Resources for LGBT Seniors

Print (Cherry Hill, NJ area)

Out in Jersey
http://outinjersey.net/
https://www.facebook.com/OutInJersey/
https://outinjersey.net/distribution-locations/

“Out In Jersey is a top source for news, events, features, commentary, plus the latest theatre, restaurant, music, books, and DVD reviews. We specialize in covering news and events that are relevant to the LGBT community of New Jersey.”

PGN
http://www.epgn.com/
https://www.facebook.com/PhillyGayNews/
http://www.epgn.com/where-to-find-us

“The Philadelphia Gay News is the area’s largest and oldest publication targeted to the lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender community. Started in 1976, we strive to focus on and promote businesses and populations within our community to engender mutual success. This includes publishing special issues to highlight areas such as marriage, pets and health, as well as tackling sensitive issues like LGBT suicide and homelessness.”
Online

Cherry Hill Public Library Resources for the LGBTQ Community and Allies
https://chplnj.org/LGBTQresources

“Libraries are for everyone! Cherry Hill Public Library is committed to ensuring that our library is a welcoming space for members of the LGBTQ community, their families, and allies. We also strive to have a broad range of programs and materials that meet the informational needs of LGBTQ patrons, as well as educate our entire community.”

Center for Positive Aging - Resources for Older LGBT Persons
http://www.centerforpositiveaging.org/lgbt.html

- Based in Atlanta, but provides national resources

“The Center for Positive Aging has compiled a resource list of valuable website links we hope will provide lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) older adults and their families with the knowledge needed to help navigate the maze of LGBT information available today. We hope that this information will help interested individuals find community products and services needed to assist in successful aging. Please note that this resource list is meant only for information purposes and it is not exhaustive or all-inclusive.”
Diverse Elders Coalition
https://www.diverseelders.org/who-we-are/diverse-elders/lgbt-elders/
http://www.facebook.com/DiverseElders
Phone: 646-653-5015
Email: info@diverseelders.org

“The Diverse Elders Coalition (DEC) advocates for policies and programs that improve aging in our communities as racially and ethnically diverse people; American Indians and Alaska Natives; and lesbian, gay, bisexual and/or transgender people. Together, we are made up of five national organizations representing a growing majority of millions of older people throughout the country: American Indian and Alaska Native Elders; Asian American, Pacific Islander, and Native Hawaiian older adults; Black and African American older adults; Hispanic and Latinx older adults; and lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) older adults. We have come together to promote policy changes and programmatic solutions that respond to this demographic shift and will remove the barriers facing our communities. We envision a world where all older adults can live full and active lives as they age.”

Griot Circle
https://griotcircle.org/
https://www.facebook.com/griotcircleinc

“GRIOT (Gay Reunion In Our Time) Circle was founded as an informal gathering of elders and was officially recognized as a nonprofit 501(c)(3) in 1996. GRIOT Circle remains the only organization exclusively dedicated to serving the needs of elder LGBTQ people of color.”
LGBT Aging Issues Network (LAIN)
https://www.asaging.org/lain
https://www.facebook.com/asaging/

“The LGBT Aging Issues Network (LAIN) works to raise awareness about the concerns of lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) elders and about the unique barriers they encounter in gaining access to housing, healthcare, long-term care and other needed services. LAIN seeks to foster professional development, multidisciplinary research and wide-ranging dialogue on LGBT issues in the field of aging through publications, conferences, and cosponsored events. LAIN welcomes the participation of all concerned individuals regardless of age, sexual orientation or gender identity.”

LGBT Elder Initiative
https://lgbtelderinitiative.org/
https://lgbtelderinitiative.org/lgbt-ei-resource-guide/
https://www.facebook.com/LGBTEI/
1315 Spruce St.
Philadelphia, PA 19107
Phone: 215-720-9415
Email: info@lgbtei.org

“The LGBT Elder Initiative (LGBTEI) is committed to assuring that lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender older adults have rights and opportunities to live vibrant, creative and mutually supportive lives. To achieve this vision, the mission of the LGBTEI is to foster and advocate for services and resources that are competent, culturally sensitive, inclusive and responsive to the needs of LGBT elders in the Delaware Valley and beyond.
The LGBTEI is dedicated to building bridges between Aging and LGBT service and community organizations and consumers through advocacy, information, education and referral.”

**LGBT+ National Aging Research Center**

[http://age-pride.org/](http://age-pride.org/)
[https://www.facebook.com/AgingWithPride/](https://www.facebook.com/AgingWithPride/)

Phone: 1-800-558-8703
Email: AgePride@uw.edu

“Built upon more than two decades of research on LGBTQ aging, the LGBT+ National Aging Research Center is dedicated to creating innovations to address the health, aging, and well-being of LGBTQ midlife and older adults and their families. This Center is built upon strong collaborations across the nation with LGBTQ older adults, their families and communities, and service providers as well as multidisciplinary experts from such diverse fields as Social Work, Medicine, Public Health, Sociology, Nursing, Psychology, Statistics, and Ethics. The Center projects illuminate innovation in the use of science to promote best practices in research, training, and resource and program development to promote equity and reduce social, economic and health disparities now and for generations to come.”
Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender National Senior Hotline
https://www.glbthotline.org/senior-hotline.html
Phone: 1-888-234-7243
Email: Help@LGBThotline.org

“The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) National Senior Hotline provides telephone peer-support, as well as factual information and local resources for our senior community. No matter where they live, LGBT seniors have a place to call when they need peer-support, information and local resources. Many times our callers are very isolated, some in the closet or and in need of a caring, non-judgmental person to talk with. The Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) National Senior Hotline provides seniors the ability to talk with our trained peer-support volunteers about issues including isolation, relationship concerns, bullying, family concerns, HIV/AIDS and much more. We also provide local senior resource information for cities and towns across the United States. All services are free and confidential. Call the hotline at 1-888-234-7243. The hotline is open Monday through Friday from 4pm - midnight, Eastern Time and on Saturday from noon to 5PM Eastern Time. Prefer to use email? Reach out at Help@LGBThotline.org.”

National Center for Lesbian Rights
http://www.nclrights.org/our-work/elders/
http://www.facebook.com/nclrights
Phone: 415-392-6257
Email: Info@NCLRights.org

“The National Center for Lesbian Rights (NCLR) has been advancing the civil and human rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender people and their families through litigation, legislation, policy, and public education since it was founded in 1977.”
The National Resource Center on LGBT Aging (a project of www.sageusa.org)
https://www.lgbtagingcenter.org/
https://www.lgbtagingcenter.org/resources/resources.cfm?st=NJ
https://www.lgbtagingcenter.org/resources/pdfs/LGBTPlanningTipsforLGBTIndividualsCouples.pdf
https://www.facebook.com/lgbtagingcenter

“The National Resource Center on LGBT Aging is the country's first and only technical assistance resource center aimed at improving the quality of services and supports offered to lesbian, gay, bisexual and/or transgender older adults. Established in 2010 through a federal grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, the National Resource Center on LGBT Aging provides training, technical assistance and educational resources to aging providers, LGBT organizations and LGBT older adults. The center is led by SAGE, in collaboration with 18 leading organizations from around the country.”

NJ Gay Life
http://www.njgaylife.com/
https://www.facebook.com/NJGayLife/

“The original, the official and still the best website for the Garden State GLBT community. We've been at it since 1997!”
Old Lesbians Organizing for Change
https://oloc.org/
https://www.facebook.com/NationalOLOC/
Phone: 1-888-706-7506

“We are a national network of Old Lesbians in our 60th year or older working to confront ageism in our communities and our country. We use education and public discourse as our primary tools. Our national organization is directed by a Steering Committee that works to form and support local groups who will work in their own communities.”

PFLAG Collingswood
https://pflag.org/chapter/pflag-collingswood
https://www.facebook.com/collingswood.pflag/
Phone: 856-834-6355
Email: pflagcollingswood@gmail.com

“Serving southern New Jersey, PFLAG Collingswood provides parents, family members, friends, or gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender people with a variety of resources, including a support group, educational materials, and a topical speakers series.”

SAGE USA
https://www.sageusa.org/
https://www.facebook.com/SAGEUSA/

“SAGE is the country’s largest and oldest organization dedicated to improving the lives of LGBT older people. Founded in 1978 and headquartered in New York City, SAGE is a national organization that offers supportive services and consumer resources to LGBT older people and their caregivers.”
SAGE Philadelphia

http://www.waygay.org/seniors/
https://www.facebook.com/waygayphiladelphia/
1315 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, PA 19107
Phone: 215-732-2220
Email: emiller@waygay.org
Ed Miller, Senior Programs Coordinator

SAGE Philadelphia, a program of the William Way LGBT Community Center, was established in 2009 and provides programs and services for LGBT older adults age 50 and over. These robust programs include: the 50+ Rap Session, Connecting Generations, Tuesday Mornings Out, Women’s Wednesdays, and Silver Foxes. SAGE Philadelphia also provides training to outside agencies that are designed to help create safe, inclusive and welcoming environments to LGBT older people.
Literary Magazines

The Gay and Lesbian Review (subscription)
https://glreview.org/

“The Gay & Lesbian Review / Worldwide (The G&LR) is a bimonthly magazine targeting an educated readership of gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgendered (GLBT) men and women. Under the tagline, “a bimonthly journal of history, culture, and politics,” The G&LR publishes essays in a wide range of disciplines as well as reviews of books, movies, and plays.”

Gertrude Press
https://www.gertrudepress.org/
https://www.facebook.com/gertrudepress/
Email: editorgertrudepress@gmail.com

“Gertrude Press is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization founded in 1998 by writer Eric Delehoy. Gertrude now holds the distinction of being the longest consecutively published queer journal. We have published work by over 300 individuals from more than 35 U.S. states and 11 countries worldwide. We serve as a springboard for artists and authors to further their professional careers, including university tenure and book publication.”

Lambda Literary
https://www.lambdaliterary.org/

“Lambda Literary nurtures and advocates for LGBTQ writers, elevating the impact of their words to create community, preserve our legacies, and affirm the value of our stories and our lives.”
Lavender Review: Lesbian Poetry & Art
http://www.lavrev.net/

“Lavender Review was born on Gay Pride Day, June 27, 2010, and became a publication of Headmistress Press in 2013. Lavender Review is an international, biannual (June & December) e-zine dedicated to poetry and art by, about, and for lesbians, including whatever LGBTQ might appeal to a lesbian readership. This e-zine is free, and open to everyone.”

Plenitude Magazine
http://plenitudemagazine.ca/
https://www.facebook.com/PlenitudeMagazine

“Plenitude Magazine aims to promote the growth and development of LGBTTQI literature through the regular online publication of literary fiction, nonfiction, poetry, reviews, and cultural criticism by both emerging and established LGBTTQI writers, and to foster a community through an exchange of ideas and resources. Our view of queerness centres Black and Indigenous people, people of colour, trans people, people with disabilities, youth, and elders.”

Vetch: A Magazine of Trans Poetry and Poetics
http://www.vetchpoetry.org/

“Vetch is the first magazine of its kind, a journal of poetry solely by trans writers. We aim to publish work that is as excited about being poetry as it is engaged with the social conditions that allow for its production. Say it has an aesthetic and doubles down hard, wouldn’t that be fun. Want to learn more? Download our issues, available for whatever price you can pay (including $0).”
News/Culture

The Advocate
https://www.advocate.com/
https://www.facebook.com/TheAdvocate

“Celebrating 45 years of continuous publication, The Advocate and Advocate.com serve as the world’s leading gay news source. The magazine reports monthly on news, politics, business, medical issues, fine arts, and entertainment. Advocate.com is a source for breaking news and current events in all of those areas.”

Autostraddle
https://www.autostraddle.com/
https://www.facebook.com/Autostraddle

“Founded in March 2009 by Riese Bernard and Alexandra Vega and still run by a dedicated team of passionate weirdos, Autostraddle is an intelligent, hilarious & provocative voice and a progressively feminist online community for multiple generations of kickass lesbian, bisexual & otherwise inclined ladies (and their friends).”

Curve
http://www.curvemag.com/
https://www.facebook.com/curvemag

“Curve, the nation’s best-selling lesbian magazine, spotlights all that is fresh, funny, exciting, controversial and cutting-edge in our community. Curve brings you the latest in lesbian-related celebrity interviews, news, politics, pop culture, style, travel, social issues and entertainment.”
Instinct
http://instinctmagazine.com/
http://www.facebook.com/instinctmagazine

“Your one-stop authority on LGBT news, culture, and entertainment.”

Into
https://www.intomore.com
https://www.facebook.com/INTO

“A digital magazine for the modern queer world.”

Metrosource
https://metrosource.com/
https://www.facebook.com/metrosource/

“To bring our readers all the fashionable fun, stylish information and indispensable resources, including our feisty columnists, intriguing celebrity features, useful health info and travel tips — all from a refreshing LGBT perspective. Plus, we've got searchable directories of restaurants, bars, shops and many other businesses that support the gay and lesbian community.”

Out
https://www.out.com/
https://www.facebook.com/outmagazine

“The world's leading LGBTQ fashion & lifestyle magazine.”
Passport
https://passportmagazine.com/
https://www.facebook.com/PASSPORTMag/

“PASSPORT is the #1 source of unbiased travel writing about destinations and topics pertinent to the gay/lesbian traveler and their friends.”

Booklists

Over the Rainbow Booklist
https://www.glbtrt.ala.org/overtherainbow/archives/category/final-bibliographies

“Sponsored by the Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Round Table (GLBTRT) of the American Library Association (ALA)...[the] mission is to create a bibliography of books that exhibit commendable literary quality and significant authentic GLBT content and are recommended for adults over age 18. It is not meant to be all-inclusive but is intended as an annual core list for readers and librarians searching for recommendations for a cross-section of the year’s titles.”

Stonewall Book Awards List
http://www.ala.org/rt/glbtrt/award/stonewall/honored

“The first and most enduring award for GLBT books is the Stonewall Book Awards, sponsored by the American Library Association's Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Round Table... honor[ing] exceptional merit relating to the gay/lesbian/bisexual/transgender experience.”

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