Record Nr. UNINA9910464405403321 Trans bodies, trans selves: a resource for the transgender community / **Titolo** / edited by Laura Erickson-Schroth Pubbl/distr/stampa Oxford, [England];; New York:,: Oxford University Press,, 2014 ©2014 **ISBN** 0-19-932537-5 0-19-932536-7 1 online resource (xxii, 649 pages): illustrations Descrizione fisica Disciplina 306.76/8 Soggetti Transgender people Transgenderism Gender identity Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Introduction by Jennifer Finney Boylan. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references at the end of each chapters and index. Sommario/riassunto There is no one way to be transgender. Transgender and gender nonconforming people have many different ways of understanding their gender identities. Only recently have sex and gender been thought of as separate concepts, and we have learned that sex (traditionally thought of as physical or biological) is as variable as gender (traditionally thought of as social). While trans people share many common experiences, there is immense diversity within trans communities. There are an estimated 700,000 transgendered individuals in the US and 15 million worldwide. Even still, there's been a notable lack of organized information for this sizable group. Trans Bodies, Trans Selves is a revolutionary resource-a comprehensive, reader-friendly guide for transgender people, with each chapter written

by transgender or genderqueer authors.--publisher.