

Best Practices for Working with LGBTQI+ Asylum Seekers

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Introductions

Framework

- The Foundation (Inclusion Video)
- Creating Safe Spaces
 - Inclusive Language
 - Experiences dictate behaviors and beliefs
 - Understanding the Asylum System - Hans How shares his personal experiences
 - Provide Options
 - Q&A

The Foundation

The Foundation : Don't Put People in Boxes

<https://youtu.be/zRwt25M5nGw>

Creating Safe Spaces

Inclusive Words

- Partner/Spouse
- They/Their
- Universe
- Can you think of any others?
- Practice makes perfect!!
- Remember that you will make mistakes!

Experiences
Dictate Behaviors
and Beliefs



Personal Experience

Provide Options

Ask questions that affirm

- What would you like to be called?
- What would make you comfortable?





Thanks!

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