

eQuality Learning Session

There's No Place like Home - The Youth Acceptance Project

October 4, 2023 | 9:00 - 10:30am PST

Virtual Event - Register [here](#)

Cost to Attend - \$10*

*If cost is a barrier to attendance, please complete a [fee waiver](#)



Vida Khavar

Clinical Director

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This workshop will deep dive into the Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation (SOGI) galaxies with an emphasis on SOGIs outside the binary. The presenter will discuss the mental and physical health of LGBTQ+ youth, as well as the intersection of SOGIE and race. This workshop will also provide information on the Youth Acceptance Project which is a clinical intervention designed to work with families who are struggling to accept their LGBTQ+ children.

About Vida:

Vida Khavar, LMFT has 25+ years' experience in child welfare. She has assisted many organizations in developing programs that serve children and families. Vida was a consultant for the federal project: RISE, which aimed at improving the lives of LGBTQ+ youth in foster care in Los Angeles County. She is currently the Clinical Director at Family Builders. As such, she collaborates with the California Department of Social Services in developing and implementing affirming policies and practices for LGBTQ+ children in foster care. Vida also leads the Youth Acceptance Project and provides her clinical expertise to several jurisdictions throughout the country.

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