

Share Your Story

Welcome to PRISMS. We're so happy you've decided to share your story with us.

Please note: We do edit stories and their titles for length, clarity and our own editorial guidelines. For example, this might mean your title will be changed or certain language will be removed. If we feel we've made significant enough changes or altered your original tone, we'll run it by you first. We never want to misrepresent your voice or message.

Unfortunately, we can't publish every story or blog post that we receive. Please don't take us turning down a story as us saying your stories don't have value. We are a small team, but we hope to one day have a spot for every story we receive on the site. Your stories have so much value.

Guidelines for Sharing Your Story

PRISMS wants to share your stories and perspectives in an honest and respectful way. These guidelines are here to help us do that. We aim to empower you. Through sharing your story, you aim to empower others.

If you have questions or want assistance in putting your perspective into words, we are happy to help. Contact us at info@prisms.org

When sharing a story, please consider the following:

- Think about the privacy of loved ones, friends, and strangers you mention in your story. Tread carefully when sharing details of others' lives.
- Tell your story from your own perspective. Try not to make assumptions about how others in your story are feeling or thinking.
- Please avoid suggesting that another person's circumstances are better or worse than your own.
- Use respectful language. If your post is critical, which it can be, it should also be constructive.
- We welcome both person-first language and identity-first language
- We appreciate if you provide sources for any facts stated.
- Think about this question: "What is the purpose of my post?" This can have multiple answers: to share something you've learned, to let others know they're not alone, etc.

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Thank you for sharing your story with PRISMS! We're humbled to have you with us.