

a program of the Massachusetts Interscholastic Athletic Association



Supporting Trans & Gender Non-Conforming Students

May 14 8:30 am – 1:30 pm

MIAA Conference Center, 33 Forge Parkway, Franklin, MA 02038

Registration begins at 8:00; workshop begins promptly at 8:30

Who should attend?

Educators, advisors, activity group leaders, school administrators, wellness coordinators, guidance counselors, athletic directors, coaches, nurses, school resource officers and **anyone** interested in learning more about effective model programs and best practices.

Workshop Presenters

Jason Wheeler

DESE Safe Schools Programs

Dr. Kathryn Ackerman

Boston Children's Hospital

Dr. Asa Sevelius

Heath School (Brookline, MA) Principal

5 Professional Development Hours are available following the completion of this workshop and online evaluation/assessment.

See flip side for registration information.

Workshop Descriptions

Jason Wheeler

Supporting LGBTQ Students

Participants will learn effective strategies for schools, teams and activity groups to increase awareness, prevent violence, counter negative stereotypes, and promote healthy relationships and safe environments in their communities.

Dr. Kathryn Ackerman

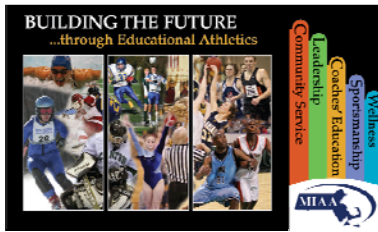
Understanding the History of Intersex and Transgender Athletes in Sport- Where Do We Go From Here?

Workshop participants will learn the difference between intersex and transgender, discuss transgender participation in high school athletics and address some of the biological bases for transgender identity.

Dr. Asa Sevelius

Identity and Introspection: Understanding Ourselves So We Can Understand Others

Through writing, active listening, and sharing, participants will reflect upon their own individual journeys as a way to build empathy and understanding for the lived experiences of those who identify as LGBTQ+. By examining our own privilege through the lens of the LGBTQ experience, we can begin to break down the systemic barriers queer folks-students, staff and families-face in our schools.



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**\$40 per Participant includes light breakfast,
lunch, and materials**

Please register for this workshop online at www.miaa.net
click on conferences, and May 14

Cancellation Policy:

***Cancellations received up to 72 hours before a workshop
begins will be honored. If you do not cancel and do not attend,
you are responsible for full payment.***

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