# Trans awareness and inclusion training & consultancy

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Gendered Intelligence

## About Gendered Intelligence

#### Who are we?

Gendered Intelligence is a registered charity that works to increase understandings of gender diversity and improve the lives of trans people.

We offer a broad spectrum of non-judgmental, practical services to the public, private and not-for-profit sectors, designed to develop, improve and enhance trans inclusion and gender diversity.

We are a trans-led organisation with strong roots in the trans community and this, together with our multi-faceted services and direct work with trans people themselves, give us a breadth and depth of understanding that is second to none.

## How can we help your organisation?

Gendered Intelligence offers staff training, wide-ranging consultancy, speakers and panelists for events and conferences, and more.

All our services can be mixed and matched to suit your specific needs and circumstances, or bespoked as required.

Our services are designed to increase employee satisfaction and performance; improve customer service; support the recruitment and retention of talented people; reduce complaints; and underpin legal compliance.

#### Where do we work?

We work throughout the UK, and occasionally beyond, bringing a flexible approach which meets the diverse needs of employers; customers, clients, beneficiaries or students; and staff or volunteers across settings including:

- Health and social care
- Education
- Commercial services
- Arts and culture
- Retail
- Banking and finance
- Sport and leisure

- Youth work and fostering
- Transport and shipping
- Science and engineering
- Not-for-profit organisations
- Local and national government
- Legal and criminal justice

#### For more information

Visit our website: genderedintelligence.co.uk

For Professional Services enquiries contact: training@genderedintelligence.co.uk

## Why choose Gendered Intelligence?

#### Experienced

#### GI has trained over 44,000 people and delivered over 2000 sessions.

Previous training and/or consultancy clients include akt, Brook, Birmingham and Solihull NHS, Camden Council, Devon Partnership NHS Trust, Galop, Manchester City Council, Mind, NASUWT, Northern Ireland Human Rights Commission, Oxfam, Royal Shakespeare Company, Royal Mail, YHA, Wellcome and a range of schools and universities.

We also have trained the staff of Stonewall across England, Scotland and Wales in support of Stonewall's move to become trans inclusive.

#### **Professional**

All our trainers are professional trainers/facilitators who are also trans and/or non-binary identified: many have extensive grassroots trans community backgrounds and additional specialisms.

Having (or acquiring) a training qualification is a requirement for our team and forms part of our programme to ensure the consistency and quality of our service. Whilst our staff have lived experience, the sessions focus on understanding the diversity of trans people, and deliver far more than a single person's perspective, enabling your organisation to engage with trans people with confidence.

#### **Expert**

#### Our consultancy and training teams overlap, meaning we have a diverse portfolio of strengths to call on.

Our trainer/consultants use their facilitation skills to good effect in 1:1 and small group discursive settings, focus groups and similar; whilst policy, guidance and other written materials are developed or reviewed by consultants who specialise in clear written English.

Queries and issues arising within consultancy work benefit from the wide range of knowledge and perspectives across the whole of GI.

#### Added value

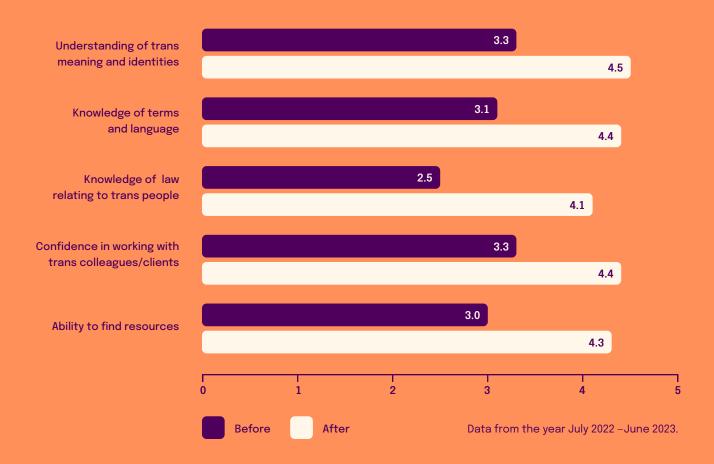
The breadth of GI's work and experience ensures we are able to bring cross-sectoral ideas and understandings to all our professional services.

Our support will help your organisation establish the understandings and approaches that will be needed for the future and to become confident around trans inclusion.

In addition, for organisations keen to meet their corporate social responsibility goals, our investment in the wider trans community, means that by choosing GI to deliver your training, you are contributing towards our vision of a world where diverse gender expressions are visible and valued, and the quality of trans people's lives is improved.

#### Excellence

We receive consistent feedback, with delegates from our most popular session giving our training an average score of 4.8 (out of 5) for usefulness, and reporting increases in their understanding, knowledge and confidence as shown below.



The delivery team is supported by a professional administrator so that all aspects of each contract, both pre- and post-delivery, are accurately and reliably handled.

## Training & presentations

Gendered Intelligence offers a range of sessions from one hour to two days and beyond, both face to face and remotely.

As with all our services, our training is flexible and if our standard options don't meet your needs, we can work with you to tailor sessions to suit. Some popular examples follow.

In person training is typically delivered at your premises (or chosen venue) at a mutually agreed date and time.

#### Introduction to Trans Awareness

This is our most popular course, and a good place to start with the key staff who need to have an understanding of trans people.

This half day (3.5 hour face to face/ 4 hour remote) introductory interactive session for up to 15 people gives enough time for discussion and questions around the key topics in a relatively short period of time.

#### In this session we:

- Set the wider context for trans identities: how sex, gender and sexual orientation interact
- Explore the diversity of trans and non binary identities
- Explore key terms and uses of language (including pronouns)
- Offer basic grounding in the legislation covering the rights and responsibilities around trans identities; including the Equality Act 2010
- Explore how your environment can be trans-inclusive
- Provide links to a wide range of resources

This session includes interactive exercises: we aim to make scenarios relevant to your field of work, so if there are specific issues you want to cover, we will do our best to include them within this standard package.

The training package includes a PDF notes booklet and attendance certificate for each delegate as well as an extensive pdf resource list and a summarised evaluation for your HR records.



Introduction to Trans Awareness is also run regularly as an open course in London.

This is a good option if you only want to train one or two people, or if you would like to experience the standard session before bringing a session in-house. Details, dates and the booking form are on the GI website.

#### Trans Awareness: The Basics

If you have more limited time for staff training, or want a brief introduction for the wider staff body, then this short session is a good choice.

This short (90 minute face to face / 105 minute remote) introductory session touches on broadly the same themes as the half day, but in less depth. It sits well in the context of a diversity day or similar, and we can deliver it to 100+ people face to face or up to 99 people remotely.

If you have chosen the half day session for a small team, then this basics session can compliment that training across the rest of your organisation. This session includes a pdf resource list that can be circulated to delegates as well as a summarised evaluation for your HR records.



Your session has gone down as one of the best we've ever had: engaging, humorous and incredibly useful.

Claire Mullord Assistant Principal Student Experience, The BRIT School



We were so impressed with the facilitation of the session. It was honestly one of the best online trainings we have had. The trainer's calm and approachable manner came across so well and created such a safe space. It was just the right amount of discussion and slide show information.

Ellie Hart

Assistant Producer (Music & Cross Arts), Barbican Creative Learning

#### Trans Awareness and Inclusion

Our full day (6 hours face to face) sessions typically include the content of "Introduction to Trans Awareness" as a core, and we build on this according to your specific interests and needs.

This can include additional content (such as international perspectives, medical pathways, or sport specific considerations), more depth, more worked examples, more Q&A time, action planning or anything else that will deliver the learning and outcomes you are looking for.

Whilst we always recommend the full day as an in person session, we can consider remote delivery, 8 hours over the course of two days for this option if face to face training is impossible for you.



Excellent session, and I feel so much better informed as a result. In particular, I feel far more confident in asking the questions necessary to ensure trans colleagues or clients receive equal service.

Lowri Williams Head of HR, Welsh Assembly

### Working Alongside Trans, Gender Diverse and Questioning People

As well as the more general courses, we also offer a specialist two-day course for counsellors and therapists.

This course has been created in response to demand for more in-depth and specialist learning from therapists and counsellors themselves, and to the need of the wider trans community for a pool of trans-knowledgeable therapists and counsellors to draw on.

The training is a mix of formal presentations, interactive exercises and reflective discussions delivered in a small group learning environment (maximum group size 16 people) by two professional trainers who combine extensive therapeutic and trans specific knowledge and practice.

The course is available both as an open course for individuals at city locations across England, and as an in-house course delivered at your premises.

Full details of this specialist course and of the associated network for ongoing support and learning are on our website. This course is only available face to face.



The trainers created such a safe space for us to learn and share and truly cared about the wellbeing and personal learning of each delegate. Their generosity of spirit in imparting not only their knowledge but also their experiences was immense. I was incredibly moved and encouraged ... and will take this learning with me both professionally and personally. The attention to detail was amazing.

Nikki Howes Counsellor

## Consultancy

Gendered Intelligence offers wide-ranging professional consultancy support.

We are open to working together with organisations on any aspect of trans inclusion and welcome opportunities to collaborate on responses to new or developing requirements.

We aim to be client-centred in our approach and to consult in whatever way, or combination of ways, works best for you, so we are happy to work via face to face meetings, video conferencing, phone, email or any other means.

#### For example, we can help you to:

- Develop specific trans inclusive employee support systems, practices and packages such as a Transition at Work policy
- Review / healthcheck existing general systems, practices and packages for example parental leave, overseas travel, PMI/EAS schemes, uniform policy and more
- Manage the period when staff or clients transition
- Find positive, practical ways forward in individual or challenging circumstances

- Develop resources and / or guidance for managers, colleagues, frontline workers, or clients
- Develop in-house training packages or other education / information materials for roll-out to larger groups of employees
- Carry out research or gather comments
- Address specific questions or concerns and support ongoing learning
- Enhance wider approaches to gender diversity

Many clients find it works well to combine services: for example, have training in the morning and follow on with a piece of consultancy in the afternoon.

If you have any questions or would like to discuss your needs, please contact us.

consultancy@genderedintelligence.co.uk

### Previous consultancy clients include:

- Girlguiding
- Tesco
- The Football Association
- Mind
- SOAS (University of London)

- Royal Papworth Hospital
- Pearson
- Stonewall
- Plan International UK
- Youth Hostels Association

We are open to working in different and new ways, and we would be very happy to collaborate with you to develop innovative and practical training, guidance or support packages that meet the requirements of your working environment.

Please contact us to discuss.



Gendered Intelligence is providing consultancy services to help evolve our approach to the design of inclusive changing facilities, with the aim of improving the changing experience for all members of society. Through workshops, training and guidance, GI has provided essential insight which will enable our design teams to make a positive societal impact with this initiative.

Michael Hall Partner, Faulknerbrowns Architects



...we were very pleased with the high level of professionalism and support provided by Gendered Intelligence in developing our trans guidance and policy for T inclusion in football.

Funke Awoderu Senior Inclusion & Diversity Manager, The Football Association

## Fees & expenses

#### Example pricing follows.

The lower end of the price ranges represents our significantly discounted offers for not-for-profit, educational, NHS and similar settings, aimed at maximising accessibility to our tried and tested standard sessions for the widest possible audience.

The upper end represents our package aimed at larger corporate and similar clients, who are keen to engage in more exploratory discussions / tailoring sessions to specific needs or interests.

For more information and a detailed quote, please contact us.

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#### Consultancy

Voluntary, public and education sectors	£100 p/h
Commercial organisations	£150 p/h

#### Training (typical popular courses)

Course name	Туре	Duration	Max numbers	Fees
Trans Awareness: The Basics	Face to face	90 min	Unlimited	£415 – £885*
	Remote	105 min	Up to 99	£415 – £885
Introduction to Trans Awareness	Face to face	3.5 hours	15	£795 – £1515*
	Remote	4 hours		£795 – £1515
Trans Awareness and Inclusion	Face to face	Full day	15-20	£1270 – £2215*
	Remote			£1270 – £2215
Working Alongside Trans, Gender Diverse and Questioning People for counsellors and therapists	Face to face Not available remotely	4 hours	15	£4125*

We are also happy to negotiate volume discounts for larger contracts.

\*excluding expenses

#### Face to face work

Travel expenses and, where necessary, accommodation expenses will be charged at cost in addition to the fees stated above. We are happy to provide estimates of these on request and we always seek

to minimise these costs for our clients. A minimum spend will apply, based on travel time required. Please ask for more details.

#### Terms and conditions

All work is subject to our Terms and Conditions, available on request or from our website. We have adopted simple, plain English terms that we believe take a fair approach to covering our costs and are not punitive in any way.

#### Questions?

If you have any questions about our fees, discounts, minimum spend, terms and conditions, or anything else, please don't hesitate to contact us.

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