

GLASS

Supporting LGBTQ+ Youth of Color
Since 1995



The mission of Boston GLASS is to improve the well-being of LGBTQ+ youth of color and their allies by providing a continuum of services that addresses their immediate needs, equips them with tools to make health decisions and live fulfilling lives, and helps create communities in which they can thrive. Boston GLASS serves young people ages 13-29 from Boston and the surrounding metro areas.

HIV SPECIFIC SERVICES:

HIV+ Behavioral Health Services: While Boston GLASS provides free individual outpatient therapy to LGBTQ+ folks of color, ages 13-29, specialized therapeutic services are available specifically to Black and Latinx LGBTQ+ youth living with HIV.

Health Navigation: This service provides one-on-one support with many challenges that may arise for folks, 13-29, living with HIV. Health Navigation includes supporting medication adherence, HDAP referrals,

STI Testing/Treatment: Boston GLASS provides confidential, no-cost STI testing. HIV positive youth can get tested for Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, Syphilis, and Hepatitis C by one of our Poz-friendly testers. No-cost STI treatment is available through a partnership with Mass General Hospital. Boston GLASS can support treatment by accompanying you or providing no-cost travel assistance to treatment appointments.

Real Talks: Real Talks is a CDC intervention for LGBTQ+ folks, 18-29, who are living with HIV. This is a free, weekend-long retreat focused on conversations, fun activities, and community-building around living with HIV.

Poz Talks: Poz Talks is a support group for LGBTQ+ folks, 18-29 who are living with HIV to talk freely and openly about their lives and how HIV factors in. This group will be held once a month in a community space.

CLEAR: This service provides one-on-one support to folks, 18-29, who want some help building a better self through individual sessions around substance use, sexual behaviors, disclosure, and more.

JRI is strongly committed to providing an inclusive, diverse and welcoming environment for our employees and the people we serve.



AT A GLANCE

FOCUS: We provide a continuum of services to LGBTQ+ youth of color and their allies in Greater Boston.

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