



Safe Space Student Ally Student Training

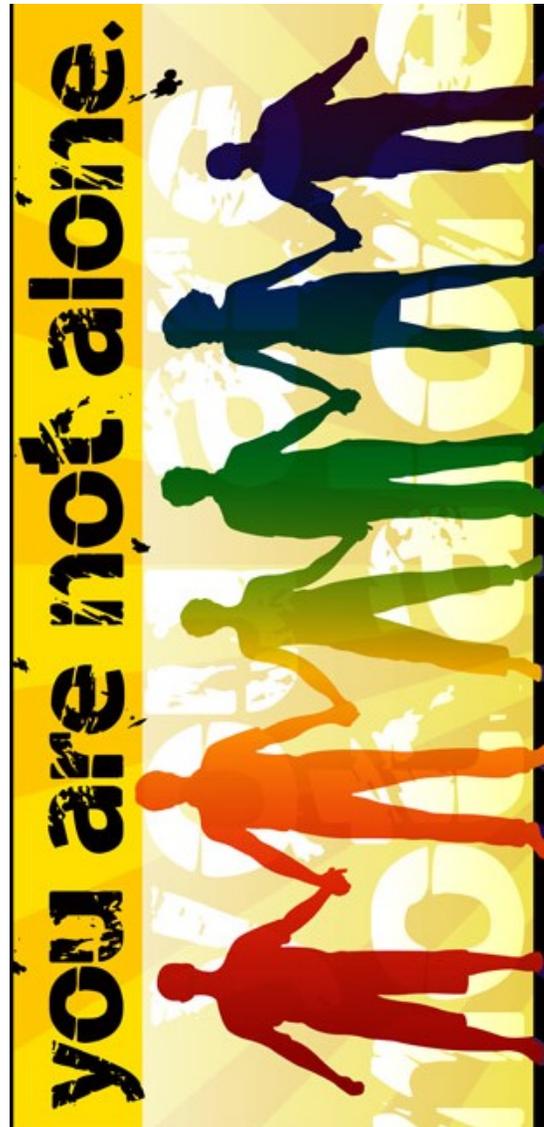
To host a training, follow these simple steps:

- ⇒ Gather a group of at least five interested students
- ⇒ Contact Breanna Andrews to set up a training day and time. Trainings are usually 1.5-2 hours
- ⇒ Administer a follow up survey
- ⇒ Compile a list of Peer Allies

It's that easy!

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Become a CHC Certified Student Ally



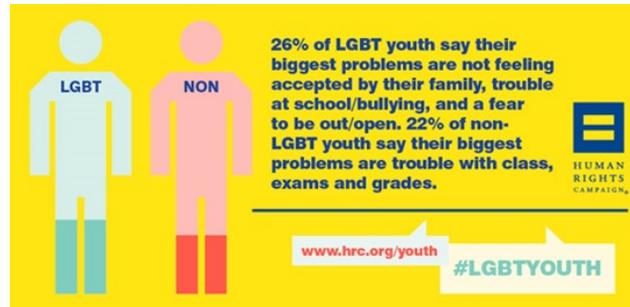
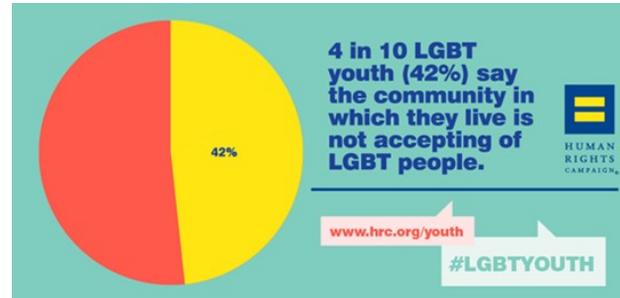
What is Safe Space?

Safe Space is a program that helps students of diverse backgrounds identify Crafton Hills College faculty, staff, administrators, and peers whom they can approach for support and guidance without fear or judgment. Safe Spaces are created for members of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Questioning (LGBTQ) community, although all students are welcomed and included. The first safe space programs were developed in the late 1980s.

Crafton Hills College established its employee Safe Space program in 2014 and its student program in 2015. Those who complete the training are called "allies" and these allies create safe spaces by being open in their support. Safe Space helps to establish a campus as an inclusive and educational environment where all members can engage, learn, and advance.

Why be a student ally?

Because we all deserve to learn in a safe, supportive and welcoming environment.



How to spot a student ally

Upon completion of a Safe Space Peer Ally student training, students fill out a survey and indicate their desire to become a "CHC Certified Peer Ally." These allies can be identified by the "Peer Ally" button (shown above) that they wear on their bags/backpacks. While there are many students on campus who may be LGBTQ allies, only those who have gone through the CHC training program will earn a "Peer Ally" designated button.

