet Sundays at
National Concert Hall
10am for a Wicklow
Mountain hike.

<http://www.gay-hiking.org>

<mailto:gayhiking@gmail.com>

OUT4TENNIS - LGBT
Tennis Network

<http://www.outinireland.net>

OUT2TENNIS - Gay
men's tennis club

<http://www.outinireland.net>

Wet & Wild - Outdoor
pursuits club. Monthly
activities.

<mailto:wetandwild@gmail.com>

BELFAST AND THE
NORTH

Ulster Titans - Men's
Rugby Club. Training
Tuesdays 7.30-9.30pm

<http://www.ulstertitansrfc.com>

Out & About NI - Hiking
group. Meets last
Sunday of the month.

<http://www.outnabout-ni-org.uk>

<mailto:neil@outnabout-ni-org.uk>

CORK, KERRY AND THE
SOUTH

Cork Gay Hillwalkers -
Group for gay men.
Meet 1st & 3rd Sunday
of the month for

087-9736636

<http://www.corkgayhillwalkers.com>

mountain hikes in Cork,
Kerry, Tipperary,
Waterford.

Kerry Running Club
OUT4TENNIS Cork - For
men and women

<http://www.outinireland.net>

<mailto:kerryfrontrunners@gmail.com>

STUDENT LGBT SOCITIES

DUBLIN AND THE EAST

**National Union of
Students of Ireland
LGBT Rights Campaign -**

Contact Siobhan 01-7099300 /

McGuire LGBT Officer 086-7816393

<mailto:lgbt@usi.ie>

**National College of
Ireland**

<mailto:ncilgbt@wordpress.com>

**National College of Art
and Design**

<mailto:ncadlgbt@gmail.com>

**Trinity College Dublin
University College
Dublin**

<mailto:lgbtisoc@csc.tc.ie>

Dublin City University

<mailto:ucdlgbt@gmail.com>

<mailto:dculgbt@gmail.com>

Dun Laoghaire IADT

DIT

Blanchardstown IT

NUI Maynooth

Tallaght IT

**Mary Immaculate
College**

BELFAST AND THE
NORTH

**Queens University
Belfast**

Letterkenny IT

CORK KERRY AND THE
SOUTH

University College Cork

- Meets Weekly

Cork IT - Meets Wed
8pm

Waterford IT

087-2527838

Ben - 085-

7547110

Tralee IT

<http://www.ucclgb.com>

witlgbt.wetpaint.com

WEST AND NORTH

WEST

Limerick IT

University of Limerick

**Mary Immaculate
College Limerick**

Sligo IT

<mailto:info@iadsu.ie>

<mailto:lgbt@socs.dit.ie>

mailto:itb_lgbt@gmail.com

<mailto:lgbt@nuimsu.com>

<mailto:supres@it-tallaght.ie>

<mailto:maryilgbt@hotmail.com>

mailto:qub_lgb@hotmail.com

<mailto:lgb-lyit@hotmail.com>

<mailto:lgbt@uccsocieties.ie>

<mailto:lgbt@gmail.com>

<mailto:LGBT@students.ittralee.ie>

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<mailto:litisout@gmail.com>

<mailto:outinul@yahoo.ie>

<mailto:maryilgbt@hotmail.com>

<mailto:itslgbt@gmail.com>

<mailto:GMITequality@hotmail.com>

**GMIT LGBT and
Equality Society
NUI Galway**

<http://www.gigsoc.nuigalway.ie>

<mailto:gigsoc@gmail.com>

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TEACHERS

ASTI GLB Network - For second level teachers. Meet monthly in ASTI head office

087-6297727

<mailto:gayandlesbiannetwork@asti.ie>

LGB Group for Primary Teachers - Covers North and South. Has official sanction of INTO

087-6952839

<mailto:lgbt@INTO.ie>

THEATRE FESTIVAL

International Dublin Gay theatre Festival - Annual event, celebrating contribution of gay people to theatre, past and present. Runs every May of each year.

<http://www.gaytheatre.ie>

<mailto:info@gaytheatre.ie>

TRANSGENDER TRANSEXUAL

GENERAL INFO

Transsexuals have been diagnosed with Gender Identity Disorder by a psychiatrist or clinical psychologist, and basically see themselves permanently in the opposite gender role from that in which they were born. This is a clinical condition which once diagnosed involves the body being matched to the sex of the brain, by a combination of hormones and or surgery. Not all transsexual can or do undergo gender reassignment treatment, while some will only undergo partial reassignment.

SERVICES

Gender Identity Disorder Ireland -

GIDI is a registered charity and is the national support organisation for people with Gender Identity Disorder, those experiencing difficulties with their gender identity. As a registered charity we are all inclusive and provide support to all those experiencing difficulties with gender identity, including Male to Female and

021-4638625 /
086-8838513 /
087-0942973

<http://www.gidi.ie>

<mailto:info@gidi.ie>

<p>Female to Male. Our organisation also provides information and support for families, relatives, friends, employers, service providers etc.</p>			
<p>Transgender Equality Network Ireland - seeks to improve conditions and advance the rights and equality of trans people and their families.</p>	01- 873 3575	http://www.teni.ie	mailto:info@teni.ie
<p>First Port of call - Vanessa Lacey is TENI's Development Worker. She has a background in counselling and a BA in Psychology. She works with trans groups across Ireland, and can help signpost towards support services and pathways.</p>	085-1477166		mailto:vanessa@teni.ie
<p>The Irish Trans Group Alliance currently has member groups in Cavan, Cork, Dublin, Galway, Limerick and Waterford. They also assist families and friends of trans people to create their own groups. See web page opposite for list:</p>		http://www.teni.ie/page.aspx?contentid=14	
<p>Health Professionals Support -See web page opposite for full list of Health Professionals and Clinics in Ireland with Gender Identity Experience.</p>		http://www.teni.ie/page.aspx?contentid=116	
<p>Individuality is a social group for young trans people and those questioning their gender identity. It is run by BeLonGTo, and meets</p>	01 6706223	http://www.belongto.org/	

weekly.

Transgender Peer Support Group -

Bi monthly meeting. Outhouse

01-8734999

<http://www.outhouse.ie>

<mailto:outreach@outhouse.ie>

TRANSVESTITE

GENERAL INFO

Transvestites are mainly but not exclusively heterosexual. A small number would consider themselves gay but how they see themselves is predominantly defined by their cultural background. For example, the Philippino community would say that they are gay, whereas in Ireland most transvestites consider themselves to be heterosexual. They can switch between being dressed and being in their natural born gender with ease. Many transvestites do this for sexual gratification, at least initially. They gain a feeling of calmness when dressed, and generally as they get older this need to dress becomes stronger and stronger, which can cause marital stress, divorce and a lot of heartache within the family environment.

SERVICES

The Gemini Club - based in Nth Frederick St. Run by Natalie Conroy (born female) who provides a dressing and make up services, for which there is a charge. Every Friday night there is a social group which meets there, and they can leave clothes, change and venture to the bars in town.

087 7621869
between 10am and
9pm

Tranniehaven Club - Saturday night club for TV/TS and admirers.

Amanda - 086-
1548936

Miss Fantasia - South William Street, Dublin. Clothes Store that accommodates transvestites.

<http://www.missfantasia.ie>

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Women's Groups/Services - See
Lesbian

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YOUTH GROUPS

GENERAL

BeLonG To is a national youth service for Lesbian Gay Bisexual & Transgender (LGBT) young people in Ireland.

07-6706223

<http://www.belongto.org>

<mailto:info@belongto.org>

CAVAN

AIM Youth Group - for young LGBT people aged 14 - 18 years old. Community Youth Project, Bridge Street, Cavan, Co. Cavan

086-1625030

<mailto:youth@outcomers.org>

CORK

Phoenix Youth Group - Group at LINC is for Lesbian, Bisexual & Transgender young women, Linc, 11a White Street, Cork.

021-4808600

<mailto:info@linc.ie>

Unite - Gay, Bisexual and Transgender youth group for under 24s. The Other Place, 8 South Main Street, Cork.

021-4278470

<mailto:info@gayyouthcork.com>

DONEGAL

Breakout - youth group for young people aged 14-18 who identify as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual or Transgender. The group is open to young people from Donegal and the North West of Ireland. Donegal Youth Services, 16 - 18 Port Road, Letterkenny, Co. Donegal

085-7411607

<mailto:lgbt@donegalyouthservice.ie>

DUBLIN

Belongto Sunday - BeLonG To Sunday is a youth group for Lesbian, Gay, Bi-sexual and Transgender young people based in Dublin. OUTHouse, 105 Capel Street, Dublin 1

07-6706223

<mailto:info@belongto.org>

IndividualiTy - social group for young trans people and those questioning their gender identity. BeLonG To Parliament House, 13 Parliament Street, Dublin 2, Ireland

07-6706223

<mailto:info@belongto.org>

BeLonG To Over 18s Group - group is for LGBT young people aged 18 - 23 from Dublin and surrounding areas. BeLonG To Parliament House, 13 Parliament Street, Dublin 2, Ireland

07-6706223

<mailto:info@belongto.org>

Tallaght LGBT & Allies Group - 'The Shak', Tallaght Youth Service, Mountain Park, Old Bawn Road, Tallaght, Dublin 24

086-2865801

<mailto:bronagh.connolly@foroige.ie>

The Ladybirds - group for young Lesbian, Bi-sexual and Transgender women in Dublin aged 14 - 23 years of age, the group meets weekly on Thursdays BeLonG To Parliament House, 13 Parliament Street, Dublin 2, Ireland

07-6706223

<mailto:info@belongto.org>

GALWAY

shOUT - group for Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender or simply uncertain young people aged from 14 to 23 years old.
Youth Work Ireland offices, 41-43 Prospect Hill, Galway

087-7738529

<mailto:shout@youthworkgalway.ie>

KERRY

Kerry LGBT Youth Project - group for young people aged 15 - 18 years for Kerry and the South West. Kerry Diocesan Youth Service, Denny Street, Tralee, Co. Kerry.

066-7121674

LIMERICK

My Diversity - group is aimed at young persons aged between 18 and 25.
Rainbow Support Services, Fox's Bow, William Street, Limerick

085-2850107 / 061-310101

<mailto:mylgbsss@gmail.com>

LOUTH

AIM Youth Group - group is for young LGBT people aged 14 - 17 years old.
Dundalk Outcomers The Coach House 8 Roden Place Dundalk

086-1625030

<mailto:youth@outcomers.org>

AIM Young Adults Group - Dundalk Outcomers Young Adults' Drop-In is a safe space to get to know some other LGBT young people. Dundalk Outcomers The Coach House 8 Roden Place Dundalk

086-1625030

<mailto:youth@outcomers.org>

MAYO

SMILY - for young LGBT people aged 14 - 23 years old. Ballina, Co. Mayo.

087-1802672

<mailto:smilynwys@gmail.com>

SLIGO

SMILY - for young LGBT people aged 14 - 23 years old. Sligo Town.

087-1802672

<mailto:smilynwys@gmail.com>

TIPPERARY

OUT Tipp - Tipperary Regional Youth Service, Tipperary Town

087-9100727

<mailto:outipp@gmail.com>

WATERFORD

ChillOUT youth project works with Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) young people in Waterford City and the Southeast. It supports and resources young people aged between 14-23. Edmund Rice Youth and Community Centre, Manor Street Waterford.

086-8589865

<mailto:chillout@wstcys.ie>

WEXFORD

Gay Youth Wexford - group is for young LGBT people aged 14 - 18 years old. FDYS, Francis Street, Wexford

<mailto:gayyouthwexford@gmail.com>

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