

TIES Pop-Up Recap 2018

In July 2018, EV hosted the first-ever TIES Pop-Ups. These three regional events offered much of what is provided at the annual statewide TIES conference, but at the local level. Over 150 people attended the Pop-Ups where they were able to participate in a variety of workshops, receive services, and connect with community organizations.



By The Numbers

5 Individuals Received Rapid HIV Testing
34 Community Partner Groups Participated
18 Received Medical or Mental Health Consultations
31 Accessed Name and Gender Marker Change Clinic

EV provided a total of \$3,500 in re-grants to trans groups for the TIES Pop-Ups



In Their Own Words... What Attendees Said About the Pop-Ups

"I felt welcomed the second I stepped inside. People were very friendly and open to talking about their experiences and stories."

"Richmond can be just a bit far. Having the Pop-Up enabled us to connect with others in our area, without having to get a hotel."



"It was the perfect opportunity for me to take my (89-year-old) father who wants to be an ally."

"My spouse and I walked away with so much information.

It was amazing!"

"The Pop-Up allowed people like me who cannot travel to Richmond for the statewide conference to experience such an event and to take advantage of the services and resources that are not normally available."



TIES Pop-Up Workshops Offered

How to Ask for Support
Transcend Homelessness
How to Tell Your Advocacy Story
Navigating Insurance for Trans Patients
Transgender Advocacy Speakers Bureau
The Journey of Transgender Latina Women in the U.S.
Navigating the Search for an Embracing Faith Community
Employment Readiness for Transgender Professionals