



**Since 1978,  
SAGE has worked  
tirelessly on behalf  
of LGBT older people.**

Building off the momentum of the Stonewall uprising and the emerging LGBT civil rights movement, a group of activists came together to ensure that LGBT older people could age with respect and dignity. Their vision created SAGE, forming a network of support for LGBT elders that's still going and growing today.

SAGE is more than just an organization. It's a movement of loving, caring activists dedicated to advocating and providing services and support to older members of the LGBT community.

LGBT elders fought—and still fight—for our rights. **And we will never stop fighting for theirs.**



**We will not  
back down.**

**We will not  
be silent.**

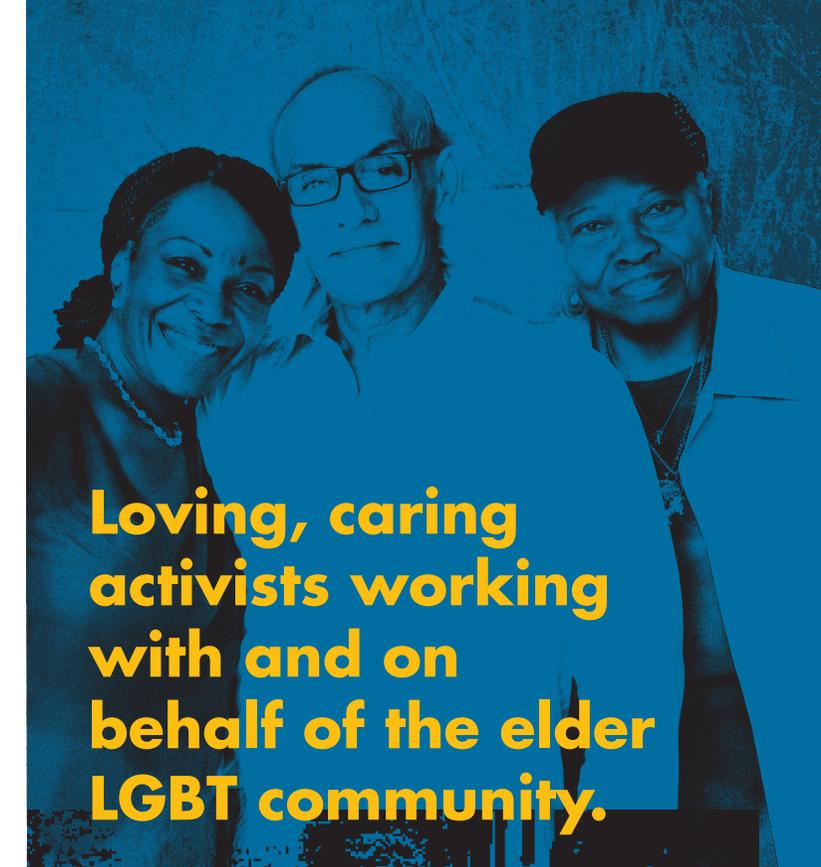
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**SAGE** is the country's largest and oldest organization dedicated to improving the lives of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender (LGBT) older people.

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**Loving, caring  
activists working  
with and on  
behalf of the elder  
LGBT community.**



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**SAGE elevates the concerns of LGBT elders through our advocacy work at the local, state, and federal levels.**

**We focus on public policies that address the economic, social, and health challenges that LGBT older people confront every day.**

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Through our **SAGECare** program, we educate long-term care providers about how to administer home and residential care for LGBT elders in need of acute support.

**SAGECare has trained 50,000+ eldercare providers in LGBT CULTURAL COMPETENCY**

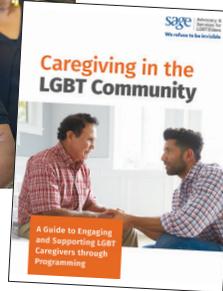


**SAGE has mobilized** the LGBT community and allies to **demand change** from the federal government on LGBT aging issues.



Our **National Resource Center on LGBT Aging**

provides training, technical assistance, and educational resources to local and state aging agencies, care providers, LGBT organizations, and LGBT older adults—the country's first and only library of its kind.



**SAGE.**  
Fighting for  
LGBT elders for  
**40+**  
**YEARS**

**LGBT elders are 2x as likely to LIVE ALONE as non-LGBT peers**



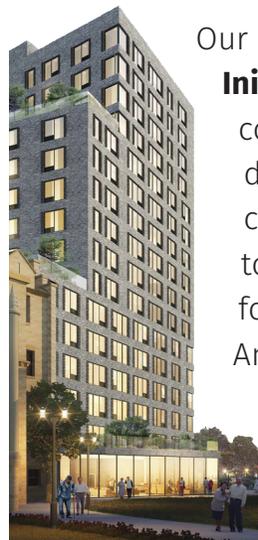
Our relationship-building programs, such as **SAGE Table**, bring older and younger LGBT people together to create ties across generations.

SAGE is promoting LGBT aging **across the globe** through an initiative in Latin America, a partnership dedicated to LGBT aging issues, with the International Federation on Ageing, and other strategies.



**48%** of elder same-sex couples experience **HOUSING DISCRIMINATION**

Our **National LGBT Elder Housing Initiative** is working with community partners, educating developers, connecting with consumers, and advocating to expand housing options for LGBT elders nationwide. And in NYC, SAGE is building the country's largest LGBT-friendly elder housing.



SAGE members, volunteers, and supporters **help us thrive.**

**Get involved.**

Learn more at [sageusa.org/getinvolved](http://sageusa.org/getinvolved).

Our network of **SAGE Centers** in New York City and our **SAGENet affiliate programs** across the country provide 50,000+ hours of programming to 12,000+ LGBT elders.

**SAGE Centers**, with their expansive programs and support systems, are models for LGBT- and age-friendly spaces. We support LGBT elders, and their caregivers, and offer special programs for people living with HIV, as well as LGBT veterans.



**SAGENet** affiliates provide support and programs to LGBT elders in their communities in every region of the U.S. By building the capacity of our affiliates to champion LGBT older people, we ensure that LGBT elders everywhere have the full range of opportunities they deserve.

**Learn about SAGE's programs and services at [sageusa.org](http://sageusa.org).**

