



As part of our commitment to equity, the Executive Office for Housing and Livable Communities (EOHLC) is partnering with the MA Commission on LGBTQ Youth to provide training opportunities for program staff and administrators of housing programs across the Commonwealth on LGBTQIA+ Inclusive and Affirming Housing Programs.

Below you will find the details about these training sessions, offered dates, and [registration/RSVP information](#). Content will be identical for all sessions. Trainings are structured to be useful to those working directly with clients in emergency shelters. **Please plan to attend ONE of these training sessions whether in-person or virtually.** Attendance is highly encouraged!

To register for a training session, Use the qr below or go to : - <https://forms.gle/8zNJ7icBw5c9LsYP8>

Training Overview:

The goal of the **LGBTQIA+ Inclusive & Affirming Housing Programs** training sessions are to foster an empowered and knowledgeable workforce within housing programs across the Commonwealth to better support LGBTQIA+ clients, staff members, and community members at large.

Sessions will include a variety of activities (scenario-based learning, reflective discussions, and multimedia content) aimed at enhancing service delivery and building confidence in providers.

Sessions have been developed by the Massachusetts Commission on LGBTQ Youth for the Massachusetts Executive Office for Housing and Livable Communities. Please visit www.mass.gov/cgly for more info.

Training Dates:

Tuesday, September 2nd, 2025 1-4pm

Middleborough Public Library 102 N Main St, Middleborough, MA 02346

Wednesday, September 10th, 2025 9:30am-12:30pm

Lawrence Public Library 51 Lawrence St, Lawrence, MA 01841

Thursday, September 18th, 2025 6-9pm

Virtual (link provided with RSVP)

Tuesday, September 30th, 2025 9:30am-12:30pm

Central MA Housing Alliance 6 Institute Road, Worcester, MA 01609

Thursday, October 9th, 2025 1pm-4pm

East Forest Park Public Library, 136 Surrey Road, Springfield, MA 01118

Tuesday, October 7th 2025 9:30am-12:30pm 02114

100 Cambridge St, 2nd floor Conference Room, Boston MA

Thursday, October 16th, 2025 1-4pm

Virtual (link provided with RSVP)

QR to Register

