

Fw: Your post has been removed from Patch. Here's why

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Date:Monday, May 9th, 2022 at 2:48 PM

Dear Moderators,

Please review your judgment in this matter. The post in question raises serious ethical issues around the very process of moderating.

Please provide a precise reference for the basis of this judgment, why I was not informed that the material was being judged until after its removal to defend the content as to its applicability, & why I was not given the opportunity to edit any portion of the material. My references were comprehensive utilizing as many academic materials as possible. If you are using the "style guide" on transgender reporting, you really need to review whether "killing" an unfavorable report is professional and precisely whose interest is being served.

Finally, I would like the details of all the complaints received, so that I may respond to them. I replied to the lone commenter who wasn't myself, adding more data that supported my concerns.

Sincerely,
Elizabeth Jensen, PhD, PE, CSP

Sent from ProtonMail mobile

----- Original Message -----

On May 9, 2022, 11:10 AM, Patch Support < moderation@patch.com> wrote:



Hi there,

In order to keep Patch clean, local and friendly, we recently removed your post titled "The Elephant in the LGBTQ+ Room". It

may have violated one or more of our [community guidelines](#) which include:

- Patch has a zero-tolerance policy for racist, sexist, homophobic, xenophobic or otherwise discriminatory language. On Patch, there is no place for name calling or vulgar or obscene language (that includes masked profanity, e.g., F\$%#).
- The people in your Patch are your neighbors. Treat them as such. Always use clean and civil language, even in heated debates.
- Your local Patch is a place for community discussions. If you'd like to discuss or debate national issues, please visit our [Across America](#) Patch.
- Be transparent. [Use your real name and upload a profile image.](#)

Think we may have deleted your post in error, or have any questions or concerns? Reach out to moderation@patch.com anytime.

Thanks,
Patch Support

If you believe this has been sent to you in error, please safely [unsubscribe](#).



Side Note: This is not simply an article removal, I am blocked from even accessing the account. This could be sex discrimination, as discussed by Julie Bindel in “Silencing Women in the Name of Trans Activism”

<https://quillette.com/2018/10/31/silencing-women-in-the-name-of-trans-activism/>

