



Statistics on Our Ongoing Services

Helpline (bilingual)

201 calls and emails

Monthly meetings and programs

Total attendance 609 people

Monthly support groups

Total attendance 132 people

Monthly Newsletter

Print copies, average 363/month

Electronic copies, average 114/month

Speakers' Bureau

15 engagements

HIV/AIDS Services

Financial assistance to 13 persons

Website

On average, 264 visits per month
(statistics collected for 5 months only)

Membership

Approximately 250 households

MESSAGE FROM OUR LEADERS

Wow! What a wonderful year we have had at PFLAG Denver. New friends made and long time friends reunited in honor of our 30th anniversary year. Each month we celebrated our past founders and experiences. The first ever PFLAG Gala was a smashing success, as was our family picnic. In the midst of celebration the Board of Directors began working to take this remarkable organization to the next level of involvement in the metro area and across the state.

The past year we have increased our collaboration with other appropriate groups and agencies, to become more visible and to have our collective voice as parents, friends and families heard in new places. Examples of these groups are the Safe Schools Task Force, Rainbow Alley (youth), Iliff School of Theology, One Colorado, and SAGE of the Rockies (aging GLBT community). We continue to enjoy our friendships with the Imperial Court of the Rocky Mountain Empire, The GLBT Center, the Gender Identity Center, and many other groups.

The Board of Directors is defining a vision for the future of the Denver chapter of PFLAG. In addition to the increased collaboration mentioned above, components of that vision include a new scholarship program, a re-focused niche in safe schools efforts, an expansion of our work in the community at large (faith assemblies, government and corporate entities), and an investigation of grant-writing to ensure our financial future.

With all of our hopes and dreams for PFLAG Denver, we will always remain a grass roots organization. Our sense of family, hands-on involvement, compassion, and social justice will always be the guiding force of this wonderful organization. Thank you to each and every one of you for choosing to be, and to remain, such an integral part of PFLAG Denver.

Sandra Wilbanks, President
Shari Wilkins, Chair, Board of Directors