

Intersectional Pride Checklist

Pride Month is not just a celebration; it's an act of resistance and solidarity. For Queer Disabled people, Pride is both a celebration of identity and a call to action for accessibility, inclusion, and justice. This toolkit is designed to equip organizers, allies, and community members with practical tools to create accessible, inclusive spaces where Queer Disabled people can thrive.



In-person events

Venue Selection: Ensure venues are fully accessible (ramps, elevators, wide doorways, accessible restrooms). Verify compliance with ADA standards and go beyond the minimum to include sensory-friendly spaces.

Inclusive Restrooms: Ensure gender-neutral, accessible restrooms are available and clearly marked.

Sensory-Friendly Spaces: Create low-sensory zones for those who may need a quieter environment to participate fully.

Transportation and Parking: Ensure accessible parking spots are available and clearly marked. Partner with local transit for accessible transportation options.

Virtual Access

For digital events, prioritize closed captioning, ASL interpretation, and screen-reader-friendly materials. Consider offering transcripts post-event for wider accessibility. Additionally, ensure hybrid events for those unable to attend in person due to disability, health concerns, or transportation barriers.

Advocacy & Action Steps

Policy Advocacy: Support legislation that protects LGBTQIA+ and Disabled communities (e.g., Equal Access to Public Places, accessible voting rights).

Amplifying Voices: Share the work of Queer Disabled advocates during Pride Month. Center their narratives in storytelling and media.

Supporting Local Organizations: Partner with local Queer Disabled-led organizations to amplify initiatives.

