Terminology Match Game

A. Heterosexism

B. Queer

C. Gay



N. Assigned Sex at Birth

M. Two Spirit

O. Coming Out

D. Lesbian Transgender Asexual E. Sexual Orientation K. Same Gender Loving Bisexual/Pansexual F. Gender Identity Intersex **Romantic Orientation** 1 _____ Term used to refer to the way one's sex is classified at birth as male, female, or intersex based on anatomical, chromosomal, and hormonal characteristics. Refers to people who are born with any of a range of sex characteristics that may not fit a doctor's notions of binary "male" or "female" bodies. Some traits are identified at birth, while others may not be discovered until puberty or later in life. The gender an individual identifies as psychologically, regardless of what gender they were assigned at birth. How someone performs or expresses themselves in appearance, behavior, speech, or other mannerisms. This may or may not be analogous to their gender identity. A term sometimes used within Native American communities to refer to someone who self-identifies as having both male and female genders or having a gender other than that assigned at birth. Term used to describe an identity that encompasses both male and female, neither male nor female, or beyond male and female. An umbrella term used to describe a loose association of people who transgress gender norms in a wide variety of ways. Used also to refer to people whose gender identity differs from their assigned sex at birth. Term used to refer to a person whose gender identity aligns with their assigned sex at birth. 9 A term that refers to how someone self-identifies their sexual feelings and desires, and/or who they are open to being in a sexual relationship with. 10_____ A term that refers to how someone self-identifies their romantic feelings. 11 A term coined by activist Cleo Manago that is sometimes used by people who are Black to express an alternative sexual orientation. 12_____ A sexual orientation characterized by a lack of sexual desire, or low/absent interest in sexual activity. 13 Typically used to refer to a woman who is attracted to and may form sexual and affectionate relationships with other women. 14 Typically used to refer to a man who is attracted to and may form sexual and affectionate relationships with other men. 15 Typically refers to individuals who may feel attraction to and may form sexual and affectionate relationships with people of varying gender identities. 16 In the mid-late 1900s this was a derogatory slang term for the LGBTQ community and currently is still used by some in this manner. Some people use this as an all-inclusive or umbrella term to refer to all people who identify as LGBT. This usage is not accepted by the entire community. Often used by people who wish to challenge norms of sexuality and/or gender expression as well as to defy identities and labeling of people. 17_____ Process of recognizing and accepting one's sexual orientation, gender expression, and/or identity. Also used to refer to the act of disclosing one's sexual orientation, gender expression, and/or identity to others. Societal and institutional reinforcement of heterosexuality as the privileged and norm; with the assumption that everyone identifies as heterosexual.

G. Gender Expression

H. Nonbinary

Cisgender