LGBTQ and Jewish Resources
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Suggested Resources for Jewish Educators, Parents, and Youth Program Leaders: a focused list of key resources that we think may be most helpful to Jewish educators.

**Jewish and LGBTQ Books**

**Jewish and LGBTQ Films**


**Websites of Jewish LGBTQ Organizations**
[www.keshetonline.org](http://www.keshetonline.org) – Keshet. Resources, information, events, links, guide to Jewish GSAs, Hineini film resources.
[www.huc.edu/ijso/jhvrc](http://www.huc.edu/ijso/jhvrc) – Jeff Herman Virtual Resource Center on Sexual Orientation Issues in the Jewish Community. A resource of the Institute for Judaism and Sexual Orientation of Hebrew Union College. You must register to use this website but registration is free.
www.nehirim.org – Nehirim. A nonprofit organization devoted to building community for GLBT Jews, partners, and allies through retreats and other programs which celebrate GLBT culture and spirituality, and empower GLBT Jews to become active voices in their home communities.

www.nujls.org – The National Union of Jewish Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer, Questioning, and Intersex Students (NUJLS). An organization that seeks to empower Jewish LGBTQQI students to feel proud of and affirmed in all their identities. NUJLS hosts an annual Spring conference for queer Jews from across the United States and Canada.

http://www.eshelonline.org – Eshel. An organization working to build understanding and support for lesbians, gays, bisexuals and transgender people in traditional Jewish communities.

LGBTQ JEWS: An Extended Bibliography
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Non-Fiction Books, Audio, and Video by and about LGBTQ Jews


Bubbeh Lee and Me. Produced and directed by Andy Abrahams Wilson, distributed by Open Eye Pictures.

A documentary showing a gay Jewish man’s relationship with his grandmother. The filmmaker goes to Florida to spend time with his bubbeh.


This student Academy Award-nominated film explores the universal themes of parental acceptance and matrimonial love. A Jewish lesbian couple is portrayed preparing for their wedding ceremony.


*Positive Story*. Waltham, MA: National Center for Jewish Film, 1996.


**Fiction: Novels, Short Stories or Film by and about LGBTQ Jews**


