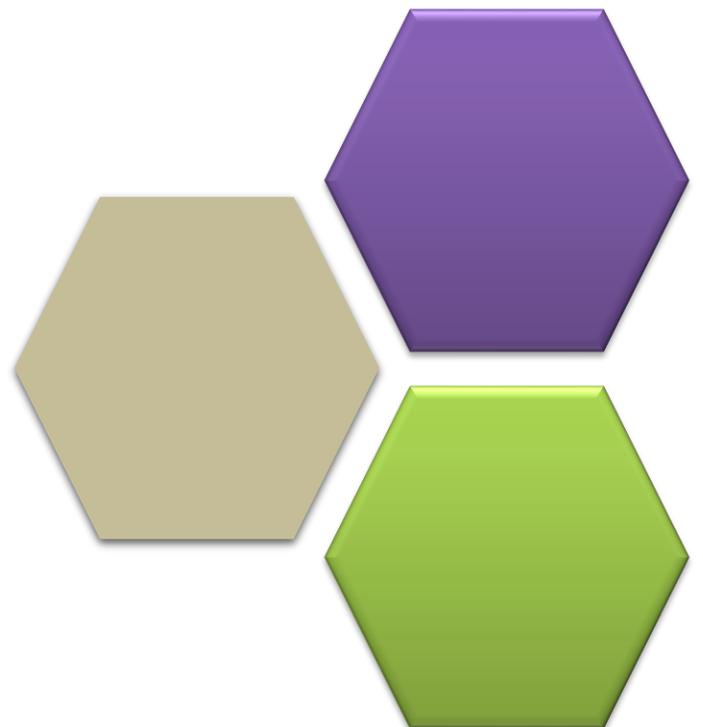


# Peer Academic Supports for Success

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## Boston University Student Resources

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## Academic Counseling

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Academic Counseling			X	

**Description:** Need help finding a job or figuring out your calculus homework? As a Boston University student, you can turn to an enormous network of support services—academic, cultural, personal, and pre-professional. Click on any of the resources below for more information.

### Learn more about Academic Counseling:

- [Boston University Wheelock College of Education & Human Development](http://www.bu.edu/wheelock/academics/students/undergraduate-student-life/resources/)
  - <http://www.bu.edu/wheelock/academics/students/undergraduate-student-life/resources/>
- [College of Arts & Sciences](http://www.bu.edu/cas/current-students/undergraduate/casadvising/)
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- [College of General Studies January Boston-London Program](http://www.bu.edu/cfa/current-students/forms-and-procedures/advising/)
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- [College of Health & Rehabilitation Sciences: Sargent College](http://www.bu.edu/sargent/student-resources/academic-services-center/)
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- [Frederick S. Pardee School of Global Studies](https://www.bu.edu/pardeeschool/academics/student-affairs-and-services/faq/)
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- [Questrom School of Business](http://questromworld.bu.edu/udc/essentials/advising/)
  - <http://questromworld.bu.edu/udc/essentials/advising/>
- [School of Hospitality Administration](http://www.bu.edu/hospitality/academics/courses/advising/)
  - <http://www.bu.edu/hospitality/academics/courses/advising/>

## Active Minds

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Active Minds	X			X

**Description:** Born out of needless tragedy, Active Minds was founded by a young woman from the University of Pennsylvania after her sibling, who silently suffered from a severe mental health condition, took his own life. Active Minds has since grown into a collective international effort to take the conversation around mental illness from the darkness and bring it into the light. Broadly, their mission is to increase awareness and decrease stigma, particularly in college-aged youth and young adults, by:

- Facilitating student-led mental health advocacy groups
- Offering mental health programs and campaigns that stress positive mental health on college campuses. These include, but are not limited to:
  - Developing their extensive Chapter network – *450 active Chapters, currently*
  - Awarding the *Healthy Campus Award*, which honors campuses that champion student mental health
  - Developing suicide response guides for students and schools
  - Supporting college-aged behavioral health researchers with the Active Minds Emerging Scholars Fellowship
  - Planning awareness activities to erase mental health stigma
  - PostSecretU – an education and awareness program
  - Active Minds Speakers Bureau
  - Promoting and engaging people during Stress Less Week and Suicide Prevention Month

**Learn more about Active Minds:**

- Website: <https://www.activeminds.org/chapter/boston-university/>,
- Email Contact: [activeminds@bu.edu](mailto:activeminds@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 202-332-9595

## Boston University Marsh Chapel

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Chaplains	X			X

**Description:** The BU Marsh Chapel provides a place for BU students, staff, and faculty to worship in a non-judgmental and non-denominational environment, and also offers a host of communal activities and opportunities for social engagement, which includes but is not limited to the following:

- Sunday interdenominational worship
- Weekday services – e.x., Monday meditation, Ecumenical evening prayer, silence practice, and more
- Special services – e.x., International students Sunday, family and friends weekend services, and more
- Weddings
- Baptisms & confirmation
- Funerals & memorial services
- Vigils
- *Motives* – an academic religious & theological journal released as an e-magazine

### Learn more about Marsh Chapel:

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/chapel/about/>
- Email Contact: [chapel@bu.edu](mailto:chapel@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-3560

## Center for Career Development (CCD)

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
CCD			X	

**Description:** An on-campus center dedicated to providing tools and resources to support students in their path to career development. From networking to job opportunities to salary negotiations, our mission is to help you grow your professional life and keep it humming well beyond graduation. The CCD also contains the following specialized services:

- **Weekly Workshops** – held on a wide range of topics such as Getting Start with CCD, Self-Discovery, Branding & Marketing Yourself, Next Steps for Campus to Career, and Graduate School.
- **Career Counseling Appointments** – Career Counselors are available for appointments (scheduled via Handshake). Career Counselors offer assessments such as the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator, Strong Interest Inventory, SkillScan, and more.
- **Resume + Cover Letter Reviews** – In-person, 15-minute document review appointments are available and can be scheduled via Handshake – BU’s online career management hub. Resumes can also be submitted for review online.
- **Interview Practice** – online mock interview tool is available on Handshake. You can pick a set of questions, record an interview, and play it back to identify how you can improve. Then, you can make an appointment with a career counselor to do an in-person mock interview and get advice on interviewing best practices.
- **Career Advisory Network** – connect with a BU alumni to talk about your career  
<http://www.bu.edu/alumni/careers/career-development-resources/career-advisory-network/>
- **Career Fairs** – held once per semester, these serve as opportunities to connect with recruiters, research companies, and find work opportunities. Information can be found on Handshake
- **Employer Information Sessions** – employers speak with groups of students at all stages of career development to share info on organizations and opportunities. See the CCD event calendar for more info:

**Learn more about CCD:**

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/careers/>
  - Handshake log-in: <https://bu.joinhandshake.com/login>
- Email Contact: [future@bu.edu](mailto:future@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-3590

## Center for Gender, Sexuality, and Activism

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Center for Gender, Sexuality, and Activism				X

**Description:** The BU Center for Gender, Sexuality, and Activism (located on the lower level of the GSU) is dedicated to promoting social justice on campus, offering students a safe space and providing resources and education for the broader BU community. The CGSA has dedicated a great deal of attention to on-campus activism and initiatives for developing gender neutral housing.

### Learn more about CGSA:

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/cgsa/>
- Email Contact: [cgsa@bu.edu](mailto:cgsa@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-358-5578

## The Center for Psychiatric Rehabilitation

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
The Center for Psychiatric Rehabilitation	X	X	X	X

**Description:** The Center for Psychiatric Rehabilitation is an on-campus resource founded on the principles of research, service, and training, and is dedicated to helping people with psychiatric disabilities lead happy, healthy, and meaningful lives. Listed below are several programs offered through this Center:

- **LEAD for Collegiate Resilience** – free, open-enrollment class to build wellness, community & collegiate skills. Text 857-337-4548 for more info.
- **LEAD for Collegiate Resilience** – free, open-enrollment class to build wellness, community & collegiate skills taught in Spanish. Text 857-352-3770 for more info.
- **LEAD @ BU HE102** – Boston University course to build wellness, community and collegiate skills. Text 857-337-4548 for more info.
- **Healthy Relationships** – free course for building meaningful friend, peer & partner connections. Text 857-225-0230 for more info.
- **Peer-run Activities** – a range of weekly outings and workshops to build belonging and community. Text 857-225-0230 for more info.
- **NITEO** – NITEO is an intensive, one-semester program supporting young adults on a leave of absence from college for mental health reasons to develop wellness tools, academic skills, resilience, and work-readiness. NITEO empowers students to gain the supports and strategies they need to successfully return to campus and thrive. This is a resource to consider if you decide to take a leave of absence due to mental health during this academic year.

**Learn more about the Center for Psychiatric Rehabilitation:**

- Website: <https://cpr.bu.edu/>
- Email Contact: [psyrehab@bu.edu](mailto:psyrehab@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-3549

## Community Service Center

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Community Service Center				X

**Description:** The Community Service Center (CSC) is Boston University’s welcoming space for direct service, education, and reflection initiated by students in solidarity with BU’s neighbors and community partners. The CSC aims to:

- Provide the Boston University community with opportunities to address and improve the critical concerns of Greater Boston
- Serve as a vehicle for personal growth and leadership
- Encourage students to be active and responsible citizens in neighboring communities
- Broaden the scope of the educational experience through service and reflection
- Serve Greater Boston in a meaningful and mutually beneficial way

**Learn more about the BU Community Service Center:**

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/csc/opportunities/programs/>
- Email Contact: [bucsc@bu.edu](mailto:bucsc@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-4710

## Dean of Students Office

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Dean of Students Office			X	

**Description:** The mission of the Dean of Students Office (DOS) is to help you enhance your character, quality, and perspective during your time at BU. DOS staff are committed to promoting your personal and academic growth and representing your concerns. The DOS is involved in:

- Advising student organizations
- Planning ways to help you acclimate to the University
- Setting and regulating standards for student conduct
- Overseeing BU Centers and Services such as:
  - Orientation
  - Residence Life
  - Student Activities Office
  - Judicial Affairs
  - Howard Thurman Center
  - Community Service Center
  - Disability Services
  - Off-Campus Services

### Learn more about the Dean of Students Office:

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/dos/>
- Email Contact: [dos@bu.edu](mailto:dos@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-4126

## The Educational Resource Center (ERC)

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Educational Resource Center			X	

- **Peer Tutoring:**

One-on-one and group tutoring is available. <http://www.bu.edu/erc/peer-tutoring/>

- **Writing Assistance**

The ERC offers two types of writing assistance:

- **Traditional appointments (45 minutes)** – review a draft of a paper with a Writing Fellow and receive feedback. These appointments are designed for students who are working on any stage of a written assignment: brainstorming, drafting, or revising.
- **Drop-in appointments (20 minutes)** – review a particular issue in a paper you are writing with a Writing Fellow (e.g., “introduction,” “subject-verb agreement,” or “topic sentences.”)

Website: <http://www.bu.edu/erc/writingassistance/>

- **Academic Skills**

The ERC has a variety of other support programs to help you succeed academically in college. These include:

- **Academic workshops** – topics include an overview of ERC programs and services, avoiding plagiarism, multiple choice test prep, learning styles, time management, effective study skills strategies, and creating and delivering class presentations. Website: <http://www.bu.edu/erc/asa/-erc-workshops>
- **Academic skills advising sessions** – A ERC staff member will help you develop a personalized plan for academic success. Website: <http://www.bu.edu/erc/writingassistance/>
- **FY103 Academic Strategies: Mastering the Art of Learning** – a one-credit, 8 week course that provides help on academic topics: time management; in-class presentations, test-taking strategies. Website: <http://www.bu.edu/erc/fy103/>

**Learn more about ERC:**

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/erc/>
- Email Contact: [erc@bu.edu](mailto:erc@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-7077

## The Newbury Center

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Student Activities	X		X	X

**Description:** The Newbury Center, is a new support hub for first-generation students—undergraduate, graduate, and nontraditional students—from matriculation through graduation. At 755 Commonwealth Ave., in the heart of the Charles River Campus, between Marsh Chapel and Mugar Memorial Library, the Newbury Center offers services such as mentoring and family outreach and engagement, as well as helping students connect with internships and study abroad programs, all aimed at strengthening academic, social, and post-graduation success.

**Learn more about the Newbury Center:**

Website: <https://www.bu.edu/newbury-center/>

## Fitness & Recreation Center

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Fitness and Recreation Center		X		X

- **FitRec FitPass** – purchase a FitPass to be able to join many offered fitness classes such as yoga, kickboxing, Pilates, and Zumba. FitPasses can be purchased for 1 class, 5 classes, or an unlimited number of classes. <https://www.bu.edu/fitrec/classes/>
- **The Gerald Tsai Jr. Fitness Center** – exercise equipment from free weights to selectorized weight systems to treadmills and elliptical. Tours of the Fitness Center are available on weekday mornings at 7am and 9am.
- **Private Sessions** – private sessions of Pilates, personal training, and sports performance training are available for purchase
- **Club sports** – 34 different student-run sports teams exist on campus – varying from casual to competitive in nature. All club sports are overseen and advised by program managers from the Department of Physical Education, Recreation & Dance. Website: <https://www.bu.edu/fitrec/recreation/clubsims/club-sports/>
- **Intramural sports** – you must register as a team in order to participate. Your team can participate in intramural leagues and tournaments are open to current BU students, faculty, and staff.

### Learn more about Fitrec:

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/fitrec/>
  - Join here: <https://www.bu.edu/fitrec/membership/>
- Email Contact: [fitrec@bu.edu](mailto:fitrec@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: (617) 358-3740

## Hillel House

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Student Activities	X			X

**Description:** Specifically dedicated to the empowerment of Jewish students on the BU campus, Hillel House seeks to create a sense of engagement and comradery around one’s Jewish identity. Their mission is to “Inspire, educate, and empower Boston University students to lead meaningful, joyous Jewish lives.

**Learn more about Student Activities Office:**

- Website <http://www.bu.edu/hillel/>
- Email contact: Reb Jevin Eagle, Executive Director, [jeagle@bu.edu](mailto:jeagle@bu.edu)

## Howard Thurman Center

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Howard Thurman Center				X

**Description:** The Howard Thurman Center for Common Ground seeks to facilitate creative shared experiences between diverse BU students, in an effort to close interpersonal divides, foster psychosocial growth and develop meaningful friendships. HTC is a center designed for cultural learning and collaboration, which provides workshops, programs and celebrations aimed at building community and eliminating divisiveness between people, groups, races, cultures, religions, and ethnicities.

- The HTC encourages students to:
  - Be introspective to learn who they are
  - Expand their intellectual, social, and spiritual horizons
  - Contemplate and discuss contemporary local, national, and international issues
  - Reflect on how they can contribute to the world, while pursuing what “makes them come alive”
- Programs offered at HTC are as follows:
  - Art exhibits
  - Board games
  - Book club
  - Brothers United
  - Coffee & Conversation
  - Common ground grant
  - Common thread – *HTC’s free iTunes podcast*
  - Conversation Corps
  - Culture Council
  - Culture Shock
  - Tea Time

**Learn more about Howard Thurman Center:**

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/thurman/>
- Email Contact: [Thurman@bu.edu](mailto:Thurman@bu.edu)

Phone Contact: 617-353-474

## Disability & Access Services

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Office of Disability Services			X	X

**Description:** The Office of Disability Services provides reasonable accommodations to students who are eligible under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. The Office of Disability Services receives and processes requests for reasonable accommodations.

Reasonable accommodations request form: [https://bu-accommodate.symphlicity.com/public\\_accommodation/](https://bu-accommodate.symphlicity.com/public_accommodation/)

**Learn more about ODS:**

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/disability/>

## Office of Ombuds

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Office of Ombuds				X

**Description:** The Office of the Ombuds is an independent, impartial, informal problem-solving resource serving faculty, staff, and students on the Charles River and Medical Campus. The Office maintains strict confidentiality and provides a safe place for students to have off-the-record conversations on issues related to life, work, or study at Boston University. Talking to the Ombuds can be a good first step if you have a concern and you don't know where to turn for help.

### Learn more about Office of Ombuds:

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/ombuds/>
- Email Contact: [ombuds@bu.edu](mailto:ombuds@bu.edu)

### Charles River Office:

930 Commonwealth Ave Boston, MA 02215

617-358-5960

### Medical Campus Office:

Solomon Carter Fuller Building, Suite 818

85 East Newton Street, Boston MA, 02118

617-638-7645

## Sargent Choice Nutrition Center

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Sargent Choice Nutrition Center		X		

**Description:** Boston University’s Sargent Choice Nutrition Center will help you gain the knowledge, skills, and strategies to meet your individual nutrition goals. Programs and services offered at SCNC include:

- Nutritional Counseling – Individual education & support for all of your nutrition concerns
  - All BU students are entitled to one free session to discuss their nutritional goals
- Weight Loss Essentials – Your customized plan for sustainable weight loss
- Food Allergies & Intolerances – Optimize nutrition while managing your food restrictions
- Sports Nutrition – The competitive edge to achieve your performance goals
- Eating Disorders – Evidence-based practices to support your recovery
- Digestive Disorders – Therapeutic diets for balanced nutrition and symptom relief
- Nutrition Workshops – Meal planning essentials to match your health goals
- Healthy Dining Program – A one-of-a-kind healthy food & education program
- Nutrition Seminars – Custom programming to meet your needs & interests
- Nutrient Analysis – Information to help consumers choose healthier options
- Blog – Recipes, education, and tools to stay healthy and connected

**Learn more about Choice Nutrition Center:**

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/scnc/all-services/>
- Email Contact: [nfc@bu.edu](mailto:nfc@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-2721

## Student Activities Office

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Student Activities				X

**Description:** There are over 450 student organizations on campus covering a wide range of interests including artistic expression, social justice, environmental protection, athletic competition, and so much more.

- You can search for student organizations you might want to join by keyword or category here: <https://www.bu.edu/studentactivities/our-groups/>
- You can check out the calendar of student activities events here: <https://www.bu.edu/studentactivities/events/>

### Learn more about Student Activities Office:

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/studentactivities/about-us/>
- Email Contact: [sao@bu.edu](mailto:sao@bu.edu)
- Phone Contact: 617-353-3635

## Student Health Services: Behavioral Medicine

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socialization
Behavioral Medicine	X			

**Description:** Behavioral Medicine offers a range of mental health services to students, including:

- Assessment and diagnosis, including neuropsychological testing for ADHD
- Brief treatment, including therapy and psychiatry (although Behavioral Medicine doesn't limit the number of sessions it offers, the model of care is short-term)
- 24/7 crisis intervention for psychiatric & mental health emergencies, at 617-353-3569
  - For all other emergencies, call BU Police, at 617-353-2121, or the BU Medical Center Public Safety, at 617-414-4444)
- Phone consultation service for students, parents, and BU faculty & staff
- [Referrals](#) to off-campus local clinicians when longer-term or more extensive treatment is recommended (<http://www.bu.edu/shs/behavioral-medicine/referral-services/>)

**Learn more about Behavioral Medicine:**

- Website: <http://www.bu.edu/shs/behavioral-medicine/services-we-provide/>
- Phone Contact: 617-353-3569

## Student Health Services: Collegiate Recovery Program (CRP)

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Collegiate Recovery Program	X	X		X

**Description:** The CRP strives to provide a safe and welcoming community where students in recovery from substance use are empowered to advance their academic, personal, and professional potentials. Members share the common goals to develop long-term sobriety and not use alcohol or other drugs.

- Connect students in recovery to provide a sober support network for wellness and long-term recovery
- Support student achievement across academic, professional, and personal domains
- Educate students, faculty, and staff about students in recovery

### Learn more about CRP:

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/shs/wellness/our-programs/substance-use-recovery/recovery-from-substance-use/>
- Email Contact: [recovery@bu.edu](mailto:recovery@bu.edu)

## Student Health Services: Primary Care

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Student Health Services		X		

**Description:** Primary Care is your first stop for any medical concern. Services include:

- Urgent healthcare
- Gynecological care (routine and urgent care)
- Men’s healthcare (routine and urgent care)
- LGBTQ care – for students across the spectrum of sexual and gender identity
- Minor office procedures (e.g., removing a wart or draining an abscess)
- Laboratory tests – performed through our on-site Quest Lab
- Referrals – for a network of specialists in the area
- Nutrition services – in collaboration with the Sargent Choice Nutrition Center

**Learn more about Primary Care:**

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/shs/primary-care/>
- Phone Contact: 617-353-3575 (24 hours)

## Student Health Services: Sexual Assault Response & Prevention Center (SARP)

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Student Health Services		X		

**Description:** Crisis response is available 24 hours a day, all year-round at 617-353-7277. When you are calling after 5:00pm, or on a weekend/holiday, you will hear a message saying the office is closed – please press 1 to leave a non-urgent voicemail or 2 to speak with a Crisis Counselor.

- Information on where you can receive appropriate medical care, both immediate and longer term as necessary
- Confidential individual counseling and/or referrals to community resources as appropriate
- Confidential group sessions
- Help with resources for academic and personal support
- Information for friends, family, and others affected by violence or trauma
- Scheduled Appointments
- Assistance to survivors of other violent crimes and traumatic incidents

**Learn more about SARP:**

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/shs/sarp/>
- Phone Contact: 617-353-7277

## Student Health Services: Wellness and Prevention

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
Student Health Services		X		

**Description:** The Wellness and Prevention provide programs and services that promote wellbeing:

- Alcohol and marijuana education programs
- Free safer sex supplies through the Condom Fairy
- Campus events like the Spring into Wellness Fair and Sex in the Dark
- Program kits and bulletin boards for Ras and other student leaders
- Support for students in recovery
- Peer health education

- **Wellness Program Kits:**

Students at Boston University are able to order kits, such as a safe drinking kit, a stress relief kit, a “flu buddy” kit, and a finals survival guide. For example, the safe drinking kit includes a cup with standard drink measurements, tips for safer drinking, resources to help alcohol intoxication, and a kit kat bar to remind students to “take a break.”

Website: <https://www.bu.edu/shs/wellness/general-health-programs/wellness-program-kits/>

**Learn more about Wellness and Prevention:**

- Website: <https://www.bu.edu/shs/wellness/>
- Phone Contact: 617-358-0485

## LGBTQ+ Resources and Services

	Mental Health	Physical Health	Academic Resources	Socializing on Campus
LGBTQ+ Resources and Services	X	X		X

### List of LGBTQ+ Resource and Services

- Information in the sub bullets below can be found here:  
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/14EAu06i1MoJBXzkkopOn1HRGbn2rjR7C9X6zN-sascc/edit#heading=h.kz39bageblpl>
  - Virtual Support Groups
  - Therapy
  - Prevention Services
  - Helplines, talk lines, and peer-support chat lines
  - Resources for Protesting
  - Legal Resources
  - Financial Resources
  - General Well-being and Self-Care Resources
  - Relevant events
- Boston University Resources and other Support Groups can be found here:  
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1qazNmQgyk3qRtDmf3l6zZjzZB3f37fYmYMocc1q7HOw/e/dit#heading=h.o0aah8km73gr>
- Boston Clinics and other Health Services can be found here:  
[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xmHtFGmMcxRm0RW-CsyVI2ogG2WLuXDYCLvB\\_M0WUw/edit#heading=h.7fwy82bd1kc4](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xmHtFGmMcxRm0RW-CsyVI2ogG2WLuXDYCLvB_M0WUw/edit#heading=h.7fwy82bd1kc4)

## COVID-19 Resources

- Changing your Name in Boston University Systems
  - **SHS Medical Record:** Update your name, pronouns, and/or gender identity, by [logging into Patient Connect](#) and clicking on the “Profile” tab.
    - \*Note: This system allows you to designate a ‘preferred name,’ however, your legal name will continue to be included.
  - **BU Directory:** [Learn more about updating the directory](#) under the “Update Your Personal Preferences” section.
    - \*Note: Enter your chosen name in the ‘nickname’ box and change the display settings to update your displayed information in the Directory.
    - This will change your display name on Zoom
  - **Blackboard:** [Learn more about changing your name in Blackboard](#)
    - \*Note: It is recommended that you notify your professors of the Blackboard updates. The Office of the University Registrar can also notify faculty of this change on behalf of students by request.
  - **Terrier Card/BU ID Card:** [Learn more about updating your Terrier Card](#)
    - \*Note: Although BU is unable to permanently update your records without a legal name change, you can get a new Terrier Card with your chosen name.
  - **Kerberos Login/Email:** [Learn more about changing your Kerberos login name and BU email](#)
- Know Your Rights
  - **GLAD:** <https://www.glad.org/know-your-rights-during-covid-19/>
  - **Regarding Protesting and Gathering:** [https://www.aclum.org/sites/default/files/field\\_documents/know\\_your\\_rights\\_covid\\_19.pdf?fbclid=IwAR1PpaOKnzfmDxgT1dS7Bv7giGW4MPulsd1qTVexi1xkhVfjaeHSvBLYHiw](https://www.aclum.org/sites/default/files/field_documents/know_your_rights_covid_19.pdf?fbclid=IwAR1PpaOKnzfmDxgT1dS7Bv7giGW4MPulsd1qTVexi1xkhVfjaeHSvBLYHiw)
  - **Transgender Legal Defense and Education Fund:** [https://transgenderlegal.org/media/documents/doc\\_800.pdf](https://transgenderlegal.org/media/documents/doc_800.pdf)
- More information for COVID-19 Resources can be found here: [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1o1eOQ6N\\_6GyZflzhJApyaki2feJddptdImhgfdwWQe0/edit](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1o1eOQ6N_6GyZflzhJApyaki2feJddptdImhgfdwWQe0/edit)