

Worksheet task 2: Handout and presentation

A state of collapse: Trans healthcare in Ireland is a national emergency

FOI documents reveal that waiting times for the National Gender Service could be up to a decade.

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Image 1: Example of a headline in an Irish newspaper about the queer community¹

1. In your groups, choose one of the following topics. If you have another idea for a topic, discuss it with your teacher first.

Problems the queer community faces in Ireland with:

- Violence and bullying
- Marriage and/or parenting
- Homosexuality conversion therapy
- Discrimination at the workplace
- Healthcare
- Criminal justice
- Acceptance
- Mental health

2. Do research on your chosen topic: find general information and reliable sources.

Prepare to present your findings in class. Every group is expected to prepare a presentation of their topic, which should include general information about the problem the queer community faces in Ireland, an example to illustrate this problem, the sources that were used and an argument about the reliability of the sources. The presentation should be held by all participants and should take five to ten minutes. Use a PowerPoint presentation to visualize your findings and your arguments.

In addition, create a handout. The handout should include the following points and needs to be written in continuous text (only bullet points if fitting). The handout should not be longer than two pages. Creativity is encouraged.

- General information on your chosen issue
- The indication of your sources
- An argumentation for why the sources you chose are reliable

¹ Ferreyra-Carroll, Lilith. "A State of Collapse: Trans Healthcare in Ireland is a National Emergency." *Gcn Magazine*, 21 Oct. 2021, <https://gcn.ie/trans-healthcare-ireland-national-emergency/>. Accessed 16 Nov 2021.