

WHAT IS SAQL+

South Asian Queer League (SAQL+) is a support & flourish group for South Asian Queers and Allies in Minnesota.

It facilitates connections with communities for queers, gender non-conforming, non-binary, and transgender individuals and families who are often marginalized in their own families and public spaces

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ABOUT SEWA-AIFW

Sewa-Aifw is a nonprofit organization committed to serving, supporting, and enhancing family wellness for the South Asian community, especially the vulnerable and underserved, in the Twin Cities and throughout Minnesota.

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OUR GOALS

CELEBRATE & SUPPORT

- Celebrate South Asian Queer identities
- Support LGBTQ+ Communities
- Offer Sustainable & Safe Space
- Engage & Provide Trainings to Allies
- Organize Workshops
- Manage Art, Music & Cultural Events
- Mobilize & Walk in Pride Parade
- Share Resources

PROVIDE RESOURCES

For Individuals

- Exclusive South Asian Queer Support Groups
- Satrangi Meetups
- Queer Rights Advocacy
- Health Clinics
- Direct Victim Support
- Mental Health Referrals

For Organizations

- LGBTQ+ Basics for the Workplace
- Terminology Use
- Inclusive Language
- Training to be a Supportive Ally
- Organizational Queer Resources

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SAQL - PRONOUNCED 'SHAQL'
'शकल' IN HINDI; 'شکل' IN URDU
IS DEFINED AS
IDENTITY, FACE OR FORM

WE HAVE TWO GROUPS: SAQL & SAQL+.

SAQL+ includes a plus which suggests that this group is also open for both LGBTQ+ AND their Allies (irrespective of their gender, racial and ethnic identities) to support Queer South Asians in solidarity.

Who is an Ally? Anyone who is supportive to the Queer communities.

SAQL is exclusively for Queers with South Asian ethnic identity. We offer Support and Healing Groups and Satrangi Meetups.

Reach out to us at saql@sewa-aifw.org to join.

OUR COMMUNITY

GET CONNECTED

- Follow @sewaaifwmn for updates and events
- Join our groups:
- SAQL+: facebook.com/groups/saqlsewa
- SAQL: Email us at saql@sewa-aifw.org

ACTIVITIES

- Satrangi Meet-up
- Healing Sessions
- Workshops
- Discussion Panels
- Retreats
- Art, Music & Cultural Events
- Fun Activities
- Pride Parade
- Walks

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