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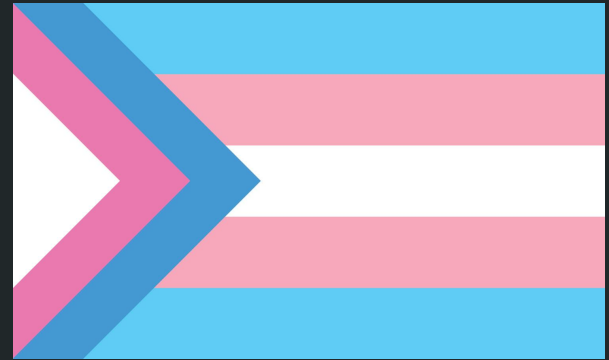


# What is t4t?

Trans for trans (t4t)

*Similar to mfm and wfw*

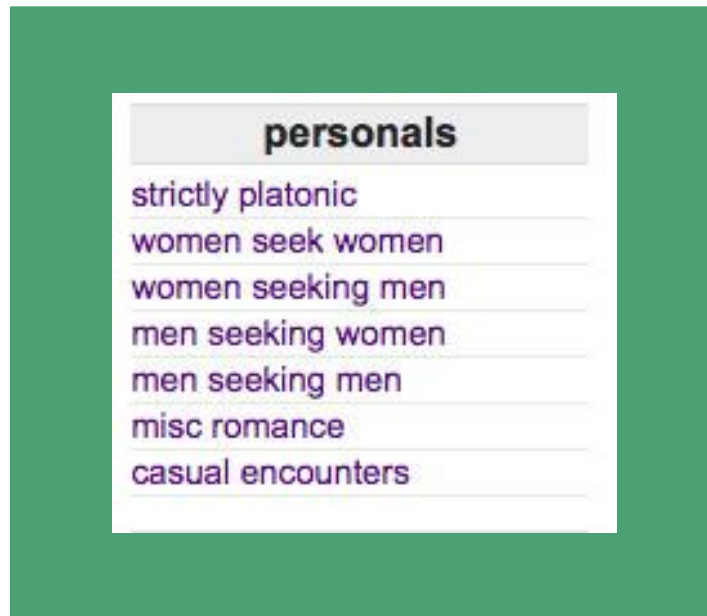
Trans defined as non-cis for purposes of breadth; inclusive of nonbinary, genderqueer, two-spirit, etc.



T4T flag created by PJ Goff

# Where does t4t come from?

- Originated from Craigslist personal ads; “trans person seeking trans person”
- T4t relationships not limited to romantic relationships
  - Intimacy does not end with romance/sexuality



***What are these t4t  
relationships like for the trans  
people involved in them?***

# Research Design + Sample

- Qualitative research
- Desire-based framework (Tuck 2009)
- Open-ended, semi-structured interviews
  - Asking respondents about what t4t means to them, their experiences in t4t relationships, etc.
- Goal of 20 participants/reaching saturation
- Remote interviews [sample not limited to Portland area]



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