



# United We Dream

QUIP  
Queer Undocumented Immigrant Project

## Undocumented and Unafraid, Queer and Unashamed

I am Undocumented and Queer, How Do I Get Engaged!

*Queer Undocumented Immigrant Project (QUIP), <http://unitedwedream.org/about/projects/quip/>*

The Queer Undocumented Immigrant Project (QUIP), a program of United We Dream, seeks to develop the leadership of Undocumented Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer immigrants to address social and systemic barriers that affect themselves and the broader LGBTQ community.

QUIP's vision is to transform the immigrant and LGBTQ movements, to adopt an intersectional analysis in their efforts to advance and build power for the rights of both communities. Through QUIP's work we hope to shift the consciousness and public opinion of immigrants and LGBTQ communities towards the values of inclusivity and *acceptance*.

### What Are The Things Available For Me:

**1) Learn about the our complex identities:** Understanding the diversity on biological sex, sexual orientation, gender identity and gender expression will help you understand yourself and will nourish your liberation process. (<http://www.uua.org/lgbtq/identity/>)

**2) Always Be On The Know About Your Health:** It is important to be aware of your body and how to make healthy decisions about best addressing your needs. Being aware about your HIV and STI status is not only a healthy choice in how you interact with other people, but most importantly for how you interact with yourself. To have access to free and safe HIV and STI testing visit: (<https://gettested.cdc.gov/>)

**3) Get Engaged In Your Community:** LGBTQ Rights are Immigrants Rights, Immigrant Rights are LGBTQ Rights. For the more than 904,000 adult LGBTQ immigrants in the United States our fights for social justices are not parallel, but instead they are intersectional. Visit (<http://www.glbtnearme.org/>) and check your the local LGBTQ organization in your area. Visit (<http://unitedwedream.org/groups/>) and check out our local affiliate.

**5) Become a QUIP Member:** Currently, UndocuQueer (Undocumented & Queer) Leaders are organizing in Arizona, Arkansas, California, Connecticut, Florida, Massachusetts, North Carolina, New York, Texas, Washington, Wisconsin, and Washington D.C. Metropolitan Area!! Contact the QUIP National Coordinator to connect you with these groups. If there is not organizing taking place, contact the coordinator and ask how QUIP can come to your state.

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