

### GUIDE FOR LGBTQIA+ INDIVIDUALS AND WOMEN

# Community & Mutual Aid Survival Guide Under a Fascist Trump Administration



## 1. STRENGTH IN NUMBERS: BUILDING A SAFETY NETWORK

#### IDENTIFY SAFE CONTACTS

- Find LGBTQIA+-friendly medical providers, lawyers, and community leaders ahead of time.
- Keep a list of trusted individuals who can offer emergency housing, transportation, or financial assistance.
- Establish a buddy system for doctor visits, travel, and protests.





#### JOIN MUTUAL AID NETWORKS

- Connect with local and national LGBTQIA+ and feminist mutual aid groups.
  - Mutual Aid Disaster Relief: www.mutualaiddisasterrelief.org
  - Trans Lifeline Microgrants: www.translifeline.org
  - LGBTQ+ Housing Resources (Point of Pride): www.pointofpride.org
- Attend community meetings and stay informed about available resources.

## 2. EMERGENCY PLANNING & RELOCATION STRATEGIES

#### PREPARE FOR UNEXPECTED RELOCATION

- Identify safe states that protect LGBTQIA+ and reproductive rights:
  - California, New Mexico, Colorado (progressive protections)
  - Research asylum options if the situation escalates.
- Keep a go-bag ready with:
  - ID, birth certificate, passport, medical records, and legal documents.
  - Emergency cash, a burner phone, and a list of contacts.





#### FINANCIAL SAFETY

- Store emergency funds in cash or privacy-friendly financial services (e.g., privacy.com for online payments).
- If worried about financial tracking, consider secondary banking options.

# IF YOU NEED TO LEAVE ARIZONA



# SECURE SAFE TRAVEL PLANS AND AVOID DIGITAL TRACES

- Use cash instead of credit cards.
- Turn off location services on your phone.
- Use burner phones or encrypted messaging apps (Signal, ProtonMail).

# CONTACT ORGANIZATIONS THAT PROVIDE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FOR TRAVEL AND RELOCATION

- National Network of Abortion Funds: www.abortionfunds.org
- Rainbow Railroad (for LGBTQ+ asylum seekers): www.rainbowrailroad.org



# 3. DIGITAL & PERSONAL PRIVACY PROTECTION

#### SECURE YOUR ONLINE PRESENCE

- Use VPNs and incognito mode for searches related to healthcare and safety.
- Avoid period-tracking apps or use encrypted alternatives like Euki.
- Delete sensitive messages, search history, and disable tracking on medical portals.





### ENCRYPTED COMMUNICATION IS ESSENTIAL

- DO NOT discuss sensitive topics over social media, text, or unencrypted email.
- Use Signal or ProtonMail for confidential conversations.
- Avoid sharing personal information on public platforms.

## 4. LEGAL & CRISIS RESOURCES IN ARIZONA

# LGBTQIA+ & REPRODUCTIVE RIGHTS LEGAL HELP

# ARIZONA COALITION TO END SEXUAL & DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Provides advocacy, legal support, and crisis resources for survivors of sexual and domestic violence in Arizona

- www.acesdv.org
- (602) 279-2900

### NATIONAL ABORTION HOTLINE

Connects people with financial assistance and logistical support for abortion care, including travel and lodging resources.

- www.ineedana.com
- (800) 772-9100

#### TRANS LIFELINE

A peer-support hotline offering emotional and financial support, including legal aid, to trans individuals in crisis.

- www.translifeline.org
- . (877) 565-8860

# FLORENCE IMMIGRANT & REFUGEE RIGHTS PROJECT

Provides free legal services and representation for immigrants detained by ICE in Arizona.

- · www.azdisabilitylaw.org
- (602) 274-6287

## 5. FINAL SAFETY STEPS

- Save emergency numbers and websites offline.
- Arrange a trusted emergency contact system with friends or family.
- · Stay connected to mutual aid groups and resistance movements.
- Prepare financial and relocation plans in case of escalating restrictions.



LGBTQIA+ individuals and women face increasing risks, but collective resistance and mutual aid provide security and hope.

Stay informed Stay connected, and Protect one another.

We fight for each other.

