

LGBTQ+

ADDICTION



EDUCATE

20-30% of LGBTQIA+ live with addiction

9% of heterosexual people live with addiction

IDENTIFY

Incarcerated at rates 3 times heteros

Raped in prison at rates 11% higher than heteros

120% more likely to experience homelessness



PARTICIPATE

We Are One Recovery is the ONLY treatment solution in TN



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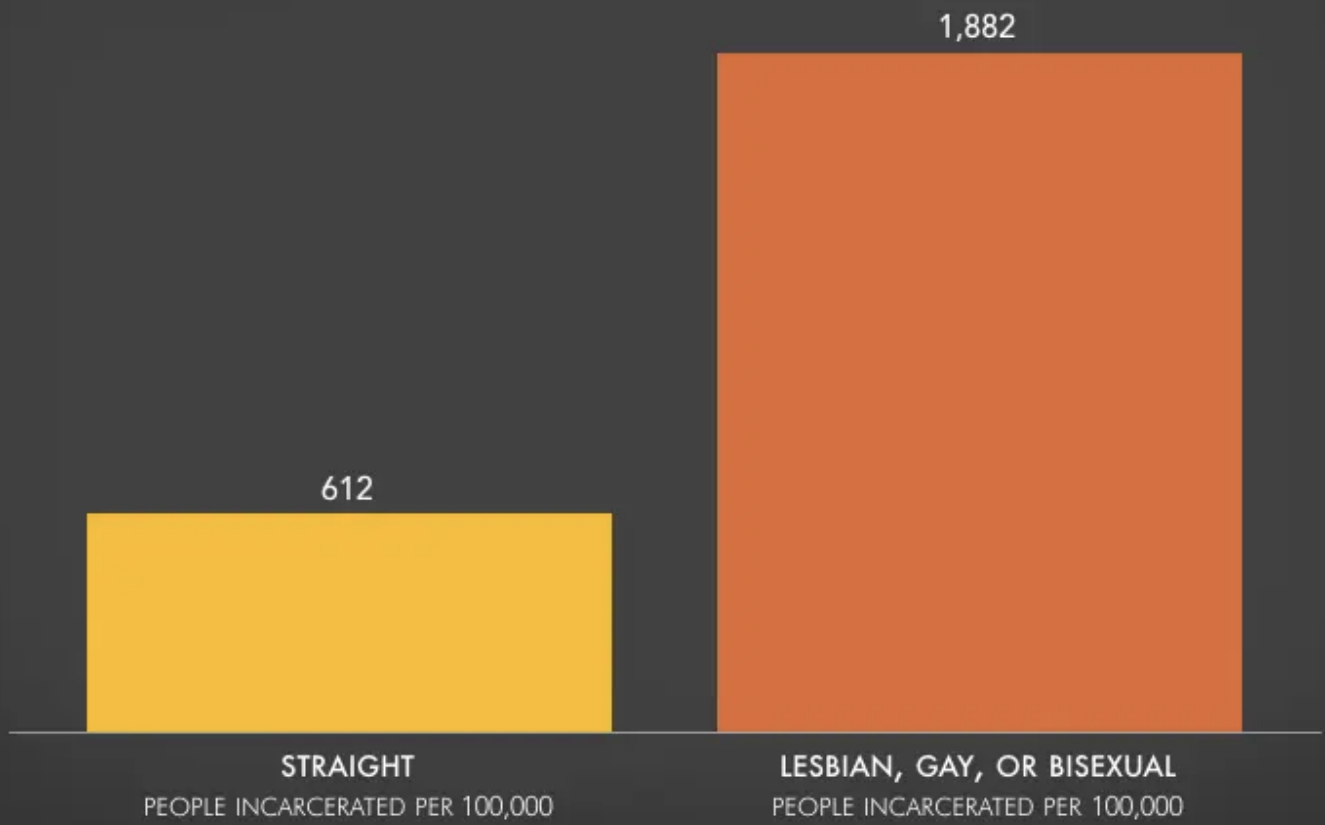
Formerly addiction was thought of as a moral deficiency, not a disease.



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Lesbian, gay, and bisexual people are incarcerated at three times the rate of straight people

Number of straight people, per 100,000, who are incarcerated, compared to the number of lesbian, gay, or bisexual people, per 100,000, who are incarcerated



PRISON
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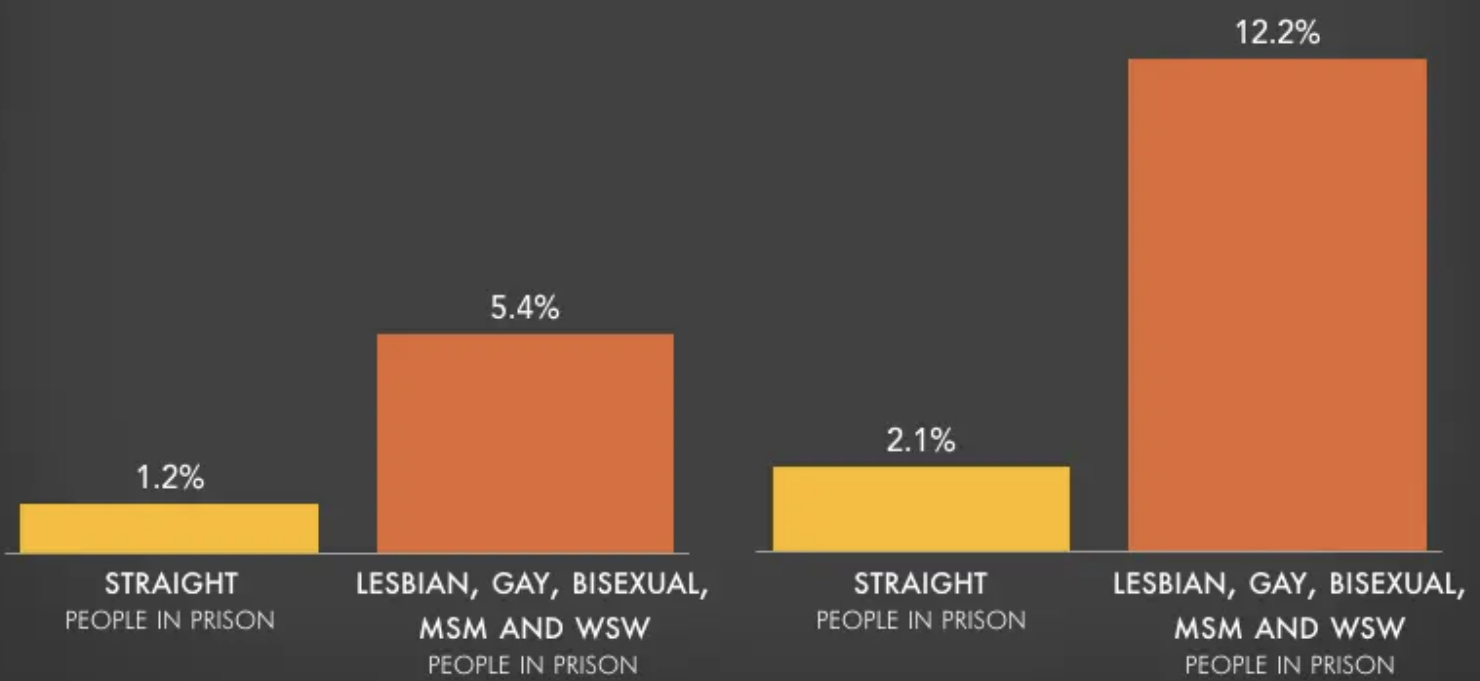
Source: Ilan H. Meyer, Andrew R. Flores, Lara Stemple, Adam P. Romero, Bianca D. M. Wilson, and Jody L. Herman, *Incarceration Rates and Traits of Sexual Minorities in the United States: National Inmate Survey, 2011–2012*

In prison, lesbian, gay, bisexual, and other non-straight people are sexually victimized at much higher rates than straight people

Percentage of straight people sexually victimized in state and federal prisons compared to incarcerated people who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, men who have sex with men (MSM) or women who have sex with women (WSW)

VICTIMIZED BY STAFF

VICTIMIZED BY ANOTHER INCARCERATED PERSON

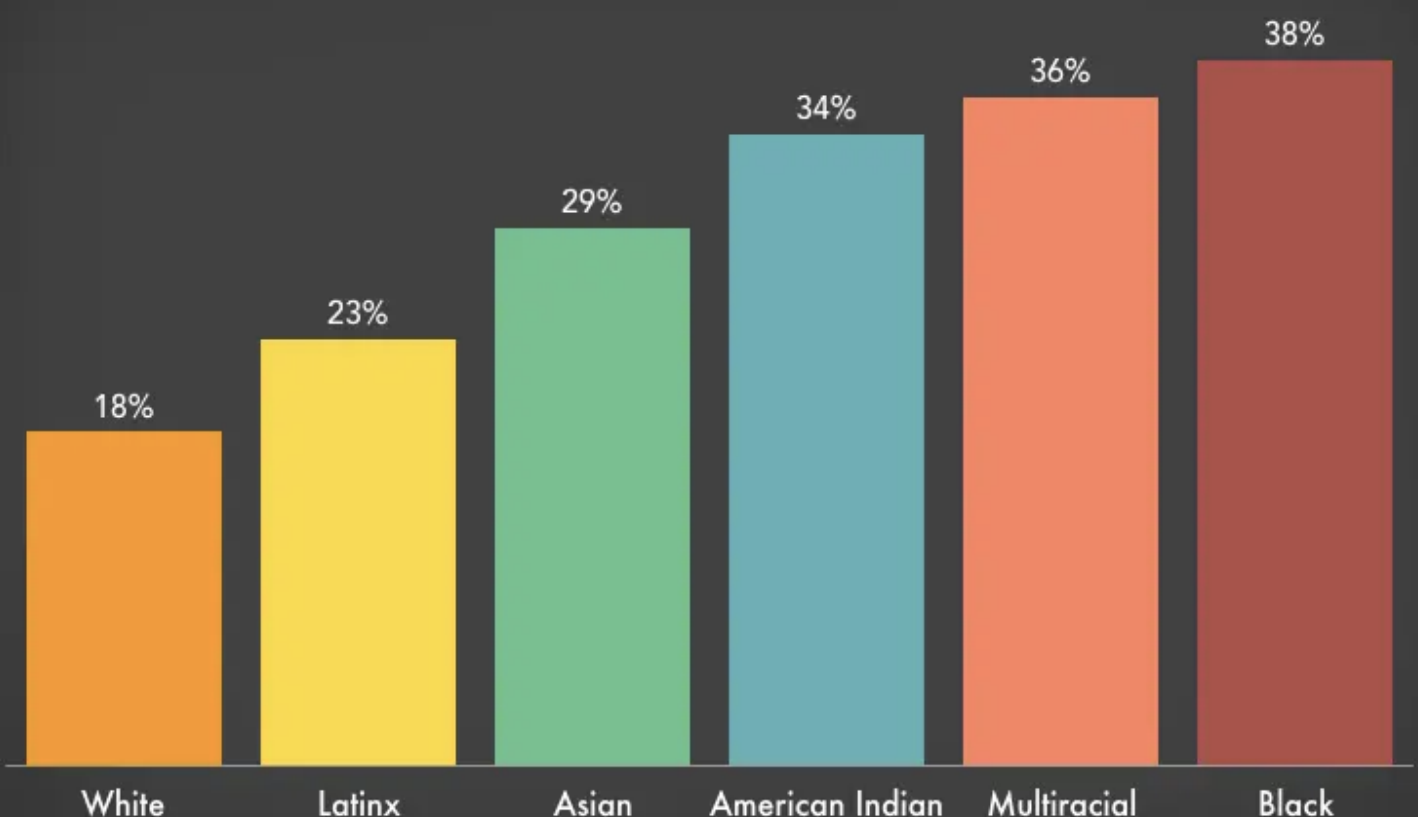


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Source: Bureau of Justice Statistics, *Sexual Victimization in Prisons and Jails Reported by Inmates, 2011–12*

BIPOC transgender people are disproportionately harassed by police

Percentage of transgender people who have had police interactions and report being harassed by police, by race



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Source: National Center for Transgender Equality and National Gay and Lesbian Task Force, *Injustice at Every Turn: A Report of the National Transgender Discrimination Survey*



29%

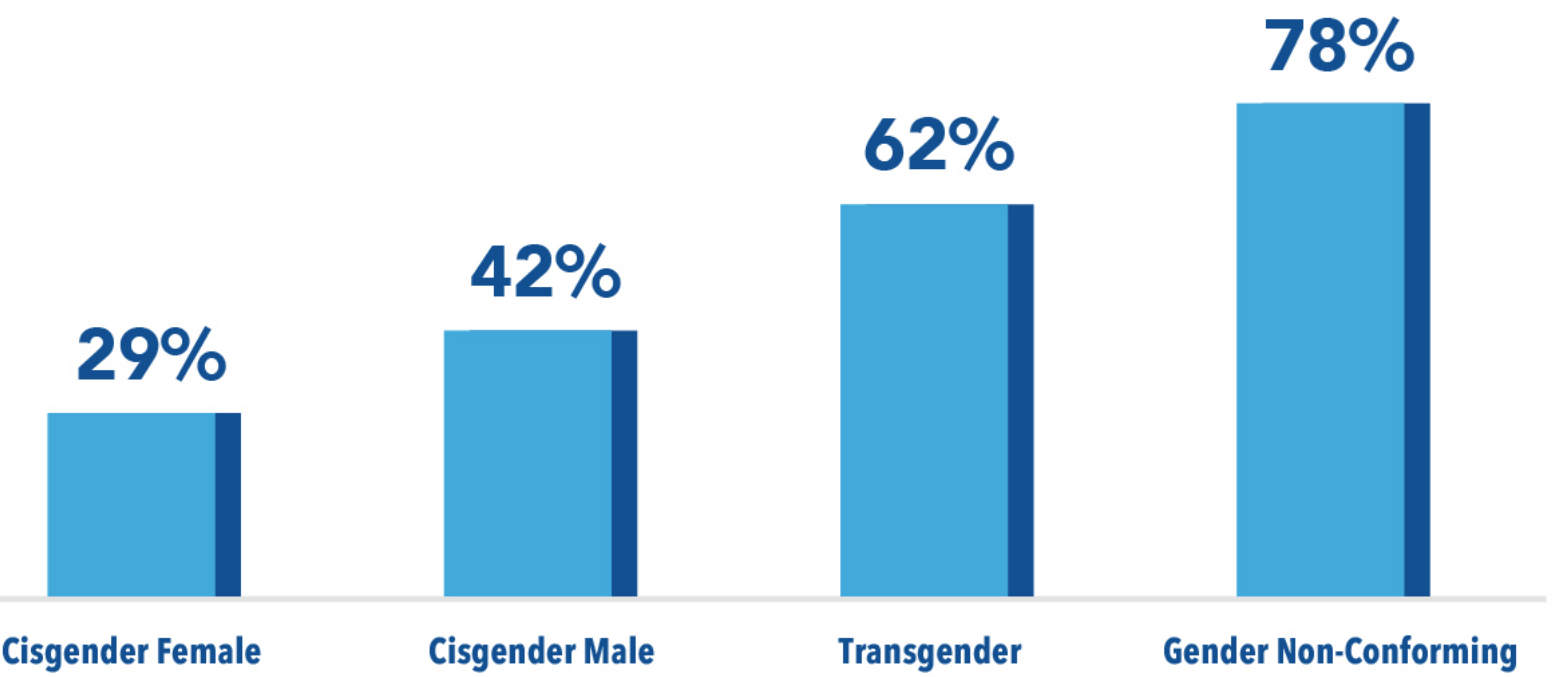
of the transgender population lives in poverty.



1 in 5

transgender individuals have experienced homelessness at some point in their lives.

Percentage of People Experiencing Homelessness Who Are Unsheltered, by Gender



LGBTQ YOUTH ARE

120% MORE LIKELY

TO EXPERIENCE HOMELESSNESS THAN THAT OF THEIR HETEROSEXUAL PEERS

