

Center CARE Training Institute

Training for providers who work with LGBT people and community



The Center CARE Training Institute offers specialized training sessions for professionals who work with lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) people in the New York City area. Providing LGBT competency training is essential to clinicians practicing in a city as diverse as New York, and our series of trainings have been carefully developed to offer important information, resources, and creative clinical skills to help you enhance the lives of your LGBT clients.

Each year the Center CARE Training Institute offers two series of trainings, fall and spring.

Center CARE is part of the adult mental health and social services division of the New York City Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual & Transgender Community Center (the Center). Since 1983, the Center has provided groundbreaking cultural, civic, and health programs and services to New York City's LGBT community as well as the general public.

Who Should Attend?

- **Clinicians**
- **Counselors**
- **Case Managers**
- **Program Directors**
- **Peer Educator**
- **CASACs**
- **CASAC-Ts**
- **Students**
- **Anyone needing OASAS CEUs**

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Trans-Care Training Certificate

Participants who attend and complete both core modules and one elective from the Trans-Care training curriculum are eligible to receive a *Trans-Care Certificate of Achievement*.

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Among Our Groundbreaking Programs:

Center CARE Wellness offers short-term, integrated substance abuse and mental health counseling to the lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender communities, including loss and grief, harm reduction, smoking cessation, sexuality, coming out issues, services for people living with and/or affected by HIV/AIDS, and peer-based services for transgender, gender non-conforming, and gender questioning individuals, their partners, and families.

Center CARE Recovery is the Center's new licensed outpatient substance abuse treatment program. Center CARE Recovery provides, among many other services: individual, couple and family counseling; alcohol and substance abuse education; HIV prevention, education and referrals services; vocational preparation and skills development; tobacco education and smoking cessation programs; psychiatric medication management; and services to significant others and those living in recovery from alcohol and other drugs.

Gender Identity Project, nearly two decades old, offers counseling, information and referral as well as support groups for transgender, gender-different, gender questioning people, their partners and families. The GIP also provides professional education, sensitivity training, forums, and community education to organizations that offer services for substance and alcohol abuse and HIV/AIDS.

Lesbian Cancer Initiative, professional and peer-based services for lesbians, bisexual women, transgender people and their families who are living with, affected by, or at risk for cancer.

Youth Enrichment Services (YES) provides activities-based support, counseling and discussion groups for young people ages 13-21. YES also offers workshops in creative writing, video performance and computer training, HIV prevention for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and questioning youth, dances, and socials. YES also offers professional development training for youth workers, child welfare workers, teachers, guidance counselors, and school administrators.

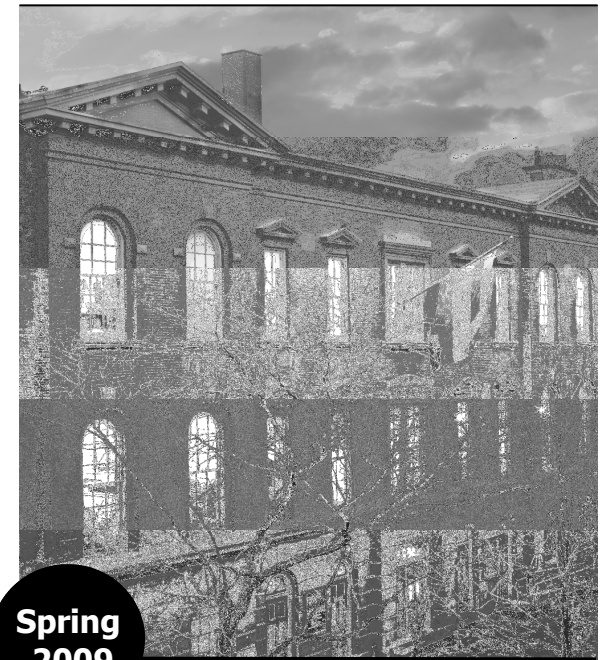
Center Kids, a model for LGBT family organizing, promotes the legitimacy and visibility of LGBT families. More than 2,500 families in the tri-state area partake in the program.

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