

NEWSFLASH

2016 Sydney Lesbian, Bisexual and Queer Women's Health Survey Findings



The Sydney Women and Sexual Health (SWASH) survey seeks to investigate health issues affecting lesbians and other same-sex attracted women connected to the lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and queer (LGBTQ) communities in Sydney.





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SWASH STORY?**

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participating in the next
SWASH survey at
Mardi Gras 2018.**

The SWASH survey is the only one of its kind in the world. This research informs ACON's lesbian and same-sex attracted women's health work, helps us to create better services and advocate for recognition of the health needs of our community in NSW and Australia. This is only a snapshot of the survey findings.

For more information on the SWASH survey

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To find out more about ACON's services for lesbians
and same sex attracted women contact ACON

Visit: www.acon.org.au

Call: (02) 9206 2000 (Free call: 1800 063 060)

For referrals to lesbian friendly health care practitioners

Contact: ALMA (Australian Lesbian Medical Association)

Visit: www.almas.org.au

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The Sydney Women and Sexual Health (SWASH) survey is a collaborative project run by ACON and researchers from the University of Sydney.



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