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Developing excellence in LGBTQ+ healthcare



## WHAT IS PRIDE IN



Pride in Practice improves the health and wellbeing of lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans and queer/questioning communities (LGBTQ+). We work across primary care which includes GPs, dentists, optometrists and pharmacists.

Pride in Practice has been endorsed by the Royal Colleague of General Practice as well as the Royal Pharmaceutical Society and Health Living Dentistry.

 Feedback from a healthcare professional Absolutely brilliant training!!

Very impressed. Excellent
examples used, great humour,
confidence in the LGBTQ+
message, and very easy to
understand information.

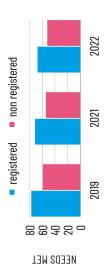
– Feedback from an LGBTQ+ patient

[Seeing a Pride in Practice award] makes me feel that I can be open and honest about my identity and experiences and that I will get the support I need. It increases my trust and confidence in the service and the quality of care.

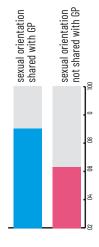
## **UR IMPACT**

- We have trained over 16,000 healthcare professionals
  - 98% are better informed about LGBTO+ health topics
- 700+ services have received training
- 450 services have received accredited Pride in Practice awards.

67% of people at Pride in Practice registered services felt their needs were met as an LGBTQ+ person compared to 52% at non-registered practices



We support practices to make changes – such as sharing their sexual orientation on new patient questionnaires. 70% of people who shared their sexual orientation with their GP said that their needs were being met compared to 43% who had not shared their sexual orientation.





## PRIDE IN PRACTICE - STEP BY STEP

Your Pride in Practice Account Manager is there to help you through the process. They'll manage booking an assessment, arranging training, and will help you achieve an accredited Pride in Practice award.

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Introduction to Pride in Practice & Account Manager

Our supported assessment is your opportunity to share your knowledge and experience. It will allow your Account Manger to give targeted feedback relevant to your practice. Collecting this evidence allows us to celebrate a services' commitment to developing excellence in LGBTQ+ health and present the practice with an accredited award.



**Assessment and Award** 

Our training sessions are adapted to meet the needs of your practice. They're a safe space for open discussions and for staff to ask any questions they may have about supporting LGBTQ+ people's health and wellbeing.



**Training** 

It takes time to make effective change. Your Account Manager is there to support you to make the next steps for LGBTQ+ inclusion. They can give more details to topics discussed during the assessment and training, and continue to offer support to both you and your patients. This stage also offers the opportunity to upgrade any existing awards.



**Ongoing Support** 

Inclusion and LGBTQ+ healthcare are always evolving. We recommend services consider Pride in Practice refresher training every 12-18 months.



Refresher training and Re-accreditation