

# Compass LGBTQ+ Community Center

Sponsorship Packages and Opportunities



COMPASS  
COMMUNITY CENTER

# About Compass

Compass Community Center has served the in Palm Beach County for nearly 35 years. In fact, we are the oldest continuously operating LGBTQ+ Community Center in South Florida! We offer a variety of services and resources for LGBTQ+ people and those impacted by HIV/AIDS.

Our mission is to engage, empower and enrich the lives of lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer (LGBTQ+) people and those impacted by HIV and AIDS.



# Fast Facts

- Started as the Stop AIDS Project in 1988
- Expanded services to offer robust programming for mental health, youth, and seniors
- Accredited by NonProfits First
- Awarded Non-Profit of the Year 2022 by Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches
- Impacted 100,000+ lives a year through direct services at our events
- We are the LGBTQ+ organization of record for Palm Beach County



# Our Impact

There's never been more pressure for organizations like yours to lead the way on social issues.

**Our events are a magnet for both small startups and established organizations – everyone's invited!**

Compass makes a positive impact and works with a wide range of communities. We offer services for the youth, seniors, LGBTQ+ individuals, allied businesses, and those impacted by HIV/AIDS. Our goal is to empower young folks, keep seniors engaged, create a safe and welcoming space for LGBTQ+ friends, build strong relationships with allied businesses, and offer unwavering support to those dealing with HIV/AIDS. At Compass, we're like a big, caring family that exists to uplift and bring people together.

Youth

Seniors

LGBTQ+

People Impacted by HIV/AIDS

Allied Business

# OUR events

We host several major events throughout the year that aim to increase pride and acceptance both within, and outside of, the community.



**FEBRUARY**  
MR. & MISS  
PALM BEACH PRIDE  
PAGEANT



**MARCH**  
PALM BEACH PRIDE  
AND PARADE



**MAY**  
EQUALITY PROM



**JUNE**  
STONEWALL BALL



**NOVEMBER**  
THE JOY RIDE



**DECEMBER**  
COCKTAILS FOR COMPASS



**DECEMBER**  
WORLD AIDS DAY  
AND MEMORIAL QUILT

What **causes**  
are you  
interested in  
supporting?

**LGBTQ+**  
**HIV/AIDS**  
**Mental Health**  
**Youth**

# LGBTQ+

## Advocate for LGBTQ+ Causes and Promote Equality

Embrace LGBTQ+ concerns and uphold justice by endorsing Anti-Discrimination Laws, and fighting for equity, fairness, and respect for all.

## Support for Marriage Equality

At Compass we have a commitment to equal rights and inclusivity for all individuals.

## Encourage Freedom of Artistic Expression

By opposing bans on drag shows and free speech, we each foster spaces where creativity and self-expression can flourish without constraints, nurturing environments that celebrate individuality.

## EVENTS

- Palm Beach Pride Pageant
- Palm Beach Pride & Parade
- Equality Prom
- Stonewall Ball
- The Joy Ride
- Cocktails for Compass

## PROGRAMS

- Social and Support Groups for Youth
- Social and Support Groups for Adults
- Pride Business Alliance
- Mental Health
- LGBTQ+ Cultural Competency Trainings

# HIV/AIDS

Unfortunately, South Florida is a hotbed of newly diagnosed cases of HIV. In fact, we have more new cases of HIV than any other location on the planet.

## Lifesaving Education and Prevention

Your support plays a vital role in decreasing new HIV infections. We achieve this by providing information about prevention, safe practices, and free HIV testing empowering individuals to make well-informed decisions, ultimately leading to a reduction in the transmission of the virus.

## Comprehensive Support Services

Your support helps us provide comprehensive assistance to those affected by HIV/AIDS, addressing not only the medical aspects but also the emotional, psychological, and social dimensions of their lives.

## EVENTS

- Palm Beach Pride & Parade
- The Joy Ride
- World AIDS Day & Memorial Quilt
- Community Education Sessions

## PROGRAMS

- Free Rapid HIV Testing
- HIV Outreach and Education
- Medical and Non-Medical Case Management
- Mental Health Services
- STI and STD Testing via CAN Community Health collaboration
- Safer Sex Kits, PrEP, and nPEP



# Mental Health

## Inclusive Support for Vulnerable Communities

Demonstrate your commitment to inclusivity, diversity, and social responsibility by supporting our mental health efforts that tailor mental health services specifically designed to meet the unique needs of LGBTQ+ and HIV-affected individuals.

## Tackling Stigma and Ignored Challenges

Mental health issues often go unaddressed due to societal stigma. Your support will directly target these challenges, helping individuals access the care they need without fear of judgment or discrimination.

## EVENTS

- Palm Beach Pride and Parade
- Equality Prom
- World AIDS Day and Memorial Quilt

## PROGRAMS

- Individual and Relationship Counseling
- Youth Mental Health
- Support and Therapy Groups
- Professional Development
- Mental Health Collaborative

# Youth

## Safe and Supportive Spaces

The center provides a safe and inclusive environment for LGBTQ+ youth, offering them spaces where they can express themselves authentically without fear of discrimination or bias. Youth can connect with peers who share similar experiences, combat feelings of isolation, and build a sense of belonging fostering self-confidence and self-acceptance.

## Addressing Unique Challenges

Many LGBTQ+ youth face unique challenges such as legislative attacks, peer pressure, identity exploration, and mental health concerns. Supporting these programs helps our youth program provide guidance, resources, and mental health to navigate these specific challenges

## EVENTS

- Palm Beach Pride and Parade
- Equality Prom
- Lavender Graduation

## PROGRAMS

- The Youth Drop-In Center
- Youth Social and Support Groups
- Young Adult Social and Support Groups
- Mental Health Therapy (Offered for free)

How can we create a sponsorship **package** that meets **your mission** and goals?

# Thank you for your support.

At Compass, we deeply appreciate the trust and commitment shown by our sponsors.

Your support is instrumental in driving our mission forward and making a meaningful impact on the communities we serve.

For inquiries or further information, please contact Adrienne at [Adrienne@CompassLGBTQ.com](mailto:Adrienne@CompassLGBTQ.com) or (561) 533-9699 ext.4022.



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