

# Young LGBTIQ carers... information for workers online

Do you have the confidence and skills to effectively support young LGBTIQ carers? Our new online resource can help you provide inclusive and appropriate services for young carers who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, intersex, trans/gender diverse, queer and/or questioning.

Young LGBTIQ carers are not always recognised or well understood by services and there is little research about their specific needs. This eLearning program was developed with young people and workers across Victoria. It builds on young carer stories and current inclusive practice knowledge to better support you in your work.

## Easy, accessible information online

The Young LGBTIQ Carers program provides:

- strategies for working inclusively with young LGBTIQ carers
- links to further information and inclusive practice training options
- a Guide for Managers on how to use this program to remove services barriers and support inclusion for young LGBTIQ people with caring responsibilities.

Staff and volunteers can complete the eLearning program at their own pace and in their own workplace.

For more information, email or call the Carers Victoria Education Team to enquire about enrolling.

*"This program opened my eyes to what it means to be truly inclusive and openly advocate for young LGBTIQ carers through our services."*

## Additional Professional Development Service

Carers Victoria can also provide your organisation with professional development training in carer awareness. This training explores ways to support unpaid carers in their role and in the context of your work setting.

Contact us on 1800 242 636 or [education@carersvictoria.org.au](mailto:education@carersvictoria.org.au)



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