## Sex Gender

Only ask for sex or gender if a service will not work without this information.

When asking for gender, provide options other than male and female.

If you need gender information, ask about sex assigned at birth and gender identity.

Tell users why you're asking about sex or gender identity.

## Inclusive language by design

Inclusive language builds trust and helps us communicate more clearly

Use the Home Office Design System to learn how to write for and about diverse groups of people: <a href="design.homeoffice.gov.uk/accessibility/inclusive-language">design.homeoffice.gov.uk/accessibility/inclusive-language</a>

