

Transgender Definitions

Transgender: Blanket term for any person whose internal gender identity differs from physiological gender

Intersex: People born with both male and female reproductive parts

Gender Queer: An individual that does not identify with being male or female

Drag queens: Gay men (usually) who dress in a feminine manner

She-males: A genetic male who has physical characteristics of both male and female by choice

Gender Dysphoria: Gender Confusion

Gender bender: Acts outside the generally accepted norms of behavior

Sexual Reassignment Surgery (SRS): Term used for the set of surgeries to alter the gender of an individual

MTF: Male to Female

FTM: Female to Male

Gender Identity: Personal deeply held conviction and deeply felt inner awareness that we belong to one gender or another