

Josephine County Lovejoy Hospice offers care for the critically ill and their families. (541) 474-1193. (10/98)

Klamath County HIV Resource Center coordinates outreach and education on HIV and AIDS, social and support groups, and provides case management services. (10 am-5 pm Monday-Friday, 1112 Pine St., Klamath Falls, OR 97601. (541) 883-2437.) (7/97)

Willamette Valley

HIV Alliance provides free emotional and non-medical practical support services to people living with HIV, their families and friends, and those grieving. (PO Box 5513, Eugene, OR 97405. (541) 342-5088.) (7/97)

Pathfinders is a nonprofit organization that provides funding and support for social, cultural and outreach events, projects and activities for gay and bisexual men in Marion and Polk counties. (PO Box 326, Salem, OR 97301. 581-3296.) (7/97)

Valley AIDS Information Network offers information, support, speakers and referrals for people affected by HIV and AIDS. 24-hour hot line. (PO Box 971, Corvallis, OR 97339. (541) 752-6322, 1-800-588-AIDS.) (1/99)

Yamhill County Public Health Department offers community outreach and HIV-prevention education. Off-site Orasure testing. (412 N Ford St., McMinnville, OR 97128. Norm Costa 434-7525, pager 434-4507.) (2/98)

Washington

Clark County Neighborhood MenTalk plans social activities and discussion groups each month for gay and bisexual men. Part of the Speak to Your Brothers program of Cascade AIDS Project. (Geoffrey 223-5907 ext. 145.) (2/99)

Evergreen AIDS Response, a program of Cascade AIDS Project, provides non-medical services to individuals and communities in Southwest Washington. These services include: support groups, emergency financial assistance, volunteer programs, information and referral. (Suite C, 5305 E 18th St., Vancouver, Wash. (360) 735-9170.) (1/99)

People of Color Against AIDS Network. (Seattle. (206) 322-7061.) (7/97)

CRISIS

The **Alcohol and Drug Helpline** (244-1312 in

Portland) and a peer-staffed **YouthLine** (244-1611 in Portland) give free, unbiased and confidential assistance on substance abuse issues. Call 1-800-923-HELP from elsewhere in Oregon. (10/98)

The **Anti-Violence Project Reporting Line** helps compile statistics on homophobic hate crimes and gives victims a chance to talk to someone sympathetic. (796-1703 in Portland, 1-800-796-1703 outside Portland.) (5/98)

Clackamas Women's Services and the Portland Women's Crisis Line offer a free confidential **Battered Lesbian Support Group**. (Joyce Baxter at PWCL 232-9751, Delina Cody at CWS 654-2807.) (11/98)

Bradley-Angle House provides a weekly confidential battered lesbian and bi women's support group. Confidential intakes. Groups facilitated by queer women. Child care provided. (232-7812.) (10/98)

The **Domestic Violence Resource Center** provides domestic violence services that include a 24-hour crisis line, confidential location shelter (sorry, no boys older than 12) and restraining order referrals and assistance. The **Hispanic Outreach Program** helps women whose primary language is Spanish. (640-1171.) (10/98)

The **National Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Multnomah County** provides a support group for the families of people who are severely mentally ill. Meets first and third Mondays. (7-9 pm at Room HCC6, Providence Medical Center, 4805 NE Glisan St. 775-5400.) (1/99)

Portland Women's Crisis Line announces a new, confidential **support group for gay and bi men** who have been or who are being abused by their male partners. (For more information, leave a message for Craig at 232-5103.)

Call the **Portland Police Bureau** if you feel you have been a victim of any type of crime in Portland. Hate crimes are referred to the Bias Crime Unit after a police report is filed in the regular way. (Call 9-1-1 for emergencies, 230-2121 for non-emergency reports.) (10/98)

Portland Women's Crisis Line operates 24 hours a day. Interpretation services are available for women who speak limited or no English. (235-5333, 1-888-235-5333.) (10/98)

Women's Abuse Intervention is a therapy group, facilitated by Julie O'Donnell, MSW, and Sharon Bowland, LCSW, for lesbian and bisexual women who have been abusive toward their girlfriends or partners. Focus is on stopping abuse and developing healthy, loving relationships. (\$15-\$20, Julie 972-7786.) (12/98)

The **YWCA of Clark County** (Vancouver, Wash.) offers free and confidential individual counseling for

women abused by their partners. (Lyn Coffman (360) 696-0167, 1-800-695-0167.) (8/98)

RECOVERY

Any Lengths, an AA meeting for gay men, meets every Sunday. (10 am, Sixth Floor, Good Samaritan Hospital, 1040 NW 22nd Ave.) (8/98)

Lesbian Group of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Wednesday in the Northeast Room of the Alano Club. (7-8:15 pm, 909 NW 24th Ave. 222-5756.) (10/98)

Live and Let Live Club holds 12 step meetings and social activities for the lesbian and gay recovery community. Call for current meeting times and activities. (2940-A SE Belmont St. 238-6091.) (1/99)

Men's 449 Group is a gay men's group for Alcoholics Anonymous. Meets every Friday in the Northeast Room of the Alano Club. (7:30-8:45 pm, 909 NW 24th Ave. 222-5756.) (10/98)

Rainbow Al-Anon meets on Saturdays at the Alano Club Boardroom. (5:30-6:45 pm, 909 NW 24th Ave. 222-5756.) (10/98)

Rational Recovery does not mystify addiction and recovery; its approach to chemical dependency is as a technical problem with a technical solution. (Cliff Walker 239-5359.) (10/98)

Triangle Project at ASAP Treatment Services provides gay-specific alcohol and drug counseling. Fees adjusted or waived. Call the intake coordinator Monday through Friday and ask for a Triangle Project appointment. (2130 SW Fifth Ave. 224-0075.) (10/98)

YOUTH

Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, Transgendered and Questioning Youth Group offers support, information and fun for youth aged 13 to 18. (4-6 pm Friday at Amazon Community Center, 2700 Hiway St., Eugene. (541) 684-3466.) (7/98)

Janus Youth Programs offers workshops for teens in areas such as self-esteem, anger management and life skills. (738 NE Davis St., Portland, OR 97232. Doug Pullin 233-6090, ext. 133.) (5/98)

Lesbian, Gay and Bisexual Youth Group of Eugene is a peer social, support and rap group that meets Mondays. Age 25 and under. (5-6:30 pm at Koinonia Center, 1414 Kincaid St. (541) 346-1134.) (10/98)



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Lee Lynch reads from her new novel, *Rafferty Street*, Aug. 20

Out 'n' About Youth, a social, activist and support group for gay, lesbian, bisexual, transsexual, transgender, and questioning teens, meets Thursday evenings in Corvallis. (7 pm at First United Methodist Church, 1165 NW Monroe St. (541) 752-2491.) (10/98)

Outside In has transitional housing for HIV-positive youth aged 17 to 22 who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless, including **VOICES** (Voices of Individual and Community Empowerment from the Streets), a self-support group for queer youth. (6-8 pm Wednesday at Outside In, 1030 SW 13th Ave. 223-4121.) (5/98)

Phoenix Rising Foundation Inc., a mental health agency primarily serving members of the sexual minority communities, hosts drop-in social and support groups for sexual minority youth: **Awakenings** (6-8 pm Wednesday at Harry's Mother, 3942 SE Hawthorne Blvd).

Clackamas Youth Alliance (6-7:30 pm Wednesday at Campfire Boys and Girls, 5427 Glen Echo Ave., Gladstone). **Hillsboro Youth Group** (3:30-5 pm Wednesday at Community Action Building, 1001 SW Baseline, Hillsboro). **Personal Deity Proxy**, a group to share creative endeavors (5-7 pm Friday at Phoenix Rising). **The Trans Group**, for transsexual, transgendered and cross-dressing youth (7:30-9 pm Wednesday at Phoenix Rising). **Transitions** (3:30-5 pm Wednesday in Room 8, 11640 SW Parkway, Beaverton). **Windfire** (5:30-7:30 pm Thursday at Phoenix Rising). (Phoenix

Rising office location: Suite 710, 620 SW Fifth Ave., Portland, OR 97204. 223-8299.) (10/98)

Pride Mentorship Project matches Multnomah County gay, lesbian, bisexual, trans and questioning youth between the ages of 13 and 19 with a caring and responsible adult who can serve as a role model. (Brandt Rigby 872-9664.) (12/98)

Rainbow is a positive social and peer-support group for sexual minority youth of color. Sponsored by The Urban League. (4:30 pm Monday at Metropolitan Community Church of Portland, 2400 NE Broadway, Dionne 280-2663, ext. 420.) (5/98)

Roots and Branches provides positive mental health counseling tailored to the needs of lesbian, gay and bisexual youth. Therapy, consultation, advocacy and referral are offered to individuals and families on a sliding scale. (2020 SE Powell

Bld. 238-0780.) (5/98)

Safe Space is a group for lesbian, gay, bisexual and questioning youth that meets in Bend. (541) 383-4861.) (5/98)

Salem Rainbow Youth is a gay, lesbian, bisexual and questioning youth support group. (3-5 pm Thursday. 315-8124.) (6/98)

Sexual Minority Youth Recreation Center offers a safe place for queer youth by queer youth. Drop-in center, support groups, computers, community resources, pool tables, and meeting spaces. (4 pm-midnight Friday and Saturday. 424 E Burnside St. 872-9664.) (11/98)

Southern Oregon Youth Outreach for gay, lesbian and bisexual youth ages 14-20. (5:30 pm first and third Thursdays at AELCC, 56 Third St., Ashland. (541) 734-8007.) (10/98)

Triple Point is a social group for gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, queer and questioning youth in Southwest Washington. Weekly rap sessions and activity excursions. (Celeste Baskett (360) 735-9170.) (10/98)

Young Men's Group offers gay and bisexual men aged 18 to 27 years an opportunity to socialize, discuss relevant topics, plan events and organize community building events. Part of the Speak to Your Brothers program of Cascade AIDS Project. (Geoffrey 223-5907, ext. 145. feschgeoff@aol.com.) (2/99)

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