

Trans Masculine Alliance Houston

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Want to get involved?

We always need folks to help present or co-lead at meetings, as well as tell us what topics they'd like us to focus on. If you'd like to help out or want to share an idea, please contact one of the members of the leadership team.



What we've been up to...

November was a really full month, with some great events. TMAH had a table at Gender Infinity, where we connected with lots of transmasculine individuals throughout Texas. We sold copies of the zine and distributed lots of fliers and buttons.

T-Giving was a huge success, with almost 200 attendees. It is so awesome to see this many members of our community come together.

T-Shirts are on sale now, for \$10. The shirts come in white or blue and feature our logo across the front. These can be purchased at future meetings or you can email us at transmasculinehouston@gmail.com to place an order.

December Calendar

December 15th 6:30-8:30pm, room 111 of the Montrose Center Annual White Elephant Party! Bring snacks, drinks, friends, family, and a small gift to exchange (\$5 or less). This is always a fun event.

December 13th, 4-8 PM December Hangout Join us for a relaxing evening perusing the Katy Mills mall for some shopping, eats and possibly a movie! This is a plus one event, so please feel free to bring a friend with you. We will be meeting up at the food court and go from there.

January Clothing Swap (date/time/location TBA) Start cleaning out your closet! The TGQ Social group will be partnering with TMAH to hold a clothing swap in January. Watch for more information in our next newsletter. We will need volunteers to help with sorting and setting up.

Name and Gender Marker Assistance

Do you need help with updating your name and gender marker? The Trans Legal Aid Clinic holds events throughout the year where lawyers work with transgender clients to update and file documents with the state. This is a free service. Even with this amount of support, some of us struggle with the “hidden” costs of updating actual documents. A drivers license, birth certificate, passport can eat up money set aside for a monthly electric bill. Some banks and other businesses might charge a small fee to update accounts. These small fees add up. TMAH has a fund to help with these fees. We can reimburse you or pay the cost up front. Email us at transmasculinehouston@gmail.com for more information on this program.

Employment

The Montrose Center is hiring a volunteer manager and a development specialist for community events. For those seeking part time employment, there is a program assistant position open. This is a great opportunity for anyone interested in working with the LGBTQ+ community. Job descriptions and qualifications can be found here: <https://montrosecenter.org/about/employment/>

This Month's Spotlight: **OutSmart** Houston's LGBTQ Magazine

Established in 1994, OutSmart is an award-winning monthly publication that has delivered local and national news to Houston's LGBTQ audience for over 25 years. Published in print and online, we reach 200,000+ readers each month and have a loyal fan base spanning from Houston to Los Angeles. The magazine even has an international following in Canada, Mexico, The United Kingdom, Australia, and various other locations across the globe.

OutSmart has proudly received recognition on both local and national levels. The magazine was voted “Nation's Best Local Magazine” by the Vice Versa Gay Press Awards and has been named “Best Local Publication in Houston” by the Houston Press for four consecutive years (2006, 2007, 2008, and 2009).

Copies are available in the front entrance of the Montrose Center and many LGBTQ+ owned businesses.
<https://www.outsmartmagazine.com/>

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Houston Transgender
Meetup on the Meetup app.
The page includes a
calendar of trans related
meetings and events in
Houston.**