



#EUHPP LIVE WEBINAR

The access to healthcare for LGBTIQ people: findings of the 3rd LGBTIQ Survey and future perspectives

1 OCTOBER 2024, 15:00 – 16:15 CEST, BRUSSELS TIME

Dear colleagues,

We invite you to join this #EUHPP Live Webinar.

People in the LGBTIQ community often have difficulties accessing healthcare, including emergency care, in many cases leading people to avoid seeking necessary healthcare or in some cases being refused treatment by medical professionals. In addition to facing challenges concerning their physical health, LGBTIQ people face mental health challenges too, often due to stigma. Young LGBTIQ people, trans, non-binary and gender diverse people are most likely to have suicidal thoughts, according to the 3rd LGBTIQ Survey conducted by Fundamental Rights Agency in 2023 and published in May 2024.

Combatting inequality in health is one of the priorities of the first-ever EU LGBTIQ Equality Strategy 2020-2025. This effort is made more difficult due to the lack of a systematic collection of reliable equality data by Member States, disaggregated by sex, racial and ethnic origin, religion, or belief, disability, age, or sexual orientation, gender identity and sex characteristics. This is something the Fundamental Rights Agency and initiatives such as the one undertaken by the European Cancer Organisation on cancer inequalities for LGBTIQ+ people hope to improve upon by providing the necessary supporting data on cancer, and encouraging similar studies on health issues to make healthcare more equitable and accessible for everyone in the EU, without exception.

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15.00 – 15.10

Welcome and introduction

DG SANTE, European Commission

15.10 – 15.30

LGBTIQ equality at a crossroads: findings of the 3rd LGBTIQ survey on health and healthcare

Fundamental Rights Agency

15.30 – 15.45

Q&A – Discussion with the audience

15.45 – 16.00

Cancer Inequalities for LGBTIQ+: collecting evidence

European Cancer Organisation

16.00 – 16.10

Q&A – Discussion with the audience

16.10 – 16.15

Conclusive remarks

DG SANTE, European Commission

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