



The Women's Center is located at 3116 Fondren Drive (at the intersection of Airline and Fondren). It is between the Airline Parking Garage and Patterson Hall, directly behind Fondren Library Center.

Office hours are from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm Monday through Friday.

Weekly meetings are held  
**Thursdays at 8:00 pm**  
in the SMU Women's  
Center.

We welcome all interested  
SMU students and hope  
to see you there!

For more information on  
SPECTRUM, please call the SMU  
Women's Center at **214-768-4792**  
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You can also visit us online at  
<http://people.smu.edu/spectrum!>

# SPECTRUM



The Gay, Lesbian,  
Bisexual, Transgender,  
and Straight  
Organization of SMU

SPECTRUM seeks to create a forum in which gays, lesbians, bisexuals, transgender persons, and all of their supporters come together as a family in a non-threatening environment while working to educate the students, faculty, and staff as well as each other about the issues relevant to the community.

### **Education**

SPECTRUM works to educate the SMU community about GLBT-related issues through literature, films, speakers, and panel discussions.

### **Advocacy**

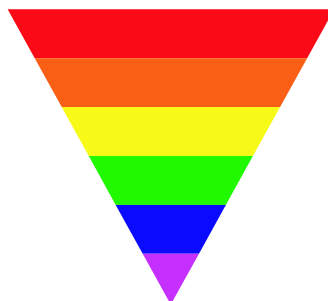
SPECTRUM engages in both on-campus and community advocacy on issues of concern to the organization, including helping members of the SMU community who believe they have been harassed because of their sexuality.

### **Support**

SPECTRUM fosters support among our members. Meeting, activities, and programs allow students to discuss issues and problems that affect them in a safe, fun, and comfortable environment.

## **Upcoming Events**

- ★ Mixer – August 24
- ★ First meeting – August 26
- ★ Dallas Pride – September 17-19
- ★ Gay Day at Six Flags – September 20
- ★ Tim Miller performance – October 1
- ★ National Coming Out Day – October 11



The Women's Center of Southern Methodist University empowers women and men on campus through educational programming and leadership opportunities designed to increase awareness of gender equity issues. Through advocacy, information, and referral services, the Women's Center provides a safe haven for students struggling with issues of injustice and oppression.

Besides SPECTRUM, the Women's Center also houses and supports the Women's Interest Network (WIN), YWCA @ SMU, and Women in Science and Engineering (WISE), as well as providing ongoing support for the ALLIES program. The coordinator of the Women's Center is Dr. Courtney Aberle, who also serves as the faculty advisor for SPECTRUM and WIN.