

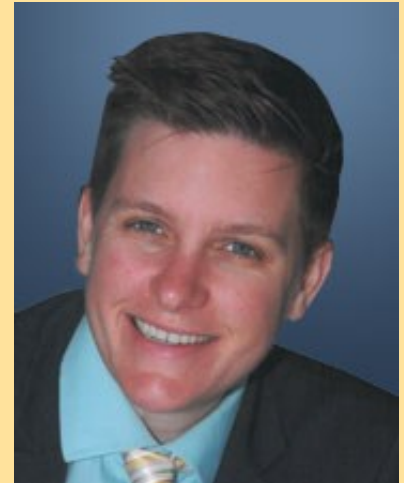
HOMEGROWN HEALTH

LOCAL GAY COMMUNITY RESPONSES TO HEALTH EPIDEMICS IN
THE 1970s AND 1980s MIDWESTERN UNITED STATES



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