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ORGANIZATIONS


Association of Gay Psychologists, 210 Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y. 10010.

Bay Area Physicians for Human Rights, Box 14563, San Francisco, Calif. 94114.

Caucus of Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Members of the American Psychiatric Association, c/o Dr. David R. Kessler, 401 Parmassus Ave., San Francisco, Calif. 94114.

Gay, Lesbian and Bisexual Caucus of the American Association of Sex Educators, Counselors and Therapists, Box 834, Linden Hill, N.Y. 14343.

Gay Nurses Alliance, 44 St. Marks Place, New York, N.Y. 10003.


Lesbian and Gay People in Medicine, 14650 Lee Rd., F.O. Box 131, Chantilly, Va. 22021.

National Association of Gay Alcoholism Professionals, Box 376, Oakland, N.J. 07436.

National Association of Gay and Lesbian Gerontologists, 3312 Descanso Drive, Los Angeles, Calif. 90026.


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