

Free Figure Revolution's Queer Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Survey Glossary

- **GenderQueer (Bi-Gender or Identifying with Multiple Genders):** A person who does not subscribe to gender norms or distinctions but identifies with neither, both, or more than one gender.
- **Agender:** A person who does not identify with any gender at all.
- **Two-Spirit:** A Native American gender identity to describe certain people in their communities who fulfill a traditional third-gender (or other gender-variant) role in their cultures.
- **Nonbinary:** Someone whose gender identity isn't exclusively woman or man or does not subscribe to gender norms of feminine or masculine, but rather identifies with neither, both, or more than one gender.
- **Cisgender (Woman or Man):** A person whose sense of personal identity and gender corresponds with their the gender they were assigned at birth.
- **Transgender (Woman, Man, Etc.):** A person whose gender identity does not correspond with the gender they were assigned at birth.
- **Intersex:** People whose biology does not meet our society's traditional definitions of sex and gender; folks with atypical sex anatomy.
- **Asexual:** People who have little to no sexual attraction towards other people.
- **Queer:** A term used to describe someone's sexual or romantic attraction to multiple genders, individual gender expansiveness, and/or stand as a political statement.
- **Pansexual:** A person who is sexually or romantically interested in other people regardless of gender or sexuality.
- **Bisexual:** An umbrella term for people who recognize and honor their potential for sexual and emotional attraction to more than one gender.
- **Gay:** An umbrella term for people who are aren't heterosexual, usually same-gender-loving men.
- **Lesbian:** A woman-loving-woman.

- **Straight:** Heterosexual.
- **Agnostic:** A person who believes that nothing is known or can be known of the existence or nature of God or of anything beyond material phenomena; a person who claims neither faith nor disbelief in God.
- **Undocumented:** A term to acknowledge folks who do not having the appropriate legal document or license according to the state.
- **Sex Work:** The provision of sexual services for money or goods.
- **Domestic Violence:** A pattern of behaviors used by a partner, a family member, someone close to you or who resides with you, in a authoritative position, and/ or within your community who aims to maintain power and control over another person.
- **Police Brutality:** Police brutality is the use of excessive and/or unnecessary force by police when dealing with civilians. Specifically the hunting/ surveillance of Black bodies.
- **Boundary:** Outlining likes and dislikes, and setting the distances one allows others to approach. They include physical, mental, psychological and spiritual boundaries, involving beliefs, emotions, intuitions and self-esteem.
- **Transformative Justice:** A liberatory approach to violence that seeks safety and accountability without relying on alienation, or systemic violence. (Generation 5: <https://www.transformativejustice.eu/en/accountability-and-sexual-violence/what-are-ca-and-tj/>)