

**EAST COAST FEMALE-TO-MALE GROUP (ECFTMG) • P.O. Box 60585 •
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Here is the schedule of meeting dates and topics for the next four meetings. We continue to get together on **the 2nd Sunday of every month from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m.** All meetings are held at Bet Power's house – 146 Riverbank Road, Northampton, Massachusetts. For directions to the meetings or for more information, call Bet at 413.584.7616. New brothers or significant others of FTMs who have never attended one of our meetings should call and introduce themselves to Bet before attending. Our meetings are open to *all* FTMs: crossdressers, transgendered, transsexual, non-op, pre-op, post-op, and our significant others.

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Sunday, April 12, 1998, 3:00 p.m.:

VARIETIES OF SEXUAL ORIENTATION WITHIN THE FTM COMMUNITY Bisexual, heterosexual, gay, S/M, fetish, vanilla – what kind of guy are you and how do you find the support you need for the lifestyle you want? Come find out how FTMs in our community are connecting with others just like ourselves, as well as benefiting from the perspectives of diverse sexual preferences.

Sunday, May 10, 1998, 3:00 p.m.:

RELATIONSHIPS WITH OUR SIGNIFICANT OTHERS The last time we held this discussion, we heard intense sharing from both brothers and partners. Let's talk about how our relationships with our lovers are – and have been – and what issues seem to occur for us as transgendered men or as partners of FTMs. Look forward to an afternoon of honest revelations from the heart.

Sunday, June 14, 1998, 3:00 p.m.:

GENDER IDENTIFICATION IN OUR DREAMS, DREAM IMAGERY, CREATIVE PROJECTS, AND ART Some of us look back and realize we wrote poetry in the masculine pronoun since childhood. Others experience ourselves as male or gender-neutral or as changeable genders in our dreams. What has been your experience in your dreams and in the art you create? What do you think it reveals about your spirit? How have your dreams and/or art helped you on your emergence path as an FTM – or as a partner of an FTM?

Sunday, July 12, 1998, 3:00 p.m.:

POLITICAL ACTIVISM FOR FTMs – AN AFTERNOON WITH IT'S TIME, MASSACHUSETTS Here's your chance to get involved with furthering our own transgendered cause – civil rights for FTMs and MTFs!! Come meet the leaders of this state-wide transgendered rights organization, learn about their current initiatives (including work on writing "gender expression" into the nondiscrimination legislation for the city of Northampton), and what you can do to fight the good fight against oppression. You'll get an overview of current national issues relevant to our FTM community, as well. Don't miss this meeting – we need your input, ideas, and energy.

ECFTMG is a free peer support group since 1992 for all female-to-male transgendered, crossdressers, transsexuals, our partners and significant others. We are all-inclusive, safe, and nonjudgmental. We respect the right of each of us to decide our individual path, whatever that may be. We don't believe that there is any one "right way" to evolve as an FTM but that our diverse situations can be joined together in united community.