Psychological & Transphobia **Emotional Abuse** Using fear and hatred of anyone **Threats** who challenges traditional Criticizing constantly. Homo/Biphobia gender expression, and/or Using verbal abuse, insults Making physical, emotional, who is transsexual, to A part of heterosexism. Using and ridicule. economic or sexual threats. convince partner of danger Undermining selfawareness of fear and hatred of Threatening to harm family or in reaching out to others. esteem. Trying to lesbians, gay men and bisexuals friends. Threatening to make Controlling expression humiliate or degrade to convince partner of danger in a report to city, state or of gender identity and in private or public. reaching out to others. Controlling federal authorities that would connections to Manipulating **Physical Abuse** expression of sexual identity and jeopardize custody, community. Outing with lies and connections to community economic situation, gender identity. Heterosexism false promises. Slapping, hitting, shoving, biting, Outing sexual identity immigration or legal Shaming. Denving Shaming. Questioning choking, pushing, punching, beating, status. Threatening Perpetuating and utilizing invisibility of **Ouestioning** partner's kicking, stabbing, shooting or killing. Using status as a "real" suicide. LGB relationships to define relationship norms. validity of reality. lesbian or gay weapons. one's gender. Using heterosexual roles to normalize abuse and man, or shame partner for same sex and bisexual desires. Using bisexual cultural invisibility to isolate partner and reinforce control. **Entitlement** Limiting connection to community. **Power & Control Isolation: Restricting Freedom** in Treating partner as inferior; race, education, wealth, Lesbian, Gay, Transgender politics, class privilege or lack of, physical ability, and Controlling personal social contacts, access to information anti-Semitism. Demanding that needs always come first. & Bisexual Relationships and participation in groups or organizations. Limiting Interfering with partner's job, personal needs the who, what, where and when of daily life. and family obligations. **Using Children** Restraining movement, locking partner Intimidation in or out. Threats or actions to take children away or have **HIV-Related Economic** them removed. Using children to relay messages. Sexual Creating fear by using looks, actions, Abuse Threats to or actual harm to children. Threats to Abuse gestures and destroying personal items, Abuse or revealing of sexual or gender orientation mementos or photos. Breaking windows to children or others to jeopardize Controlling economic Threatening to reveal or furniture. Throwing or smashing Forcing sex. parent-child relationship, custody HIV status to others. resources and how they are objects. Trashing clothes, hurting or Forcing specific sex or relationships with Blaming partner for having used. Stealing money, credit killing pets. acts or sex with family, friends, HIV. Withholding medical or cards or checks. Running up others. Physical school or social services. Telling debt. Fostering total economic assaults to "sexual" partner she or he is "dirty". Using others. dependency. Using economic body areas. Refusing to illness to justify abuse. status to determine relationship practice safer sex. roles/norms, including In S&M refusing to controlling purchase of negotiate or not respecting clothes, food, etc. contract/scene limits or safe words.

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