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<http://www.grai.org.au/>

GRAI is a member based volunteer advocacy organisation working towards ensuring quality ageing options for LGBTI people. Projects have included writing of both state and federal government submissions, research, conference presentations, work with aged care service providers and intergenerational events for the Perth LGBTI community.

<http://www.wagenderproject.org/>

WA Gender Project is a lobby, education and advocacy group based in Perth, Western Australia. The aims of the organisation are to: advance the human rights of all transsexual, transgender and intersex (TTI) people and their significant others; increase and improve access to services for TTI people by working with individuals, professional bodies and other community organisations; and to act as a resource, and provide information and education regarding transgender, transsexual, and intersex issues.

<http://www.hamiltonpsychology.com.au/>

Vanessa Watson provides clinical psychology services, including assessment and treatment for a range of issues such as depression, anxiety, trauma, and issues related to sexuality and gender identity. She has specialised in the areas of youth and sexuality and gender.

<http://milishamagazine.com/>

Milisha was a project which began in 2008 and has now made it to the interwebs. The original project was to make a creative space, where people could express their sentiments about trans *gender* *sexuality* *politics* *identity* etc, among other things, independent of some of the devices which try to bully us, and force us to conform to the somewhat awkward structures outlined for trans people by non-trans people.

Based in Perth, we aim to establish a social and educational trans/genderqueer community to increase support and activity for all things beyond the binary

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<http://www.freedom.org.au/>

Freedom Centre is run by young people for young people using a peer support model. Peer support is where people get support from other people who share similar experiences. Freedom Centre is primarily funded by the Mental Health Commission as part of the National Suicide Prevention Strategy. We are managed and auspiced by the WA AIDS Council as part of the Community Engagement Services department.

This means that our focus is on education and prevention around mental health and sexual health. We do this by providing support and information about sexual and mental health and by maintaining a safe social space with healthy attitudes towards sexuality, gender, respect, empowerment, self-esteem and education.

<http://www.chameleonswa.com/>

The Chameleon Society of Western Australia began in the 1970's as a group of like-minded people gathering for mutual support. Over the years the Society has grown to be the successful organization that it is today. The Society is now an incorporated body with an elected Committee who run its activities. The Society is a non-profit organization that uses the funds it raises from membership, advertising and raffles to provide services to the membership.

The Society holds regular meetings in a hired hall to provide a safe environment to cross dress and meet like-minded people. Other social events are organized at both private and public venues for members to enjoy their cross dressing in a more public arena. We organize for guest speakers to talk at our meetings on subjects ranging from make-up to safe sex. The Society caters for transgendered people of all kinds as well as cross dressers, and our membership includes all ages and professions.

We encourage partners, friends and family of cross dressers and transgendered people to attend meetings and events, and we have representatives available to discuss issues that may concern them.

<http://www.outinperth.com/>

OUTinPerth is a free monthly newspaper focusing on diversity in sexuality and gender. You can find OUTinPerth at over 230 locations in Western Australia. Alongside our print publication we also publish stories online and through our social network platforms.

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<http://rtrfm.com.au/shows/allthingsqueer/>

All Things Queer is Perth's only dedicated queer talks-based radio program, arriving every Monday night to herald in a new week, allowing you to recover and reflect on the weekend just gone and to cast an eye on the issues affecting the queer community. Tackling local, national and global perspectives on the LGBTI+ experience, All Things Queer isn't afraid to get political and tackle the big issues whilst always maintaining a sense of fun and fabulousness. Featuring coming-out stories and interviews with those directly involved in the issues, All Things Queer also brings you music from queer artists to keep your Monday night going.