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Advancing Effective Communication, Cultural Competence, and Patient-and Family-Centered Care for the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Community (The Joint Commission)	This field guide explains the special disparities the LGBTQ community faces, which include: less access to insurance and health care services, including preventive care (such as cancer screenings), lower overall health status, higher rates of smoking, alcohol, and substance abuse, higher risk for mental health illnesses, such as anxiety and depression, higher rates of sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection, and increased incidence of some cancers The propose that the provision of care, treatment, and services need to be better addressing this special community.	http://www.jointcommission.org/assets/1/18/LGBTFieldGuide_WEB_LINK_ED_VER.pdf	630-792-5800
Health Professionals Advancing LGBT Equality (GLMA)	The mission of GLMA is “to ensure equality in health care for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) individuals and health care providers. This website provides resources for patients, providers, and students on how to create equality. It also gives links that advocate for equal healthcare rights, equal marriage rights, and professional associations that support the LGBT community.	http://glma.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=Page.viewPage&pageId=532	202-600-8037 info@glma.org

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Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Health (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)	This website explains the perspectives and needs of LGBT people, and how they should be routinely considered in public health efforts to improve the overall health of every person and eliminate health disparities. It gives specific information about: gay and bisexual men, lesbian and bisexual women, transgender persons, and youth. It also provides a list of LGBT health clinics across the country.	http://www.cdc.gov/lgbthealth/about.htm	800-232-4636 Online email form: http://www.cdc.gov/cdc-info/requestform.html
The National LGBT Health Education Center (The Fenway Institute)	The National LGBT Health Education Center provides educational programs, resources, and consultation to health care organizations. Its goal is to optimize quality, cost-effective health care for lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) people.	http://www.lgbthealtheducation.org/	617-927-6354 lgbthealtheducation@fenwayhealth.org
Health Resources and Services Administration: LGBT Health	This website created by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services provides information and resources regarding the special LGBT community. It explains the specific health problems that LGBT individuals experience more frequently, and ways to be a more culturally competent provider when giving health care services to this population.	http://www.hrsa.gov/lgbt/	888-275-4772 ask@hrsa.gov

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Primary Care of LGBT Patients (American Medical Student Association Committee on Gender & Sexuality)	This PowerPoint gives a background on LGBT concerns and the specific barriers to healthcare related to sexuality and gender identity.	http://www.amsa.org/AMSA/Libraries/Committee_Docs/LGBT_PrimaryCare_1.sflb.ashx	
Ethics and Public Health: Model Curriculum	This is a general introduction and orientation to the ethics and public health curriculum. It explains the goals and strategy for ethics education and training and provides guidance about the skills of facilitating an ethics discussion. It includes the tradition, profession, and values in public health, the legacy of the Tuskegee Syphilis study, public health research and practice, community-based practice and research, ethics and infectious disease control, ethical issues in environmental and occupational health, and public health genetics.	http://www.asph.org/UsErFiles/EthicsCurriculum.pdf	publichealthcurriculum@thehastingscenter.org
Public Health: Ethical Issues (Nuffield Council on Bioethics)	This document discusses the concept of public health. It has specific modules that cover the ethical framework, policy process and practice, case studies on infectious disease, obesity, alcohol and tobacco, and fluoridation of water, and the general and overarching conclusions made by the researchers.	http://www.nuffieldbioethics.org/sites/default/files/Public%20health%20-%20ethical%20issues.pdf	bioethics@nuffieldbioethics.org

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Code of Medical Ethics of the American Medical Association	This PDF gives examples of ethical questions and provides the answers of how physicians should respond. It also provides the principles of medical ethics and gives a brief history of how it began.	http://www.ama-assn.org/resources/doc/ethics/ethics-in-hand-physician-version.pdf	800-621-8335 Online contact form: http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/news/for-media/media-inquiries.page
American College of Physicians Ethics Manual	This website provides the ACP Ethics Manual 6 th Edition. The Manual is intended to facilitate the process of making ethical decisions in clinical practice, teaching, and medical research and to describe and explain underlying ethics principles, as well as the physician's role in society and with colleagues.	http://www.acponline.org/running_practice/ethics/manual/manual6th.htm	800-523-1546 Online contact form: http://www.acponline.org/cgi-bin/feedback