# LGBTQ RESOURCE GUIDE

# **Sexual Assault & Relationship Violence**

Sexual assault and relationship violence affect every demographic and every community – including lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, and questioning (LGBTQ) people. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), LGBTQ people experience sexual violence at similar or higher rates than non-LGBTQ people and may have unique barriers to accessing safety and services.

## You are not alone: Statistics

Approximately 1 in 8 lesbian women (13%) and nearly half of bisexual women (46%) have been raped in their lifetime (NISVS, 2010)

Four in 10 gay men (40%) and nearly half of bisexual men (47%) have experienced sexual violence other than rape in their lifetime (NISVS,2010)

64% of transgender people have experienced sexual assault in their lifetime (National Center for Transgender Equality, 2011)

44% percent of lesbian women, 61% of bisexual women, and 35% of heterosexual women experienced rape, physical violence, and/or stalking by an intimate partner in their lifetime (NISVS, 2010)

26% of gay men and 37% of bisexual men experienced rape, physical violence, and/or stalking by an intimate partner at some point in their lifetime (NISVS, 2010)

### You are not to blame

#### Confidential Support or Information

#### Safe Office

24/7: 336.758.5285 http://safeoffice.wfu.edu/

#### Report to the University

#### Title IX Office

336.758.7258 http://sopr.wfu.edu/

#### Report to Police

## **University Police Dept.**

336.758.5911

(or)

Winston-Salem Police Dept.

336.773.7700

# Resources are here to help!

#### **Campus**

- Safe Office\*: 24/7: (336) 758.5285
- PREPARE Student Advocates\*: 24/7: (336) 671.7075
- University Counseling Center\*: (336) 758.5273
  - Student Health Service\*: (336) 758.5218
- Chaplain's Office\*: (336) 758.5017
  - Title IX Office: (336) 758.7258
  - LGBTQ Center: (336) 758.4665
    - University Police: 24/7: (336) 758.5911
    - Office of Diversity and Inclusion: (336) 758.5864
    - \* = CONFIDENTIAL resource

#### Winston Salem/North Carolina

• Family Services:

DV 24/7: (336) 723.8125 Sexual Assault 24/7: (336) 722.4457

- PFLAG Winston Salem: (336) 448.4250
- North Star LGBT Community Center: (336) 893.9053
  - The Adam Foundation: http://adamfoundation.org/
  - Equality North Carolina: http://equalitync.org/
    - Interfaith Voice: http://www.facebook.com/ InterfaithVoice/
  - Triad Equality Alliance: http://www.ibiblio.org/tea/about.htm
- Winston-Salem Police Department: (336) 773.7700 or 911

#### **Online**

- National Sexual Assault Hotline: 24/7: 1.800.656.HOPE (4673)
  - Northwest Network: Hotline: 206.568.7777 http://www.nwnetwork.org/
  - GLBT National Help Center: Hotline: 1.800.246.PRIDE (7743)
    - The Network La Red: Hotline: 617.742.4911 http://tnlr.org/en/get-support/
  - The Anti-Violence Project: http://www.avp.org/
- Gay Men's Domestic Violence
  Project: Hotline: 1.800.832.1901
  - Love is Respect Hotline: 24/7: 1.866.331.99474
    - **FORGE**: http://forge-forward.org/