



MAT-SU SCHOOL BOARD & NEW RESTRICTIONS ON COUNSELING

The Mat-Su School Board passed a policy in June limiting school counselors to providing academic counseling only. This means that they can no longer provide counseling support related to mental health, safety at home or other challenges that a student might be facing outside the classroom. This directly limits the ability of school counselors to provide support for LGBTQIA2S+ students and connect them to community-based services.

If you or a student you know may need support, here are some resources.

Choosing our Roots



Scan for
intake form

Choosing our Roots provides support to queer folks ages 13-24 who experience housing insecurity in the Mat-Su, Anchorage, Kenai Peninsula and Bethel.

Mat-Su Health Services



Scan to make an
appointment

Mat-Su Health Services provides behavioral health support to people of all ages.

Free, 24/7 Crisis Intervention:
Call 907-376-2411

Trevor Project

The Trevor Project provides support to LGBTQIA2S+ and build a world of inclusivity.

For mental health and crisis support call 1-866-488-7386 or text START to 678-678



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