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The Background

- Growing visibility...
- ...starting from a very low base
- Wider context of struggle for trans rights
- Considerable negative media attention in the UK
- 90% of LGBTQ+ participants in sport consider homophobia & transphobia to be a problem
- Trans women most likely to receive direct discrimination (46%)
- 64% of LGBT people who identified as something other than male or female (e.g., genderfluid or genderqueer) not active enough to maintain good health
- Started Football v Transphobia in 2019, as an offshoot of Football v Homophobia









TRANSGENDER AND TRANSSEXUAL POLICY **LAUNCHED BY THE FA**

Bristol trans footballer abused after signing for club

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Transgender Referee Makes Football History in

Quinn: Canada's transgender footballer on being

visible' and playing at the Olympics

Amateur football club forced out of FA leagues unless trans players take hormone tests







Mara Gomez, first transgender female pro in Argentina, in her own words: 'Football saved my life'



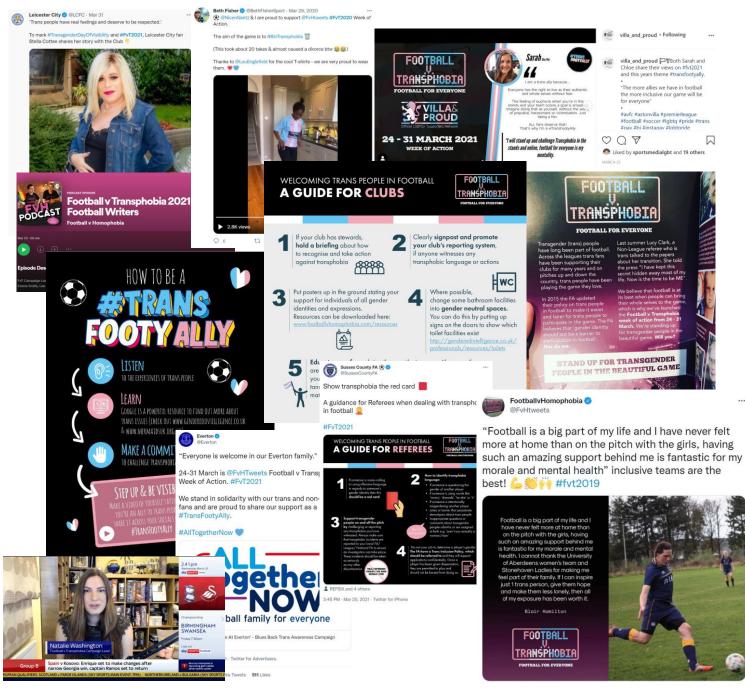


Reform of the Gender Recognition Act -Government Consultation

How Some States Are Moving to Restrict Transgender Women in Sports

Mississippi is the second state to bar transgender women from women's sports. More are expected to follow.





The Campaign

- Focus on community
- Raise awareness of trans inclusion
- Tackle misinformation & misconceptions
- Encourage trans & non-binary people into the game
- Use social media & partner with clubs & groups
- #TransFootyAlly and #BinTransphobia



Further Information



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