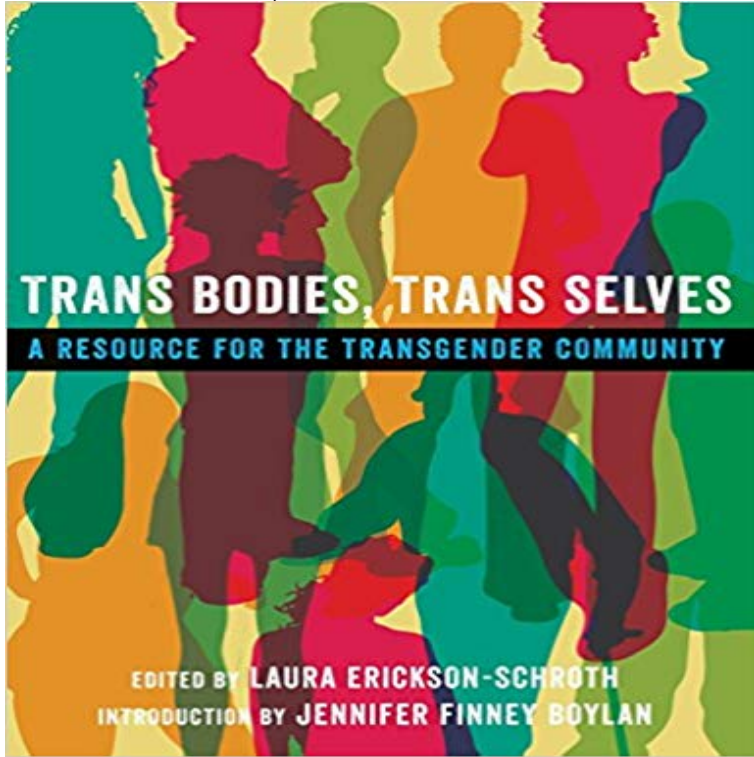


Trans Bodies, Trans Selves: A Resource for the Transgender Community



There is no one way to be transgender. Transgender and gender non-conforming people have many different ways of understanding their gender identities. Only recently have sex and gender been thought of as separate concepts, and we have learned that sex (traditionally thought of as physical or biological) is as variable as gender (traditionally thought of as social). While trans people share many common experiences, there is immense diversity within trans communities. There are an estimated 700,000 transgendered individuals in the US and 15 million worldwide. Even still, there has been a notable lack of organized information for this sizable group. *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves* is a revolutionary resource—a comprehensive, reader-friendly guide for transgender people, with each chapter written by transgender or genderqueer authors. Inspired by *Our Bodies, Ourselves*, the classic and powerful compendium written for and by women, *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves* is widely accessible to the transgender population, providing authoritative information in an inclusive and respectful way and representing the collective knowledge base of dozens of influential experts. Each chapter takes the reader through an important transgender issue, such as race, religion, employment, medical and surgical transition, mental health topics, relationships, sexuality, parenthood, arts and culture, and many more. Anonymous quotes and testimonials from transgender people who have been surveyed about their experiences are woven throughout, adding compelling, personal voices to every page. In this unique way, hundreds of viewpoints from throughout the community have united to create this strong and pioneering book. It is a welcoming place for transgender and gender-questioning people, their partners and families, students, professors, guidance counselors, and others to look for

Reviews the book, *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves: A Resource for the Transgender Community* edited by Laura Erickson-Schroth (see record 2014-22739-000). *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves* is a revolutionary resource—a comprehensive, reader-friendly guide for transgender people, with each chapter written by transgender or genderqueer authors. While trans people share many common experiences, there is immense diversity within trans communities. *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves: A Resource for the Transgender Community*, edited by Laura Erickson-Schroth. New York, NY: Oxford University Press, 2014. ISBN: 9780199325351. [Free delivery on qualified orders](#). [Costenloser Versand für alle Bücher](#). *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves* is a revolutionary resource—a comprehensive, reader-friendly guide for transgender people, with each chapter written by transgender or genderqueer authors. While trans people share many common experiences, there is immense diversity within trans communities. *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves: A Resource for the Transgender Community* by Laura Erickson-Schroth. Introduction by Jennifer Finney Boylan. Print book. English. 2014. *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves* has 212 ratings and 23 reviews. Cindy said: I actually [read *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves: A Resource for the Transgender Community*](#). *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves* (Oxford University Press, 2014) is a resource guide for transgender, gender expansive, and non-binary populations, covering health, legal issues, cultural and social questions, history, theory, and more. *Trans Bodies, Trans Selves: A Resource for the Transgender Community* matter experts and divided broadly into self, health, and community.