

# 2017 Victories & Impact



Advancing equity for LGBTQ families through support, education and advocacy.



Hosted record breaking **1,140 attendees** at Oakland Pride Family and Children's Garden and the first-ever kids and family area at SF Trans March



Launched **two new** LGBTQ parent-child interactive playgroups in SF: *Baby & Me* and *Toddle with Me*



Provided training for teachers and families in **25 schools** and **20 community organizations** on how to create inclusive and respectful learning environments for LGBTQ families

Collaborated with **6** organizations to host **5th Annual LGBTQ Preschool and Kindergarten Fair** featuring **35 Schools** and **100 attendees**



Led the **FAIR Education Act Implementation Coalition** which this fall secured **LGBT-inclusive textbooks** for **all CA school kids, K-8**, for the next decade



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Welcomed its **first Latinx Executive Director** and deepened partnerships with other organizations advocating for the most vulnerable LGBTQ families across the state



Launched "How to Talk to Kids about Race" workshop series in partnership with the **SF Library**, educating close to **100 families** interested in values-based conversations with young children about race, gender, and other social identities



Worked with the CA Work and Family Coalition to ensure passage of **The New Parent Leave Act**, which extends **job protections for bonding leave to new parents** in smaller businesses



Authored "**Working with LGBTQ Families**," a brochure to be distributed to federal, state, tribal, and local caregivers nationwide by the **US Dept of Health and Human Services**



Helmed media relations for the **FAIR Education Act Implementation Coalition** advocacy, resulting in two dozen stories about Our Family Coalition's work in national and regional radio, television, and online media, including **Facebook reach of over 430k**

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