

Genital Autonomy Legal Defense and Education Fund

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Circumcision Harm is Real

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Plaintiffs sought: Male • Intersex • Transgender

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Circumcision Harm is Real is GALDEF's message in the first of several display ads created to educate attorneys and potential plaintiffs about the need to support

impact litigation.

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Lilith Reveals Her Story



Having suffered circumcision as a boy, Lilith, a Pakistani refugee discusses how penile circumcision can adversely impact the lives of transgender women later in life.

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WWDOGA 2026



Tim and Leif spoke at the 14th annual commemoration of the Worldwide Day of Genital Autonomy in Germany.

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Colorado Equal Protection Lawsuit



Intact Global held a news conference in Denver to announce the filing of another historic lawsuit and GALDEF was there.

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European Federation of Sexology Congress



The European Federation of Sexology congress was held in Porto, Portugal and Dr. Leif Thompson was part of a panel presentation titled “Regulatory reform for protecting children from genital cutting.”

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2026 Portland Pride: GALDEF/Intact Global Collaborate Again



Members of GALDEF and Portland’s Genital Autonomy Collective helped staff the Intact Global booth at the 2026 Waterfront Pride Festival in Portland, OR.

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GALDEF needs your support to do our work.

Your gift today helps GALDEF to support lawyers in courtrooms across the country to change the legal landscape in favor of ending genital cutting customs and promoting equal protection of children's bodily integrity regardless of sex.

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