DO

Check Pronouns
Cite Research
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Content Warnings

Anti-Ace, Anti-Aro Sex/Romance-Negativity Sex/Romance

ACCESS

Climate Change
Creative Commons
Digital Access, (lack of)
English Language Learners
Foreign Languages
Hearing
Holidays (national, religious)
Learning Style
Mobility
Pandemic
Readability (dyslexia, attention)
Time Zone
Vision (color, low, blind)

CONTENT WARNINGS

Mentions of Body Image, Discrimination, Exclusion, Food Issues, Illness, Microaggressions, Rape, Sex Topics, Stereotypes, and Trauma.

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DON'T

Essentialism / Dehumanize
Expect Forgiveness
Generalize
Prescriptive Labeling
Publicly Speculate
Speak For/Over
Tokenize

PURPOSE

To help advocates recall ways to be inclusive, realize knowledge gaps, and reduce microaggressions. Could help for event planning, resource creation, media, etc.

GRANULARITY

This resource gives extra granularity where there are known intersectional or access concerns for the ace and aro communities.



ORIENTATION

Diamoric (enbian, nblm, nblw)

Gay, Lesbian

Pan, Poly, Bi

Ace, Aro, and More

Alloace

Alloaro

Aplatonic (Aces and Aros)

Aqueerplatonic (Aces and Aros)

Aroace

Aspec

Non-SAM (Aces and Aros)

Queer (Aces and Aros)

Straight (Aces and Aros)

RELIGION & SPIRITUALITY

Agnosticism

Atheism

Buddhism

Christianity

Folk Religions

Hinduism

Islam

Judaism

Sikhism

Spirituality

Wicca / Paganism

ETHNICITY

Asian

Black

Hispanic

Indigenous Peoples

Jewish

Latine

Pacific Islander

GLOBAL

Africa

Asia

Australia

Europe

North America

South America

EXPERIENCES

Age (senior, youth)

Discrimination, Microaggressions

Economic Status

Education

Parent

Political Views

Rural / Urban

Sexual Assault Survivor

Trauma

Veteran

BODY & MIND

Autism

Addiction

ADHD. RSD

Body Image

Chronic Illness

Physical Disability

Food Issues

Invisible Illness

Mental Health

Neurodiversity

Systems

GENDER / SEX

Agender

Genderfluid

Intersex

Men, Cis

Men, Trans

Nonbinary

Nonconforming

Transgender Umbrella

Women, Cis

Women, Trans



PERSONAL CONCEPTS

Arousal w/o Libido

Attraction

Behavior

Intersectionality

Kink, BDSM, Fetish

Libido

Masturbation

Models, Rejecting

Non-LGBT+ Identifying

Personal Attitudes (averse,

repulsed, indifferent, favorable)

Questionina

Secondary Attraction

Secondary Desire

Self Determination

Self Identification

Touch Aversion

Umbrella Terms, Rejecting

Validity

COMMUNITY CONCEPTS

Definitions, Varied

Models. Varied

Reclaiming Words

Spectrum

Split Attraction Model

Umbrella

Voidpunk

RELATIONSHIPS

Boundaries

Co-Parent

Consent

Coordinated Libido

Define the Relationship (DTR)

Nonamory

Non-Partnering

Queer Platonic Relationship

Relationship Anarchy

Polyaffectionate

Polyamory

SOCIETAL INFLUENCE

Amatonormativity

Assimilationism

Compulsory Sexuality

False Binaries

Pressure (peer, familial, relationship, societal)

Purity Culture

Cultural Attitudes (negative,

neutral, positive)

Singlism

CONCERNS

Anxiety

Coercion

Corrective Rape

Depression

Exclusionism, Ace

Exclusionism, Aro

Exclusionism. Queer

Infantalization

Lack of Support (leaving abusive

"non-intimate" relationships)

Loneliness

Pathologization

Stereotype, Broken

Stereotype, Childish

Stereotype, Emotionless

Stereotype, Inhuman

INTERSECTIONAL CONCERNS

Stereotype, Desexualized

Stereotype, Hypersexualized

Mutual Negation

Microaggressions, Alloaro

Microaggressions, Racial

MICROLABELS

Self-Perception of Attraction

Gray/Grey

Quoi/WTF, Idem

Neu/Neutro (non-SAM, unit,

-haze)

Behavior/Reaction

Apothi v Icula/Pothi v Cupio

Bellus v Inact

Iamvano v Placio

Aego

Patterns of Attraction

Litho/Akio v Recipro

Coeo v Fray v Demi

-flux, -spike/Burst

Ficto

Intersectionality

Caed(o)

Dysphor

Nebula

Neuro

Requi

-vague

Woland

Multiple Microlabels

Myr

ATTRACTIONS

Aesthetic

Alterous

Amical

Cedural

Doraric

Emotional

Erotic

Familial

Fluitic

Intellectual

Mental

Platonic

Presential

Queerplatonic

Romantic

Sensual

Sexual

Social

Spiritual

Tutelary

NEW ADDITIONS

Furry

Therian

Otherkin

BODY AND MIND

High Intelligence

Low Intelligence

Disfigurement

Information Proscessing

Fat / Overweight

EXPERIENCE

Felons

Incarceration

Sex Offenders

Homelessness

Immigrants

Refugees

Victims of Human Trafficking

Unemployed

Underemployed

Ex-Cult Members