

Guide to LGBT Friendly Senior Housing in Oregon

2014 Edition



A consumer guide for LGBT older adults looking for housing options that are welcoming and inclusive.

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Concepts in Community Living

Type of Housing: Residential Care

Description: Believes supportive housing should foster both a sense of community and respect for individual well-being. We have an over 20-year track record of advising developers and designing and managing communities that have succeeded in pleasing residents *and* their family members. We excel in providing the insight, planning, and professional management it takes to sustain outstanding care in both for-profit and nonprofit settings. (503) 255-2447 www.ccliving.com

Locations: Taft Home, SW Portland

Adams House, Myrtle Creek

Applegate Place, Sutherlin

The Aspens Living Center and Aspens Grove Apartments, Hines

Brookside Place, Redmond

Meadowbrook Place, Baker City

Rackleff Place, Canby

Redwood Terrace, Grants Pass

Spring Meadows Assisted Living Community, St. Helens

Willow Place, Newberg



Providence Elder Place

Type of Housing: Assisted Living or Residential Care

Description: An innovative program known as PACE (Program of All Inclusive Care for the Elderly), a comprehensive care model that offers health, housing, social service and care coordination solutions to older adults and peace of mind to their families. We are dedicated to providing dignified care to seniors in a compassionate environment built on principles of responsive service, top-quality health care and trust. (503) 215-6556 www.providence.org/elderplace

Locations: Irvington Village, NE Portland

Cully, NE Portland

Glendoveer, NE Portland



Welcome Home Communities

Type of Housing: Adult Care Home

Description: Offers an adult care home that embraces a personalized approach to providing excellent care and services. (503) 928-6791 www.whcommunities.com

Location: Kenton House 7710 North Denver Portland, OR 97217



Harsch Housing

Type of Housing: Independent

Description: Subsidized apartment buildings in downtown Portland for low income elderly and disabled persons. To learn more information or to obtain an application contact the offices. We maintain waiting lists to fill vacancies - apply today to get your name on our waiting lists. We are Equal Housing Opportunity properties. www.harsch.com

Locations: Rose Schnitzer Tower, Downtown Portland
Lexington Apartments, Downtown Portland
1200 Building Apartments, Downtown Portland
Park Tower Apartments, Downtown Portland



Northwest Housing Alternatives

Type of Housing: Independent

Description: Affordable, independent living for seniors
(503) 654-1007 x100 www.nwhousing.org

Locations: Mayfield Court, SE Portland
Roselyn, NW Portland
Rosemount Court, N Portland
Trenton Terrace, N Portland
Village at Headwaters, SW Portland
Weidler Commons, NE Portland



Rose Villa

Type of Housing: Retirement Community

Description: A nonprofit active and continuing care retirement community (CCRC) located on the banks of the Willamette River in Portland, OR, offering cottage homes and a continuum of care from independent living to supportive services in your home to 24-hour nursing care. Our Mission is to create an active, inclusive adult community, in which every person is needed and can be fully engaged and energized. 1-877-231-6356 www.rosevilla.org

Location: 13505 SE River Rd, Portland

Please mention this guide when shopping for housing

5 stars = Outstanding, 4 stars = Excellent, 3 stars = Above Average

ABOUT THIS SURVEY:

Perhaps the greatest concern of the LGBT community is housing and the need to find housing where we will be welcomed as a LGBT person. This concern grows as we age. Over the past year, Friendly House staff and volunteers worked with housing providers to develop a survey tool to rate how LGBT friendly housing providers are in Oregon.

We want to acknowledge all participants in this guide no matter their score. By agreeing to participate, each housing community has demonstrated its commitment to creating more inclusive housing options for LGBT older adults. We thank them all for their commitment to the LGBT community and for being part of this innovative project.

Who is rated? This is a consumer guide for a broad range of senior living, including multiple levels of care, cost, location and amenities. All housing providers participated voluntarily.

How the rating is created? The survey that housing providers completed includes questions on employee equality, resident rights, outreach to the LGBT community, staff trainings and agency policies. This survey was created only to assess LGBT welcoming environments. Amenities and factors unrelated to this specific goal were neither evaluated nor considered.

SAGE Metro Portland is a program of Friendly House, is dedicated to improving the lives of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender older adults. We offer trainings for aging service providers, host social events for LGBT older adults, advocate for LGBT friendly housing options, and connect LGBT older adults to supportive services.

If your housing agency would like to be included in the 2015 Housing Guide contact SAGE Metro Portland.

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