

## Celebrating Pride Month by Amplifying Youth Voices

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In honor of Pride Month, PolicyLab is sharing a new blog post featuring a conversation with Rylie Brown, one of the youth participants in Children's Hospital of Philadelphia's [Get Connected](#) study—a project aimed at improving quality and access to gender-affirming HIV prevention care for transgender youth.

Rylie shares her motivation to become involved in HIV-related research, why it's important for youth to be involved in this research and advice to researchers looking to engage LGBTQ+ communities.

We invite you to [check it out today](#).

PolicyLab has many additional resources aimed at supporting the health and well-being of LGBTQ+ youth, including our [issue brief](#) focused on ensuring a policy environment supportive of gender-affirming care for youth, a [blog post](#) describing ways we can support LGBTQ+ youth mental health in the wake of the pandemic and a [blog post](#) highlighting the opportunities telehealth provides for expanding support to transgender youth.