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Abortion Rights Association of Illinois (aka Illinois Citizens for the Medical Control of Abortion) - (Affil. of NARAL)	1966		UIC		Newsletter, Illinois Pro-choice voice, NARAL of Illinois News		
Act Up - Women's Caucus	1988						11/2/15
Affinity Community Services	1995						
Amalgamated Daycare and Health Center	1969	1983					
American Association of University Women (AAUW)	1889						
Amigas Latinas	1995			Amigas Latinas, a Latina lesbian, bisexual and transgender organization that was founded in 1995-Amigas Latinas, like many of these other organizations, was actually a splinter group that developed from a larger, multiethnic group, Women of all Colors and Cultures Together (WACT) that hosted potluck lunches once a month throughout the 1990s.			
Anarcho-Feminists				Meets at La Dolores Center, Radical	The Siren		10/6/15
Apna Ghar (Our Home)	1980s						
ARC Gallery	1973					226 East Ontario Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611	
Artemis Singers	1979						

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Artemisia Gallery	1973						
Association for Women in Science - Chicago Area	1970s-1980s						9/1/15
B'nai B'rith Women				Susan Bernstein representative Illinois Women's Agenda Steering Committee in 1982			11/4/15
Black Women Lawyers Association	1987						
Business and Professional Women							
BVM Network for Women's Issues	1985						
CALOR	1990s			Latina Women & AIDS, Rosa E. Martinez Colon began			10/22/20
Catholics for Choice	1973		WLA - Loyola				
Chicago 35 Lesbian Social Group	1990s						10/25/20
Chicago Abortion Fund	1985			A private non-profit organization that loans money to women who want abortions but cannot afford to have them. Priority is given to women most in need: young women with children, disabled women, rape and incest victims, and women with serious health problems. The Fund refers the women to quality, reduced-fee abortion clinics in the Chicago area. (1989)			

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Chicago Abused Women Coalition (aka Abused Women Coalition)	1976						
Chicago Alliance Against Sexual Exploitation	2006						
Chicago Area Women's History Conference	1971						
Chicago Area Women's Occupational Health Network of CACOSH (Chicago Area Committee on Occupational Safety and Health)						9342 Ozanam Street, Morton Grove, IL 60053 (Mary Eisner, Volunteer)	1/26/21
Chicago Area Women's Sports Association	1981		CHM				
Chicago Area Women's Studies Association	1991?						6/11/19
Chicago Asian Lesbians Moving (CALM)	1980s						9/1/15
Chicago Catholic Women	1974						
Chicago Coalition for Women Employment - 1975	1975	2000	WLA. - Loyola & Marquette University				
Chicago Coalition to End Sterilization Abuse (CESA)	1974						

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Chicago Commission on Women's Affairs	1984		UIC				
Chicago Community Midwives	1990			Founded by Valerie Koster & Mary Sommers; A midwife-run home birth practice (1997)		2121 West Roscoe, Chicago, IL 60618 (1997);	10/1/15
Chicago Connections				Includes a woman's caucus, assistance to prisoners and their families and promotes public education on issues relating to crime, prisons, and their court system. Provides prisoners with art materials, books, magazines. Meetings held at the office of the Church Federation of Greater Chicago			10/6/15
Chicago Consortium of Women in Education Programs	1975	1990	Northwestern, CHS (Lois Rosen Papers)				
Chicago Counseling and Psychotherapy Center						1525 East 53rd Street Suite 830, Chicago, IL 60615	10/20/15
Chicago Foundation for Women	1984						
Chicago Gay and Lesbian Hall of Fame	1991		CHS				

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Chicago Irish Feminists (Chicago NOW)	1973						10/22/15
Chicago League of Women Voters	1920						
Chicago Legal Action for Women (CLAW)	1973			Lay advocacy group to assist rape victims	Newsletter; Lay Advocate Training Manual: A Guide to Assist Rape Victims	5609 N. Broadway, Chicago, IL 60660	9/1/15
Chicago Legal Advocacy for Incarcerated Mothers (CLAIM)	1985						6/11/19
Chicago Lesbian and Gay Film Festival	1981			Yearly Film Festival Begun in April, 1981; Program Committee: Tim Bolinger, Judy Whitaker and Brenda Webb		Chicago Filmmakers, 6 W. Hubbard, Chicago, IL	4/29/21
Chicago Lesbian Liberation -	1971				C.L.L. Newsletter - Nov. '73		
Chicago Lesbian Mothers Defense Fun	ca. 1976						9/24/15
Chicago Maternity Center	1895	1973	Documentary, UIC?				
Chicago Metropolitan Battered Women's Network	1980						
Chicago Presbytery Task Force on Women	1972 (?)						10/6/15

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Chicago Sexual Assault Services Network	1986		UIC - 150 ft.				
Chicago Teachers Union, Women's Rights Committee	1972						
Chicago Women in Architecture	1973						
Chicago Women in Broadcasting	1972		UIC				10/22/20
Chicago Women in Philanthropy	1981						10/2/15
Chicago Women in Publishing	1972			"Our purpose is to explore and improve the status of women in publishing and related fields, to assist members in developing professional abilities, and to provide a forum for the exchange of information and ideas."	"Equality in Print, A Guide for Editors and Publishers"		
Chicago Women in the Trades	1981						
Chicago Women-Church	1994						
Chicago Women's AIDS Project	1988		WLA - Loyola			5249 N. Kenmore Chicago, Illinois 60640 in 1987	
Chicago Women's Caucus for Art	1972						
Chicago Women's Defense Committee (Free JoAnne Little)	1970s?				Rape Victim Faces Death Sentence: Free JoAnne Little (Pamphlet, NU)	PO Box 8493, Chicago, 60680	10/2/15

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Chicago Women's Film Coop	1972						
Chicago Women's Graphics Collective	1970						
Chicago Women's Health Center	1975						
Chicago Women's Health Task Force					Health on demand: newsletter of the Chicago Women's Health Task Force		9/1/15
Chicago Women's Liberation School	1970						
Chicago Women's Liberation Union - Abortion Task Force	1973						
Chicago Women's Political Caucus				Same as National Women's Political Caucus of Greater Chicago ?	Chicago WPC Newsletter	37 S. Wash, Chicago, IL 60603	1/19/21
Chicago Women's Graphics Collective	1969	1994	UIC				
Chicago Women's Liberation Union (CWLU)	1969	1977	CHM				
Chicago's Clergy Consultation Service on Problem Pregnancies	1970		CHS, Northwestern				
Chicago's Daycare Crisis Council							

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Chimira	1970			Andra Medea founder, met at Lop YWCA;		37 S. Wabash Ave, Chicago, iL	
Citizen's Committee/Harold Washington for Mayor of Chicago	1982						
Civic Disarmament Council	Early 60s			Laura Fermi (Enrico's wife) started in Hyde Park			10/25/20
Coalition of Labor Union Women	1974						
Coalition of Labor Union Women - Chicago Chapter	1974		Wayne State Library				
Community Organizing and Family Issues - COFI	1994						
Conference of Women Legislators of the Illinois General Assembly (COWL)	1979			Members of the Illinois General Assembly inspired by Eugenia Chapman & Mary Dwyer			10/25/20
Cook County Democratic Women							
Council on Women's Programs?				Linda Sexton-Patrick Chair in 1982 (Illinois Women's Agenda Steering Committee)			11/4/15
CWLU - ACDC Action Committee for Decent Childcare	1971	1973	CHS				
CWLU - Alice Hamilton Center	1970						10/6/15
CWLU - Asian Women's Group	1974						
CWLU - Central YMCA							

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CWLU - Chicago Women's Liberation Rock Band	1970						
CWLU - China Group	1972						
CWLU - Circle Campus	1972						
CWLU - DARE/Direct Action for Rights in Employment	1972						
CWLU - Gay Group/Lesbian Group/Blazing Star	1972						
CWLU - HERS (Health Evaluation & Referral Service)	1973		UIC				
CWLU - Hyde Park Chapter		1989	WLA - Loyola				
CWLU - Legal Clinic	1971						
CWLU - Liberation School							1/19/21
CWLU - Loop College (Harold Washington)							
CWLU - Loyola University							
CWLU - Northwestern University							
CWLU - Outreach/Secret Storm							
CWLU - Pregnancy Testing							
CWLU - Prison Project							
CWLU - Rape Crisis Line Project	1972						
CWLU - Roosevelt University							
CWLU - Rosary Dominican University							

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CWLU - South Side Center (aka The Women's Liberation Center, an Action Project and Outreach for Women's Liberation)						5406 S Dorchester, Chicago	11/2/15
CWLU - WATCH/Women Act to Control Health Care	1973						
CWLU - Women's Prison Project	1973			CWLU?			
CWLU- Legal Clinic	1971						
Daughters of Bilitis Chicago Chapter	1962				The Ladder (Publication of the National D.O.B.)	PO Box 242 Brookfield, IL 60513	10/6/15
Day Care Action Council - AKA Day-Care Crisis Council of the Chicago Area			Sylvia Cottton Papers - UIC	Dorothy Scheff represented on Illinois Women's Agenda Steering Committee 1982			11/4/15
Deborah's Place	1984					1742 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, IL 60647	
Democratic Socialists of America Feminist Commission	1970s						9/1/15
Democratic Workers Party	1974		WLA - Loyola				

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Dignity - Chicago	1972			Dignity/Chicago is a chapter of Dignity/USA and shares its mission to work for respect and justice for all Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and transgender persons in the Catholic Church and the world. Dignity/Chicago was formed in January of 1972, the fourth Dignity chapter in the nation, approximately one year after Ms. Mary Houlihan, a member of the Legion of Mary, began a home Mass for the gay and lesbian community under the Legion's aegis. Following Dignity's formation, the chapter was asked to assume sponsorship of this Mass. Dignity then secured St. Sebastian Church for a weekly Sunday evening Mass which continued until 1988. [Ellen Meyers representative on Illinois Women's Agenda Steering Committee 1982]			11/4/15
Disarm Now Action Group				"Women Opposed to U.S. Militarism"		407 S. Dearborn, Rm 370, Chicago, IL 60605	1/19/21
Domestic Violence Court Advocacy Project							10/22/20
Donor's Forum - Women's Funding Committee	1976	1986					

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E.R.A. Central	1970					53 W. Jackson Blvd Chicago 60604	
Eagle Forum				Phyllis Schlafly, President	Phyllis Schlafly Report	Box 618, Alton, IL 62002	1/19/21
Ecumenical Women's Caucus	1973						
Ecumenical Women's Centers	1970					1653 W. School Street, Chicago, IL 60657	
Eighth Day Center for Justice	1974			8th Day Center for Justice is a Roman Catholic non-profit organization based in Chicago, Illinois. Named after the Christian concept of an eighth day, it was founded in 1974 by six congregations of religious men and women.			
Eleanor Association Women's Forum					The Women's forum newsletter of the Eleanor Association		9/1/15

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Emma Goldman Clinic	1973			The Emma Goldman Clinic is a not-for-profit independent organization founded in 1973 by a group of women driven by feminist ideals. We exist to empower women and men in all life stages through the provision of quality reproductive health care that includes abortion services, gynecology services, safer sex promotion, and active education. We promote respectful, client-centered and participatory health care through informed decision making, client rights, advocacy and expansion, and support of pregnancy choices.			
Episcopal Women's Caucus	1971			Phoebe Griswold the leader			
Equal Opporunity Study Group (Rand McNally)	1970s?						10/20/15
Equal Rights Alliance (later called The Sisterhood)	1970			Located in Downers Grove from March 1970-October 1970, moved to 1649 W. Tuohy from Nov 1970, 2140 Magnolia from Dec 1970-June 1971	Alliance News/ Alliance Link		9/24/15
Equip for Equality	1985						
ERA Illinois	1971						
Evanston Arts Center	1929						
Evanston ERA Coalition							10/22/15

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Evanston Peace Center	1960s		CHS	Evanston Peace Center, was an activist organization dedicated to raising public awareness about the Vietnam War and other issues.			
Evanston Shelter for Battered Women and Their Children	1980s						9/24/15
Evanston Women's Liberation Center	1971			During the 1960-70s it was located at a storefront on Chicago Avenue, Evanston, Illinois.			
Family Focus	1975						
Feminist Lesbian Intergalactic Party (Flippies)	1970s						9/1/15
Feminist Literary Criticism Group (Newberry)	1976					Newberry Library	11/4/15
Feminist Writer's Guild	1980				Languages and Hours (Northwestern)		
Flexible Careers				Met at Loop YWCA			
Free School						1703 N. Vine Street, Chicago, IL 60614	11/2/15
Friends of Alice Palmer	1994						
Friends of Battered Women and their Children	1986						

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Fritzi Englestein Free Peoples Health Center					How Do you Know You Are Pregnant? Pamphlet NU	2747 N. Wilton	10/6/15
Gay and Lesbian Coalition of Metropolitan Chicago	1975			Bill Kelly, Chris Riddiough			10/25/20
Gay and Lesbian Cultural Workers	1992						10/22/20
Gay Women's Caucus	1971						
Genesis House	1983			Started by Edwina Gateley, a Catholic lay missionary after graduating from Catholic Theological Union in Hyde Park.		911 W. Addison S., Chicago, IL (1995)	10/1/15
Global Girls Media							
Greenhouse	1979						
Grey Panthers of Chicago	1970						
Health Evaluation Referral Service (HERS) - See CWLU-HERS	1973			Originally a work group of CWLU. Became a separate entity when CWLU disbanded in 1977.			6/11/19
Homemaker's Equal Rights Association (HERA)	1971	1989					
Howard Brown Health Center Women's Health Program				Focuses on lesbian services. Staff includes primary care physicians, a psychiatrist, a nutritionist, and counselors on substance abuse and personal issues.		945 W. George St., Chicago, IL 60657	1/26/21
Hull House Association - Mary Crane Nursery	1908						

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Hyde Park Owl	1989						
Illinois Caucus on Teenage Pregnancy (ICTP)	1977			Name changed to Illinois Caucus on Adolescent Health			
Illinois Choice Action Team				Carry out NARL activities in Illinois			
Illinois Citizens for the Medical Control of Abortion	1966			Became the Abortion Rights Association of Illinois in 1976 Headed by Helen Smith		100 E. Ohio Stree, Room 608, Chicago, IL 60611	6/11/19
Illinois Coalition Against Domestic Violence (ICADV)	1978		UIC				
Illinois Coalition of Women Against Rape (ICWAR)	1977			ICWAR changes its name to the Illinois Coalition Against Sexual Assault (ICASA) in 1984			11/4/15
Illinois Coalition on Women's Employment	1979						
Illinois Commission on the Status of Women	1963						
Illinois Gay and Lesbian Task Force	1980?						11/4/15
Illinois International Women's Year Center	1975?						9/1/15
Illinois NARL					Pro-Choice Voice	100 E. Ohio St, #236, Chicago, IL 60611	1/19/21
Illinois Pro-Choice Alliance -	1979		UIC		Choice (Newsletter)		

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Illinois Safe School Alliance			UIC				
Illinois Welfare Rights Coalition							10/6/15
Illinois Women's Abortion Coalition	1971					343 S. Dearborn Ave., Room 305, Chicago, IL 60604	6/11/19
Illinois Women's Health Coalition	1990s			"The Illinois Women's Health Coalition is a coalition of nearly 200 organizations and individuals united to influence health care policy across the life span. The coalition meets quarterly." -Newsletter, Spring 1998;	Voices for Women's Health (Newsletter); Membership Directory 1997	332 S. Michigan Ave., Suite 500, Chicago, IL 60604	9/1/15
Illinois Women's Agenda	1975						
Illinois Women's Political Caucus	1975	1992	CHS		IWPC Newsletter	37 W. Wabash, Room 300, Chicago, IL 60603	
Impact-Self Defense Chicago	1987		UIC				
Incite - Women of Color Against Violence - Chicago	2000						
Institute for Lesbian Studies				Sarah Haogland involved			
Institute of Women Today	1974						
International Videoletters	1975			Sharon Karp, Kartemquin Collective, active in the collective			10/22/20
JANE - Abortion Counseling Service	1969	1973					

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Jane Addams Conference	1980s			Women's Peace organization			10/22/20
Jane Addams Senior Caucus	1976	1984	CHS				
Jewish Women in the Arts					Jewish Women in the Arts		9/24/15
Jobs or Income Now - JOIN	1963(?)						
Judy Chicago Dinner Party Project	1979						
Junior League of Chicago	1912		UIC				
Kaleidoscope (Collective)	1988?						9/1/15
Khuli Zaban, South Asian and Middle Eastern Women Who Love Women	1995						10/22/20
Kindred Hearts Women's Center							
Kinheart					Kinheart Womyn's News	2214 Ridge Ave, Evanston, IL 60201	1/19/21
La Dolores Center	1970			Meeting place for Women's Liberation groups, women's study group, rap groups, childcare cooperative, pregnancy testing by Alice Hamilton Clinic		2150 N. Halsted AND Orchard and Armitage	10/6/15
La Leche League	1956			Started in Franklin Park, IL by a group of seven mothers who wanted to provide breastfeeding help and support to interested women.			

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Lakeview Latin American Women's Program -							
Latin Lesbians en Neustro Ambiente LLENA	1988	1992					
League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC)	1929						
League of Women Voters of Chicago	1920		UIC				
League of Women Voters of Illinois	1920		UIC				
Legacy - Association for Lesbian and Gay Seniors							
Legal Center for Battered Women (Project of the Legal Assistance Foundation)	1977	1979		Guaranteed full funding for one year through the Community Trust Fund. Set up to provide free legal counsel, referrals and divorce and injunctive proceedings for battered women. Candace Wayne - director of the Center (1979); Kendra Reinshagen, Chicago feminist lawyer, member of the Center		1628A W. Belmont, Chicago, IL 60657 (Same building as WICCA)	1/26/21
Lesbian Book Group	1985						10/22/20
Lesbian Community Cancer Project	1990				CAnswers (Newsletter)	1902 W. Montrose, Chicago, IL 60613	
Lesbian Community Center	1979	1983					
Lesbian Feminist Center	Mar-73						

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Lesbian Healing Center	1995 (?)						10/22/10
Lesbian Potluck Group							
Lesbian Writers' Conference	1974-1978						
Lesbians on the Couch				Group performed at Mountain Moving Coffee House; Vernita Gray mentions this in her writings.			
Life Span	1978						
Lutheran Women's Caucus	Oct-70		UIC		The Well Woman (Newsletter)	1100 East 55th Street, Chicago, IL 60615	
Midwest Academy	1973						
Midwest Women's Legal Group	1972	1986	CHS				
Midwest Women's Center	1976	1981			Connection (Newsletter)	53 W. Jackson Blvd., Suite 623, Chicago, IL 60604; 828 S. Wabash Ave., Suite 200, Chicago, IL 60605	
Mother's Underground	1988?	1990s					9/1/15
Mountain Moving Womyn's Coffeehouse	1975	1981	CHS				
Mozambique Women's Support Project ?							6/11/19

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Mujer Avanzando				Part of Resurrection Project founded in 1990.			
Mujeres Latinas En Accion	1973						
Mundelein Women's Studies Program	1977		Depaul				
National Alliance of Black Feminists - Chicago Chapter	1974		WLA - Loyola				
National Assembly of Women Religious	1970	1997	CHS, Woodson (Brenda Eichelberger Paps) 8	A grassroots organization formally established in 1970 to foster intercommunity collaboration among American Roman Catholic religious women.			
National Association of Women Business Owners - NAWBO	1975		Marquette University				
National Black Feminist Organization -Chicago Chpt.	1974						
National Black Nurses Association - Chicago Chapter	1970		UIC				
National Black Women's Health Project - Chicago Chapter				Based on the concept and practice of self-help and the inclusion of all women of African descent.	Sisternet 2000	P. O. Box 49779, Chicago, IL 60649	1/19/21
National Catholic Conference for Interracial Justice	1960s-1970s				Trans-Sister		9/24/15

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National Coalition of American Nuns	1969		Woodson - 38 ft.	NCAN was founded by Margaret Traxler in 1969. In 1963, Margaret Traxler joined a group of priests and sisters marching for civil rights in Selma, Alabama.[3] This led to her involvement with the National Catholic Conference for Interracial Justice, and thus her creation of the NCAN.[4] NCAN received notice when Sisters Traxler, Donna Quinn, Ann Patrick Ware, and Deborah Barrett appeared, in 1982, on the Phil Donahue Show opposing legislation that limited abortion.			
National Council of Jewish Women	1893						10/22/20
National Council of Negro Women	1985						6/11/19
National Forum for Women	1981		Marquette University				
National Organization for Women (NOW) - Chicago	1967		UIC				
National Organization for Women (NOW) - Illinois							
National Organization for Women (NOW) - Northwestern Suburban		1975			Now North, NOWsletter		
National Organization for Women (NOW) - West Suburban			UIC				

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National Welfare Rights Organization - Chicago	1967?						
National Women's Political Caucus of Greater Chicago				Local caucus of the Illinois Women's Political Caucus (NWPC)			1/19/21
Natoinal Black Women's Health Project. Chicago Chapter	1995						9/1/15
New Alexandria Library of Wimmin at Lesbian Feminist Center	1976						10/22/20
New American Movement. Reproductive Rights Task Force	1978						9/1/15
New University Conference Women's Caucus	1970?			Marlene Dixon - leader in group	See file for various publicai- tons - writings; NUC Women's Caucus News- letter		9/1/15
North Side Women's Liberation Group				Part of CWLU?			10/6/15
Northwestern University Program on Women	1974						10/22/20
Personal Pac -	1989						
Planned Parenthood Chicago Area				Provides quality, affordable and confidential women's health care services at seven Chicago centers including gynecological exams, breast exams and self-exam instruction, birth control, abortions, and other services.		14 E. Jackson, 10th Floor, Chicago, IL 60604	

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Professional Women's Club of Chicago	1998						
Progressive Chicago Area Network - PROCAN							
Project I.R.E.N.E. (Ill. Rel. Engaging in Nonviolent Endeavors)	1996						
Puerto Rico Solidarity Committee - CWLU partner			WLA - Loyola				
Radical Women's Group	1967			Jo Freeman, Heather Booth, Sue Munaker			11/2/15
Rape Crisis Inc.	1972						
Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice	1973						
Reproductive Rights National Network - R2N2	1978						6/11/19
Revolutionary Art Co-Op	1970			Teaching skills in art and publishing original literature			10/6/15
Rising Up Angry	1969						
Roslyn Group for Arts and Letters	1978						
Sapphires and Crystals	1987						6/11/19
Sarah's Circle	1979						
Sarah's Inn (Oak Park)	1981						
Single Mothers by Choice	1990s						9/1/15

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Sister Center				Rodger's Park, discussions, classes, activities and literature anout women		1541 West Morse (United Church of Rogers Park)	11/2/15
Sister Serpent	1989						
Sister Song	1997						10/22/20
Sisterhouse				West Side Home for women			9/24/15
Sisters Center				Rap groups, extension courses from Liberation School and other activities		7071 Glen-wood	10/6/15
Sisters in Cinema	1997						10/22/10
Sisters Nursing Sisters	1999						10/22/20
Sophia Fund	1983	1985					
Southside Dance Collective				Dances for Women Audiences and appears with other women's culture groups			10/6/15
Southwest Rape Crisis Line							
Southwest Women Working Together	1970s					3201 West 63rd Street Chicago 60629	
Stop ERA	1972						
Sunbow Foundation	ca. 1983						9/24/15
Suzy Creamcheese Collective				Media collective, radio program produced at Radio Free Chicago and broadcasted Friday nights at 11:30 at 97.1 FM			10/6/15

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Take Back the Night Coalition	1983?						11/23/15
Taproots	1978	1975	WLA-Loyola				
The Chicago Network	1979			"We are calling together women distinguished by their achievements in business, the arts, the professions, government and academia." Jean Allard, first woman parter of Sonnenschein, Nath & Rosenthal, was first chair			
The Legal Center for Battered Women	Oct-77						9/24/15
The Literary Exchange	1985			The Literary Exchange is a nonprofit, volunteer-driven organization that gives women of color, particularly African Americans, the platform to be heard.			6/11/19
The Older Women's League - The Northside Chicago/North Suburban Chapter							11/4/15
The Single Parent Resource Center	1970s				Newsletter	656 W. Barry, Chicago, IL 60657	9/24/15
The Sisterhood (aka Equal Rights Alliance)	1971 (?)				The Link (Newsletter)	2140 N. Magnolia St., Chicago, IL	9/24/15

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The Women's Institute	1973				For Women Only (Newsletter)	420 W. Melrose, Chicago, IL	9/24/15
U of C Center for Study of Gender and Sexuality	1996						10/22/20
U of C Women's Union							10/22/20
United Methodist Commission on the Status and Role of Women	1972						
United Sisters	1993-94						10/22/20
University and College Women of Illinois	1970						
Welfare Recipients Demand Action							
Westside Group	1968						
Woman Made Gallery	1992						
Woman Within	1990s						10/22/20
Woman's Christian Temperance Union	1874			Frances Willard head in 1879			
Woman's Club of Evanston	1889						

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Women Act to Control Health Care (WATCH)	1972			Chicago based women's group of healthcare workers and consumers concerned about institutional services available for women in Chicago and about closing Chicago Maternity Center on the near west side and establishment of the proposed Women's Hospital & Maternity Center of the Northwestern University McCaw Medical Center and incorporate the CMC into the ob/gyn departments of Passavant and Wesley Hospital. Contact: Laura Newman		2059 N. Clifton, Chicago, IL 60614	6/11/19
Women Against Pornography	1978						10/22/20
Women and Labor History Project	1995						
Women at Scott Foresman				Textbook revolution group - Anti-sexist; Wrote Guidelines for Improving the Image of Women in Textbooks			1/19/21
Women Employed	1974		WLA - Loyola				
Women for Peace - Chicago Chapter	1963		UIC			343 S. Dearborn	
Women for Washington	1982		UIC				
Women in Charge -							
Women in Church and Society	1999						10/22/20

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Women in Crisis Can Ask (WICCA)	1970s				WICCA News- letter	837 W. Armitage, Chicago, IL; 1139 W. Webster, Chicago, IL, 60614; 1628A W. Belmont, Chicago, IL	9/21/15
Women in Science and Engineer- ing - WISE (UIC)							
Women in the Director's Chair	1980				Newsletter	3435 N. Sheffield, Suite 3, Chicago, IL 60657;	
Women Leaders in Action	Late '80s			Jackie Grimshaw, Jackie Kendall, Lena Cramer and Mary Gonzales involved. Led to COFI with these wome on her board.			10/22/20
Women Ministry and the City	1982						
Women Mobilized for Change -	1966		WLA - Loyola				
Women of All Colors Cultures Together			UIC				

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Women of Faith Resource Center	1988	1992		Met in a blue house - the old parsonage next to the Methodist church		5249 N. Kenmore, Chicago, IL	
Women on the Move	1990	1991		Jean Hunt and Marilyn D. Clancy, publishers			
Women on Wheels							
Women Organized for Reproductive Choice (WORC)							1/19/21
Women Strike for Peace - Chicago	1961 (?)			Denise Ferguson President in 1991			
Women United for a Better Chicago	1985				Update on Women (Newsletter); Well-Woman Journal - News From the Women's Health Policy Project of WUBC;	P. O. Box 578141, Chicago, IL 60657; 37 S. Ashland, Chicago, IL;	
Women United for South Shore	1987(?)						
Women With Wings	1970s						
Women's Bar Association of Illinois	1914						
Women's Business Development Center	1986						

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Women's Caucus of Chicago Gay Alliance/Monday Night Meetings (aka Women's Caucus of Gay Liberation)	1969					met at Chicago Gay Alliance Community Center	
Women's Center - (See Lesbian Feminist Center)	1973						
Women's Committee 1992 Chicago World's Fair	1985					P. O. Box 6727, Chicago, IL 60680-6727	1/19/21
Women's Day Coalition				Coordinating group for specific direct actions of women's groups, information on women's liberation issues in Chicago		343 S. Dearborn	10/6/15
Women's Direct Response Group of Chicago	1980s				Network News (Newsletter)		9/1/15
Women's Experimental College of Hyde Park (UofC)							
Women's Health Education Project				Mission: to improve the health status of women in underserved Chicago communities who have not benefited from advances made by the women's health movement. WHEP promotes solutions to problems with health and ahealth care by involving lay women, health care providers and medical/human service staff in the scope of its work.	The News Down There... (Newsletter);	1914 N. Milwaukee Ave., Chicago, IL(1995, 97); 3435 N. Sheffield, Chicago, IL (1994)	9/1/15

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Women's Health Policy Project of Women United for a Better Chicago	1989				Well-Woman Journal (Newsletter); "The Women's Health Agenda" 1990;		9/1/15
Women's Health Resources - Illinois Masonic Hospital							10/22/20
Women's International League for Peace and Freedom	1919			WILPF developed out of the International Women's Congress against World War I that took place in The Hague, Netherlands, in 1915 and the formation of the International Women's Committee of Permanent Peace;[1] the name WILPF was not chosen until 1919.[2][3]			11/4/15
Women's International Terrorist Conspiracy from Hell (W.I.T.C.H.)	1969			Protested proposed CTA rate hike.			6/11/19
Women's Issues Network	1989						
Women's Law Center				Pearl Hart and Renee Hanover were involved. Mentioned in Chicago Wispers book.			
Women's Law Project of the Legal Assistance Foundation of Chicago				Handbook prepared by: Aviva Futorian, Connie Geiger, Denice Markham, Pat Buckley	"A Handbook for Battered Women" June 1983 (3rd printing)	343 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, IL 60604	10/2/15

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Women's Liberation Movement - Precursor to CWLU ?	1960s			Might be precursor to CWLU		5406 S. Dorchester, Chicago, 60615	10/6/15
Women's Network for Washington (Harold Washington)							10/22/20
Women's Place Resource Center				Chicago NOW was located there until 2000			10/1/15
Women's Reading/Book Group	1975	2015		Connie Kiossee, Marilyn Carlander			10/22/20
Women's Revolutionary Art Co-op				Met at La Dolores Center			1/19/21
Women's Treatment Center	1990						
Women's Action Coalition of Chicago -	1992						
Women's Radical Action Project (WRAP)	1965			Created a position paper on Marlene Dixon's firing			
Y Women in Sports				Loop Center YWCA sports program			11/23/15
Youth Against War and Facism - Women's Caucus						PO Box 3650, Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL 60654	11/2/15
YWCA - Evanston							
YWCA - Loop Center	1969						
YWCA - Metropolitan Chicago	1966			The Chicago YWCA changed its name to YWCA Metropolitan Chicago to reflect its geographic outreach in 1966.			

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