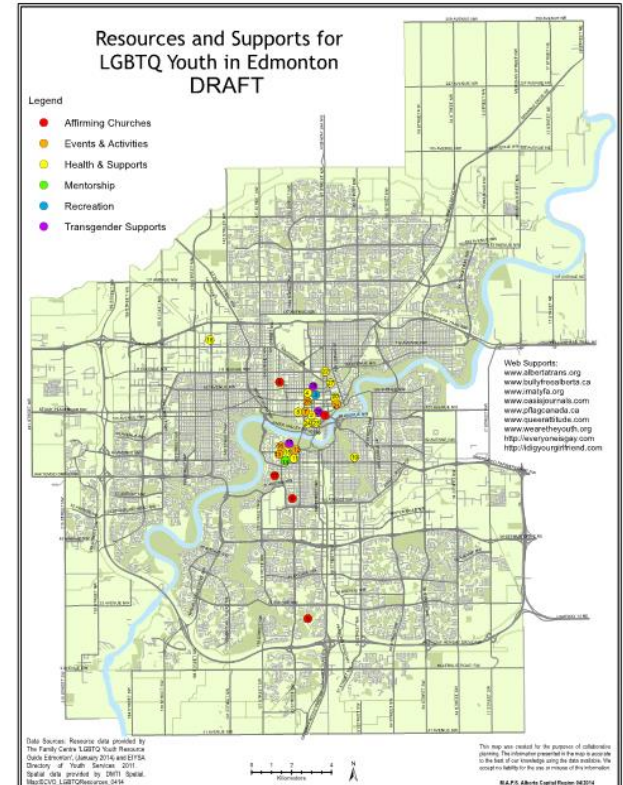
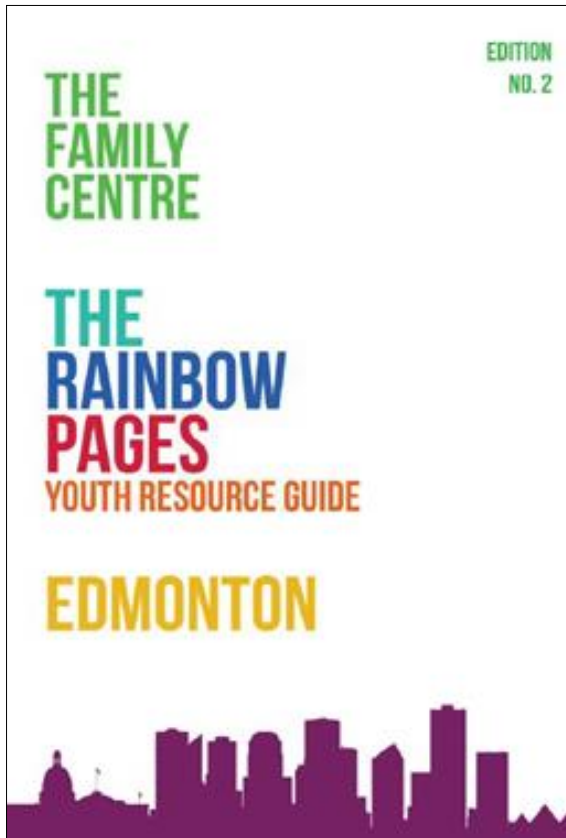




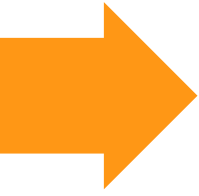
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How it all began...

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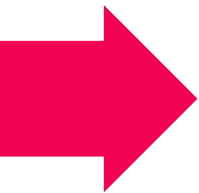


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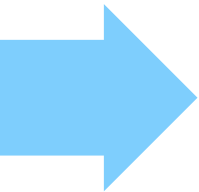
64% report feeling unsafe at school

▷ LGBTQ+ students ((Taylor, C. & Peter, T. 2011)



90% of trans students

▷ Hear transphobic statements daily or weekly (Taylor, C. & Peter, T. 2011)



50% of LGBTQ+ youth

▷ Have thought about suicide (Eisenberg & Resnick, 2006)



Share the diverse stories of LGBTQ+ youth living in the Edmonton area to promote increased understanding, empathy, and knowledge of this community's specific needs, strengths, and experiences.

Surveying

- ▷ Learn more about local LGBTQ+ youth
- ▷ Understand both their needs and strengths
- ▷ Better understanding of resources being accessed

LGBTQ+ Networker Meeting

- ▷ In conjunction with 211
- ▷ Shared LGBTQ+ resources & information with frontline service providers
- ▷ Held roundtable discussion with participants

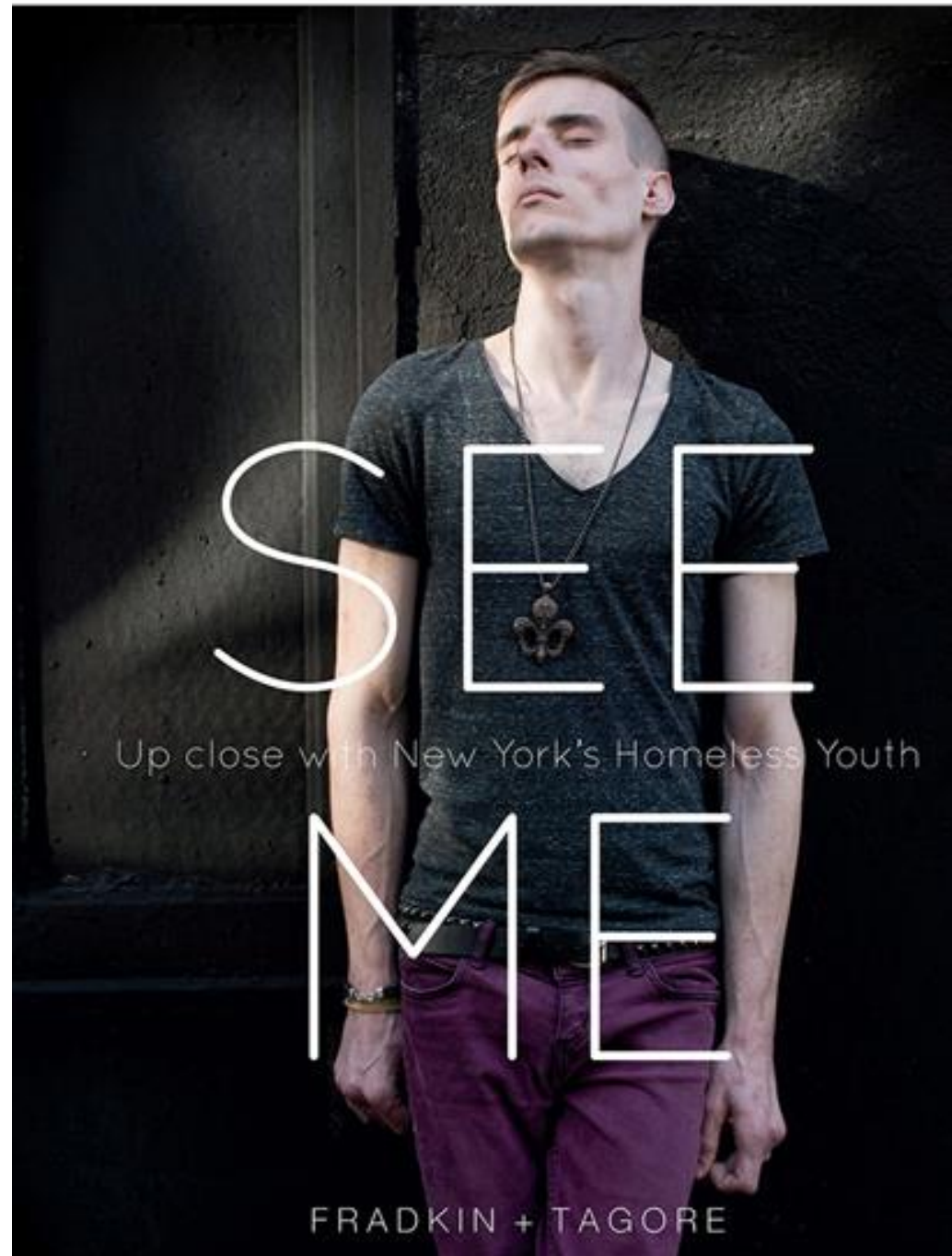


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Who are Edmonton's
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What are their stories?

How can they tell their
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