

# GLSO NEWS

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### SEXUAL ORIENTATION NOT A FACTOR IN SECURITY CLEARANCES, GAO FINDS

Washington, D.C. (AP): Federal agencies appear to have ended their practice of using homosexuality as a basis for denying security clearances, a congressional report says. The agencies for years had denied clearances to homosexuals on the assumption that all gay people are at risk of being blackmailed.

In a report released Friday, the General Accounting Office said it "judgementally" reviewed records for civilians and contractors from eight agencies: the departments of Defense, Energy and State; the Office of Personnel Management; the U.S. Information Agency; the FBI; the Secret Service, and the U.S. Customs Service.

All eight told the GAO, which is the investigative arm of Congress, that homosexuality is not a criterion in considering the granting of security clearances. Six of the eight agencies have written policies and procedures that prohibit direct questions on an applicant's sexual orientation. The other two - Defense and the Secret Service - said sexual orientation is not a criterion but that

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### DON'T GET DISCOURAGED!

*Contributed by Reverend Ruth Fiscella of P-FLAG*

The winter months have been lean for attendance at P-P-FLAG. Who knows, but what if P-FLAG has helped the many people who have come to us and there aren't any more left? I doubt that! Have you sent your parents to us or to a chapter we can locate for you all over the U.S.?

Nevertheless, our organization remains strong and goes forward. We have continued our individual crusades. One thing I have done is to write letters. Perhaps you saw my letter to the editor in the Lexington paper on March 29. Then, I also wrote a letter to every one of the nine organizations listed in last month's GLSO News under "Know Thy Enemies" asking them why they hate and persecute my daughter and insisting on a reply.

I will sadly have to miss all of Pride Month here, as I return to New York State for a wedding on June 3 and will stay there for the summer, but I hope you will attend our P-FLAG Reunion on June 15 at Chapel Hill Church. P-FLAG needs your support!▼

### HOUSE MEMBERS BLAST GINGRICH FOR EFFORT TO RESTORE BAN ON GAYS IN THE MILITARY

*Bipartisan Group Speaks Out at HRCF Press Conference*

Washington, D.C.: The House National Security Committee today blasted House Speaker Newt Gingrich for advocating that the Republican Congress restore the military's old policy against lesbian and gay service members. Republican and Democratic members of the House committee that oversees the armed forces joined a Capitol Hill press conference today called by the Human Rights Campaign Fund (HRCF), the nation's largest lesbian and gay political organization.

Appearing at today's press conference were Rep. Marty Meehan (D-Mass.), who hosted the event in his Congressional office, and Reps. Peter Torkildsen (R-Mass.), Gerry

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they had not revised their written policies and procedures to reflect this.

All of the agencies indicated that concealment of any personal behavior that could result in exploitation, blackmail or coercion constituted a security concern.

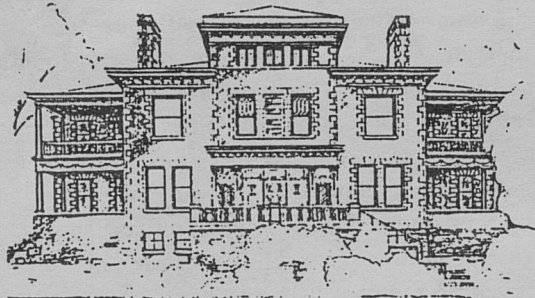
The GAO also contacted gay rights organizations, attorneys and a paralegal who have represented gays in security clearance cases, and individuals who had had their clearances denied or revoked, allegedly on the grounds of sexual orientation. They told the GAO that clearances have not been recently denied because of sexual orientation.

"In addition, our detailed review of selected security clearance denials, revocations and suspensions during fiscal year 1993 showed that none were attributable to sexual

orientation," the GAO said.

The requirement for federal employees who handle classified information to be trustworthy was derived from a loyalty program established by Pres. Truman in 1947, a time of growing concern over the communist threat. Executive Order 10450 modified the program in 1953, and for the first time, included "sexual perversion" as a basis for removal from the federal service.

It was not until 1975 that the Civil Service issued guidelines prohibiting the federal government from denying jobs to people on the basis of sexual orientation. But policies regarding security clearances remained generally vague or restrictive with regard to homosexuals until the early 1990s.▼



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# COMMUNITY NEWS

## A GALA FOR GAYS

**The Pride Picnic.** The kickoff event for Pride Month will be a fabulous picnic scheduled for June 4th at Bell Court, from 12 to 5. Picnic food, *including vegetarian*, will be sold. Tri-State Gay Rodeo is planning a mini-People's Rodeo where participants can show off their athletic skills or make total fools of themselves. Artists and vendors can display and sell items inside the Bell House. To reserve tables, call Carole *soon* at 268-2770. A six-foot table is \$15 and an eight-foot table is \$20. There will be a community table for pamphlets and information at no cost.

More than 400 people came to the picnic last year; we're expecting an even bigger turnout this time. If you have never been to a large, fairly public lesbian event, you may feel some anxiety at the prospect. It is well worth the effort to attend such an event. We are a diverse community. When gathered together for celebration and fun, we take on new energy and beauty. A gaggle of gays, a dapple of dykes, a bristle of bi's, a quarrel of queers, a bevy of lezzies, and even a few hip hets. Please join us!

**Pride Month.** Pride Month plans are developing well. Although some advertising is already in place, it is not too late to list an even in the June edition of the GLSO. You need to do it soon! Please call Mary at 266-5904, or Karl at 271-2673. It is also not too late to volunteer to help

at the picnic or other events. Call Mary. Volunteer of the Year nominations are due in to Tri-State Gay Rodeo. To nominate someone, call Terry at 255-5469.▼

## TO-DO'S WITH THE IMPERIAL COURT

Lexington's Imperial Court is the second oldest gay organization in town (after GLSO) and the first Court east of the Mississippi. New York City's Court was second and their Night of 1,000 Gowns Coronation Ball costs big bucks - and is a huge party. Anyway, here are some upcoming dates for Imperial Court functions:

The Imperial Court's annual Coronation is Memorial Day weekend with the following events:

**Thursday, May 25, 9pm:** In Town Show (local performers entertain for visiting guests). At Times Square.

**Friday, May 26, 9pm:** Out of Town Show (visitors perform). At Times Square.

**Saturday, May 27:** Coronation Ball at the Radisson Hotel, starting about 6pm.

**Sunday, May 28:** Victory Brunch at the Radisson from 11am - 3pm (roughly).

The Imperial Court meets every second and fourth Sundays. Times vary. For more information, call the new Emperor, Michael Blevins, at 225-5151.

As a reminder, proceeds from ICK events go to charities such as AVOL.▼

## PEGASUS DONATES TO GLSO

Pegasus Travel, Inc. has once again given a nice donation to the GLSO. Anyone making travel arrangements with them can mention GLSO and we will receive 1% of your ticket cost. This time, that amounted to \$92 for the last eight months. Since the Post Office says we can no longer carry an ad for Pegasus, it is important to remind you to pass the word to use Pegasus. They can be reached at 268-4337. Their phone number will be listed in our directory from now on.▼

## INTERNATIONAL GAY BOWLING ORGANIZATION DISCO BOWL

Remember bell bottom pants, loud colors, and Saturday Night Fever? Whether you do or don't, come to Joyland Bowling Lanes on May 13th and we'll give you a blast from the past.

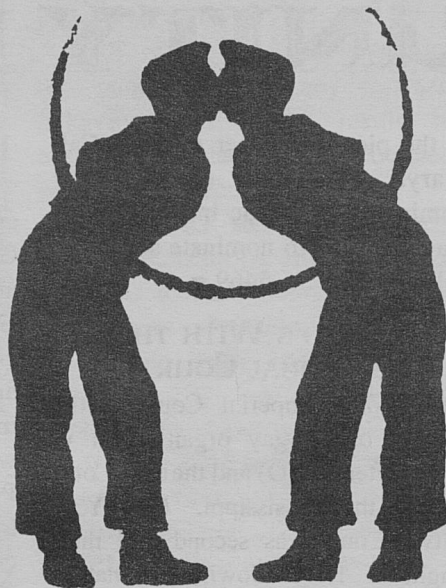
The IGBO Mid-Year 1995 committee will be hosting a "Disco Bowl" Singles No-Tap Bowling Tournament on Saturday, May 13th at 9pm. Wear your highest platform shoes and plan for a night of disco music, bowling and fun.

Registration starts at 8pm, Bowling at 9pm. Entry fee is \$10.00 per person. For more information, call Steve at 276-3058 or Chuck at 268-8541.▼

## BOARD NOMINATIONS

Election for the GLSO Board-

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and Fronrunners, Lexington  
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In late 1988, I began intense therapy for the abuse I had experienced as a child as well as an adult. In 1989, once I had gotten through the worst of my mother's abuse toward me (and my own hatred of her!), I found myself being physically and sexually attracted to a very close female friend I had known for four years. By then, I had a number of gay male and female friends from 12-step programs, so I was free to talk with them about what I was experiencing.

As I learned more about the coming out experiences of these friends, I realized that I was, in fact, a lesbian - and had indeed been born a lesbian. My heterosexual 12-step support system stuck with me through all this, and today I am still close friends with many straights. Since my coming out to myself was also both a spiritual and recovery experience, I did not experience the hurt and rejection that many of my gay friends had experienced. I consider myself blessed and am very grateful for this. After all, I could not

accept the gayness of my friends and not accept it in me!

My younger son was killed in July, 1989. He knew about my coming out process and had been totally accepting of this. I am only sorry that he did not live to meet my spouse, as I know he would have loved her as much as I do. My older son had already separated himself from me due to my continued 12-step recovery process, is very homophobic, is married and my grandson was born the day after my mother's funeral in 1992.

My son joined a fundamentalist church when he met his wife, and he does not want me to see my grandson who was named for my dead son. My dad has a lovely, nurturing ladyfriend; my spouse and I immediately adopted as our mother, and she is everything that my mother wasn't and could not be, and because both of my spouse's parents are dead. Dad and his lady love and accept us as a couple, and they sneak pictures of my grandson to me periodically.

My spouse and I met at the GLSO coming out support group in early 1990, and we celebrated our five-year anniversary in January, 1995. We have very different backgrounds. She went through

years of pain and self-doubt because of this, and never acted on it until her own coming out in 1989. I now believe that my 22 years of successfully playing "Mrs. Brady of the Brady Bunch" probably shielded me from those feelings of social ostracism that my spouse and other G/L/B persons felt because they could not fit into the socially acceptable mold. We are out to our immediate families, and I actually have more close in-laws than my own relatives due to my spouse's larger family.

The GLSO support structure was in place for me and my spouse in our separate coming processes. The gay friends I had already made in 12-step programs were there for me, and my straight 12-step program friends remained there for me, always accepting me as a person, and not just a "sexual orientation." While my blood family is very small and often fails me, my "recovery family" is enormous and has never failed me.

Homophobia is a terrible social and spiritual evil that exists in our culture, both within and outside the gay community. One very important lesson I learned in therapy is that

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# May 1995

## GLSO Salutes the Imperial Court, the 2nd Oldest Gay Organization in Lexington, and the Coronation Ball



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>1</b> 7:30 PM GLSO Board Mtg. (Peter's) 7:30 PM Pride Ctr. Taskforce	<b>2</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian Al-Anon 8:45 PM Rainbow Bowling (Southland Lanes)	<b>3</b> AIDS/HIV Sppt. Grp. 6:00 PM Frontrunners (Woodland Park) 8:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>4</b> 7:00 PM Lex. Men's Chorus Rehearsal 8:00 PM HIV/AIDS Sppt. Grp.	<b>5</b> <i>Cinco de Mayo</i> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>6</b> 9:00 AM Frontrunners
<b>7</b> 1st Quarter 6:00 PM MCC-Greenleaf Motel 7:00 PM Dignity 7:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian Al-Anon 8:45 PM Rainbow Bowling (Southland Lanes)	<b>10</b> AIDS/HIV Sppt. Grp. 6:00 PM Frontrunners (Woodland Park) 8:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>11</b> 7:00 PM Lex. Men's Chorus Rehearsal 8:00 PM HIV/AIDS Sppt. Grp.	<b>12</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian AA <b>8:00 PM "The Night Larry Kramer Kissed Me" (U...)</b>	<b>13</b> 9:00 AM Frontrunners 4:00 PM Lex. Men's Chorus (Gratz Park)
<b>14</b> Full Moon <i>Mother's Day</i> 6:00 PM MCC-Greenleaf Motel 7:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>15</b> 7:30 PM Fairness Meeting (Alfalfa's)	<b>16</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian Al-Anon 8:45 PM Rainbow Bowling (Southland Lanes)	<b>17</b> AIDS/HIV Sppt. Grp. GLSO News Deadline 6:00 PM Frontrunners (Woodland Park) 8:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>18</b> 7:00 PM Lex. Men's Chorus Rehearsal 7:30 PM P-FLAG 8:00 PM HIV/AIDS Sppt. Grp.	<b>19</b> Integrity (St. Augustine's) 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>20</b> Lex. Men's Chorus Fundraiser 9:00 AM Frontrunners 10:00 AM Men's Network 1:00 PM Lex. Men's Chorus-AIDS Mem. Svc. (St. Augustine's)
<b>21</b> Last Quarter 2:00 PM Lesbian Potluck 6:00 PM MCC-Greenleaf Motel 7:00 PM Dignity 7:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian Al-Anon 8:45 PM Rainbow Bowling (Southland Lanes)	<b>24</b> AIDS/HIV Sppt. Grp. 6:00 PM Frontrunners (Woodland Park) 8:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>25</b> <i>Ascension Day</i> Syncopeated Inc's "The Ellington Project" (LSC) 7:00 PM Lex. Men's Chorus Rehearsal 8:00 PM HIV/AIDS Sppt. Grp. 8:00 PM COLTS Mtg. <b>9:00 PM ICK Coronation: In Town Show (Times Square)</b>	<b>26</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian AA <b>9:00 PM ICK Coronation Out of Town Show (Times Square)</b>	<b>27</b> <i>GLSO congratulates Chuck &amp; Joanne on their 50th Wedding Anniversary!</i> 9:00 AM Frontrunners 6:30 PM Imperial Ct. CORONATION BALL (Radisson Hotel)
<b>28</b> 11:00 AM ICK Coronation Victory Brunch (Radisson Hotel) 6:00 PM MCC-Greenleaf Motel 7:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA	<b>29</b> New Moon  <i>Memorial Day (Observed)</i>	<b>30</b> 7:30 PM Gay/Lesbian Al-Anon 8:45 PM Rainbow Bowling (Southland Lanes)	<b>31</b> AIDS/HIV Sppt. Grp. 6:00 PM Frontrunners (Woodland Park) 8:00 PM Gay/Lesbian AA			

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

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of-Directors will be held at the Pride Picnic on June 5th. Only members of GLSO can vote. If you are interested in serving on the Board, please call Mary at 266-5904.

These candidates are running for re-election:

Mary Crone      President  
Peter Taylor    Vice President

These candidates are running for first-time election:

Craig Hudson  
Jon Shelton  
Tammy Strong

## THE FOURTH ANNUAL VOLUNTEER'S AWARD BANQUET

The Tri-State Gay Rodeo Association's Fourth Annual Volunteer's Award Banquet will again be held at the Radisson Plaza Hotel, on June 25, 1995.

It is with great pleasure that we take this time out to congratulate these individuals with the presentation of a trophy award. For the past year, they have given of themselves, time and energy in a capacity beyond the expectation of their peers, making the lives of others more pleasant, more satisfying, or just a little better. Please consider joining us in honoring these wonderful people in this prestigious event.

As previously stated, immediately following the dinner and award ceremonies, there will be a dance party, the theme of which is to be as varied as the attitudes and personalities of the participants and spectators of the evening's event.

The dance will go on until 1:00 AM, and there will be a cash bar available.

Admission for an individual to entire evening's event is \$30, or a group of eight or more may acquire seating at a rate of \$25 per person. Admission to attend the dance is only \$15.

This event has all the potential required to bring together under one roof, united in the name of "The Cause," our entire community. Again, we strongly encourage the participation of any and everyone who may be gay, lesbian, bisexual, transsexual, transgendered, friends and family to attend and share with us in this evening of togetherness, of hope, of varying views, in honor and celebration of a community of people working to help itself and those around it.▼

## THE NIGHT LARRY KRAMER KISSED ME.

Do you remember the first time you were kissed... romantically? Do you remember your first crush, or realizing that there were other people "like you"? Can you recall your first date, hearing about HIV, or knowing someone with HIV? Can you remember attending your first gay pride march? Growing up lesbian in 70's, 80's and 90's has been joyful and exciting, frightening and frustrating all at the same time. You can live and relive all of these emotions when you see "The Night Larry Kramer Kissed Me" at the same time you're helping to open Lexington's Pride Center.

"The Night Larry Kramer Kissed Me", by David Drake is a one-man show starring Jay Abrey and directed by Deborah Martin. You'll laugh, cry and scream with anger as you witness one man's growing-up and coming-out from his first kiss to his first ACT-UP meeting. The production is being sponsored by UK Frontrunners and UK Lambda as a benefit for the Lexington Pride Center. The Pride Center, once opened, will serve as a central meeting place and office space for the Lexington lesbian community.

The play is scheduled for Friday, May 12 and Saturday May 13 and tickets are available at the Singletary Center ticket office. Regular seating is \$12 and limited Donor Seating is \$25. This is a great opportunity to enjoy a life-affirming play, donate to a good cause and have a wonderful time. Please come!▼

## T.I.T.I. SUMMER BOWLING LEAGUE

Beginning May 11, the Thoroughbred Invitational Tournament, Inc. Will be starting a 10-week summer bowling league. Anyone interested in bowling should come to Joyland Bowl on Paris Pike at 8:45pm that night. This is a handicapped league so come out for the fun even if your bowling skills are not so great. You could even use this summer league to establish an average so that you could enter the IGBL Mid-Year Tournament to be held in Lexington this November! For more information, contact Shawn Fritz at 269-1262.▼

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from the front page

Studds (D-Mass.), Jane Harman (D-Calif.) and Neil Abercrombie (D-Hawaii). Staff members for Sens. John Warner (R-Va.), a high-ranking Republican on the Senate Armed Services Committee, and Sam Nunn (D-Ga.), ranking Democrat on the committee, have told HRCF that no plan exists for reviving the old policy while the issue remains before the courts. Similar positions were stated by Reps. Floyd Spence (R-S.C.), chairman of the House National Security Committee, Sen. Strom Thurmond (R-S.C.), chair of the Senate Armed Services Committee,\* and Dan Coats (R-Ind.) of the Senate Armed Services Committee.

"Gingrich seems to be the only person in Washington who wants to revive the old policy on gays in the military," said HRCF spokesman Daniel Zingale. "The Speaker is obviously trying to score points with the extreme right wing by singling out gay and lesbian people for discrimination."

In a weekend interview show, Gingrich said that Congress should reverse the Clinton Administration's "don't ask, don't tell" policy and return to the outright ban on gays in the military, stating on ABC's This

Week With David Brinkley: "The fact is that we're going to probably go back to the rules that existed prior to President Clinton changing them."

"The 'don't ask, don't tell' policy is the same ban on gays in the military, except that the government now admits that gay and lesbian serve with distinction in the armed forces," Zingale said. "Both of these policies discriminate against qualified personnel, and both of them should be scrapped."

Several of the speakers noted that Gingrich seems to be playing to the radical right special interest groups in reviving the issue that Congress dealt with in 1993.

"The Speaker lost favor with radical right special interests when he voted against the ban in 1993," Zingale said. "He should stop playing politics with the lives of servicemembers and stop singling out gay people for discrimination. All troops should be held strictly and equally to the same high standards of conduct. They should be treated based on their job performance. No one should be discriminated against for reasons unrelated to their abilities." -The Human Rights Campaign Fund (HRCF).▼

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"hurt people hurt people" regardless of the nature of the hurt. I have now lived on both sides of homophobia; like most of the gays I have been privileged to know, I, too, have given up certain career and personal goals due to my own sexual orientation. I do not regret this, and love the work I am doing as a substance abuse counselor. And the other work I do is unaffected by my sexual orientation. While it is very important that we continue to stand up against all discrimination based on sexual orientation, I believe that a lot of the healing process must begin within our own G/L/B community, perhaps indeed within ourselves. We must learn to overcome our own divisive attitudes and behaviors, learn to accept and even celebrate the many differences within our own group before we strike out in anger against those who would persecute us. It's basically an inside job. How can we expect outsiders to accept us when we often cannot and do not accept ourselves! We must commit ourselves to work harder at learning to work together. We owe it to ourselves and to those who are still in the process of coming to us.▼

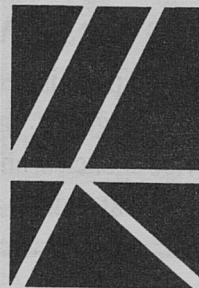
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## COMING OUT IN THE MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSION: OPTIONAL?

*contributed by Sue Strong*

"What's it worth to you to live a life of integrity? To be the same person to all people?" —Quoted from 100 Best Companies for Gay Men and Lesbians.

National Coming Out Day, which is celebrated October 11 of each year encourages individuals to "take their next step. The focus of the 1994 visibility celebration was coming out at work. Often this is the "last step" for individuals involved

in the process of coming out, primarily because of the potential loss of livelihood. There is no

legal protection for work discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation in 42 of the 50 states, including Kentucky.

Shifts in the workforce in the 1990's make coming out at work fraught with even more anxiety. The current competition for jobs is keen and prejudicial attitudes and discriminating behaviors are usually more covert than overt, shrouded in denial and rationalization. It is difficult to determine how long the ripple effect continues once the closet is dropped. The greater the value of your work to your sense of identity or status, the more fearful the prospects of its loss.

A quality of life focus exists in the workplace today. More and more

workers are concerned with including work as a piece, but not the sole piece nor the center-piece of their lifestyle. Therefore, the personal blurs with the professional and the two often collide when the personal includes a non-exclusively heterosexual orientation and the professional includes the field of mental-health. Being maximally closeted and being maximally mentally health tend to be mutually exclusive.

The Corporate Closet cites three ways of dealing with a non-exclusively heterosexual lifestyle in the workplace: hiding or counter-

*"The Corporate Closet cites three ways of dealing with a non-exclusively heterosexual lifestyle in the workplace: hiding, avoiding, and integrating."*

feiting, avoiding, and integrating. "Hiding or counterfeiting" means inventing a fictional life to cover reality; "avoiding" requires continuous self-editing and half-truths; and "integrating" involves successfully managing the consequences of coming out. In essence there are two choices: living a lie or living the truth. While living a lie is detrimental to any human's mental health, it is particularly damaging to a professional in the field of mental health. The mental health profession rests on the principles of self-disclosure, authenticity, genuineness, openness, and congruence. Principles difficult to maintain while hiding, avoiding, lying.

In the past few years, the military set the standard for lesbians in the workplace by imple-

menting "Don't Ask, Don't Tell". This sent a message that openness about sexual orientation was not wanted on the job. Ed Mickens commented on this policy in his book 100 Best Companies for Gay Men and Lesbians, "But we have to tell. Mostly because it's the only antidote we have for the stream of poisonous propaganda that tells us we are inferior humans. It's our chief defense, as we try to live honest, loving, protective lives against self-loathing and self-destruction".

Mental health professionals guide people on their journey to live honest, loving lives and to meet their needs for safety from physical and emotional harm, obtain a sense of belonging and acceptance, experience truth, justice and self-actualization. Self-actualization does not occur in an atmosphere of "Don't Ask, Don't Tell". Is it really mentally healthy for a mental health professional to not come out?▼

**Are you being discriminated against in Kentucky due to your sexual orientation?**

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GLSO Gayline Volunteers (Peter).....	273-5845
GLSO Speakers Bureau (Bill) .....	266-9175
GLSO Support Group (Mary).....	266-5904
(Mike).....	225-1828

## STUDENT GROUPS

ACE League:Berea (Ed) ext. 7472 evenings only .....	986-9314
AGLF: NKU (Pat).....	572-5604
B-GLAD: Centre College (Mykol).....	238-5332
GUESS: EKU (Greg).....	622-3764
UK Lambda (Julien) before 10pm .....	272-7232

## ANONYMOUS AIDS TESTING

Jessamine County.....	885-4149
Lexington-Fayette County.....	288-2437
Madison County .....	723-7312
Woodford County.....	873-4541

## AIDS INFO/SERVICES

AIDS HOTLINE .....	231-7545
AIDS Volunteers of Lexington .....	254-2865
AVOL Legal Referral Program .....	254-2865
HIV/AIDS Legal Project.....	(502) 584-1254
HIV+ Youth Support Group .....	254-2865
Kentucky AIDS HOTLINE.....	(502) 564-6539
Partners of HIV+/AIDS Support Group (Greg).....	288-2437
Saturday HIV+/AIDS Support Group (AVOL) .....	254-2865

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CONTACT TAMMY AT 275-3037

## COMMUNITY

Bluegrass COLTS (Mark) .....	233-7266
Country Dykes (Debbie).....	(606) 871-7452
Cumberland Cares.....	678-0587
Fairness of Lexington HOTLINE.....	275-7812
Fairness of Louisville .....	(502) 893-0788
Front Runners (Keith) .....	254-6850
G/L Al-Anon .....	277-1877
G/L Defense Fund .....	(502) 589-2896
IGBO Mid-Year 1995 (Steve).....	276-3058
Kentucky ACLU (Keith).....	281-1482
Kentucky Fairness Alliance (Keith).....	281-1482
Kentucky Legislature	
Bill Status Line .....	(800) 382-2455
Legislator Message Line .....	(800) 372-7181
Meeting Info Line.....	(800) 633-9650
Lexington Men's Chorus (Shelby) .....	231-0090
Louisville Youth Group.....	(502) 635-1302
Names Project, Lexington (Katie).....	272-2588
Newcomers Group (Joe) .....	278-5032
P-FLAG (Ruth) .....	272-7075
Pegasus Travel .....	268-4337
Rainbow Bowling League (Teri) .....	268-8563
RISC (Mike).....	225-5151
(Jack).....	272-8354
Tri-State Gay Rodeo Assn. (Terry) .....	255-5469
(Paul).....	278-8023
Womynweave (Ramona).....	266-4672

## RELIGIOUS GROUPS

Dignity [Catholic] (Don) .....	299-4458
Episcopal Diocese AIDS Ministry (Steve).....	233-1782
Honesty [Southern Baptist] (Eddie).....	(502) 637-7609
(Dorothy).....	(502) 458-5392
Interweave [Unitarian] (Craig) .....	269-8215
MCC-Hopkinsville & Horse Cave.....	(502) 897-3821
MCC-Lexington (Rex) .....	271-1407
MCC-Louisville .....	(502) 775-6636
MCC-Paducah .....	(502) 441-2307
Pagan Forum (Pat) .....	268-1640
Quaker FLGC (Connie).....	276-2554

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800-347 TEEN  
7p-midnight Thurs. & Fri.