

MAP'S EQUALITY MAPS SNAPSHOT SCORES

Scores as of 05/02/2024

MAP's Equality Maps track over 50 LGBTQ-related state laws and policies. These laws are grouped into seven major categories: relationship and parental recognition; nondiscrimination; religious exemptions; LGBTQ youth; health care; criminal justice; and identity documents. These policies are scored across all 50 states, Washington DC, and the five U.S. territories, and these individual policy scores are then added together to create the Overall LGBTQ Policy Tally score. This Overall Tally helps illustrate a big picture view of the broader LGBTQ policy landscape across the country. Scores and maps are maintained in real-time, so the scores available on our website may change on any given day as laws themselves change. For more, visit our [Equality Maps FAQ](#).

	STATE		RELATIONSHIP AND PARENTAL RECOGNITION	NON-DISCRIMINATION	RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION LAWS	LGBT YOUTH	HEALTHCARE	CRIMINAL JUSTICE	IDENTITY DOCUMENTS	SEXUAL ORIENTATION POLICY TALLY	GENDER IDENTITY POLICY TALLY	OVERALL TALLY
1	Alabama	SO	1/7	0/4.5	-2.5/-3.5	-1/5	0/2	0/3	--	-2.50	-8.00	-10.50
		GI	0/1	-0.5/4.5	-2.5/-2.5	-4/5	-1/5.5	0/3	0/4			
2	Alaska	SO	1/7	1.75/4.5	0/-3.5	0.25/5	0.5/2	0.75/3	--	4.25	4.25	8.50
		GI	0/1	1.75/4.5	0/-2.5	-0.5/5	1.5/5.5	-0.25/3	1.75/4			
3	American Samoa	SO	1/7	0/4.5	0/-3.5	0/5	0/2	0/3	--	1.00	-1.00	0.00
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	0/-2.5	0/5	0/5.5	0/3	-1/4			
4	Arizona	SO	1.5/7	2.75/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	0.75/5	0.5/2	2/3	--	6.00	-0.50	5.50
		GI	0/1	2.75/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-0.25/5	-0.75/5.5	0/3	-0.75/4			
5	Arkansas	SO	1/7	-1/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	-1/5	0.5/2	-1/3	--	-3.00	-9.50	-12.50
		GI	0/1	-1/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-3/5	-2/5.5	-1/3	-1/4			
6	California	SO	7/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	5/5	1.5/2	2.75/3	--	20.75	21.75	42.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	5/5	4.5/5.5	2.75/3	4/4			
7	Colorado	SO	7/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	5/5	2/2	2.75/3	--	21.25	21.75	43.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	5/5	4.5/5.5	2.75/3	4/4			
8	Connecticut	SO	6/7	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	4.5/5	1/2	2/3	--	17.50	20.50	38.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	4.5/5	5/5.5	2/3	4/4			
9	Delaware	SO	3.75/7	3.5/4.5	0/-3.5	2.5/5	2/2	1.5/3	--	13.25	15.25	28.50
		GI	1/1	3.5/4.5	0/-2.5	2/5	4.5/5.5	1.5/3	2.75/4			
10	District of Columbia	SO	5/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1.5/2	2/3	--	17.00	20.50	37.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5/5.5	2/3	4/4			
11	Florida	SO	1/7	2.75/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	-1/5	0.5/2	0.5/3	--	2.25	-4.25	-2.00
		GI	0/1	1.75/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-3/5	-2/5.5	-0.5/3	1/4			
12	Georgia	SO	1/7	0/4.5	0/-3.5	0/5	0.5/2	0.5/3	--	2.00	-1.50	0.50
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	0/-2.5	0/5	1/5.5	0.5/3	-3/4			
13	Guam	SO	1.75/7	1.5/4.5	0/-3.5	1/5	0.5/2	0.75/3	--	5.50	-1.25	4.25
		GI	0/1	1.5/4.5	0/-2.5	0/5	0.5/5.5	-0.25/3	-3/4			
14	Hawaii	SO	2.5/7	3.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1/2	3/3	--	14.00	17.50	31.50
		GI	1/1	3.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	3.5/5.5	3/3	2.5/4			
15	Idaho	SO	2/7	0.75/4.5	-2.5/-3.5	1/5	0/2	0.5/3	--	1.75	-6.50	-4.75
		GI	0/1	-0.25/4.5	-2.5/-2.5	-1/5	-2.5/5.5	-0.5/3	0.25/4			
16	Illinois	SO	5/7	4.5/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	5/5	2/2	3/3	--	18.00	20.00	38.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	5/5	5/5.5	3/3	3/4			

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17	Indiana	SO	3/7	1.25/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	-1/5	1/2	-1/3	--	2.75	-3.75	-1.00
		GI	0/1	1.25/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	-3/5	0/5.5	-1/3	-0.5/4			
18	Iowa	SO	2/7	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	2/5	1/2	0.5/3	--	9.50	2.50	12.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	-1/5	1/5.5	-0.5/3	-2/4			
19	Kansas	SO	1/7	2.75/4.5	-2/-3.5	0/5	1/2	1/3	--	3.75	-1.75	2.00
		GI	0/1	1.75/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-1/5	1/5.5	0/3	-2/4			
20	Kentucky	SO	2.25/7	2.25/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	0.25/5	0.5/2	0.5/3	--	5.25	-2.00	3.25
		GI	1/1	2.25/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	-1.75/5	-1.5/5.5	-0.5/3	-1/4			
21	Louisiana	SO	1/7	0/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	0.5/5	0.5/2	0/3	--	1.50	-4.50	-3.00
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	-1/5	-1/5.5	-1/3	-1/4			
22	Maine	SO	7/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1.5/2	3/3	--	20.00	21.50	41.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5/5.5	3/3	4/4			
23	Maryland	SO	5.75/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	2/2	2.5/3	--	18.75	20.75	39.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5.25/5.5	2.5/3	3.5/4			
24	Massachusetts	SO	5/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1/2	2/3	--	16.50	18.50	35.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5.5/5.5	1/3	2.5/4			
25	Michigan	SO	4/7	3.5/4.5	-1/-3.5	3/5	2/2	-0.5/3	--	11.00	13.00	24.00
		GI	1/1	3.5/4.5	-1/-2.5	3/5	4/5.5	-0.5/3	3/4			
26	Minnesota	SO	3/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1.5/2	2/3	--	15.00	20.00	35.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5/5.5	2/3	3.5/4			
27	Mississippi	SO	2/7	0/4.5	-3.5/-3.5	0.5/5	0.5/2	-0.5/3	--	-1.00	-3.50	-4.50
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	-2.5/-2.5	0/5	-2/5.5	-0.5/3	1.5/4			
28	Missouri	SO	2/7	1/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	0/5	1/2	0.5/3	--	4.00	-4.25	-0.25
		GI	0/1	0.5/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	-2/5	-1.5/5.5	0.5/3	-1.25/4			
29	Montana	SO	3/7	0.5/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	0/5	0.5/2	-0.5/3	--	2.00	-5.50	-3.50
		GI	0/1	-0.5/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-2/5	2/5.5	-1.5/3	-2/4			
30	Nebraska	SO	1/7	2.25/4.5	0/-3.5	0/5	0.5/2	0.5/3	--	4.25	-2.50	1.75
		GI	0/1	1.5/4.5	0/-2.5	0/5	-2/5.5	-0.5/3	-1.5/4			
31	Nevada	SO	6/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	5/5	2/2	3/3	--	20.50	21.00	41.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	5/5	4.5/5.5	2/3	4/4			
32	New Hampshire	SO	5/7	3.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1.5/2	2/3	--	16.00	15.50	31.50
		GI	1/1	3.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	3.5/5.5	3/3	0.5/4			
33	New Jersey	SO	5/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	5/5	1/2	2/3	--	17.50	21.75	39.25
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	5/5	5.25/5.5	2/3	4/4			
34	New Mexico	SO	3/7	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	4/5	1/2	1/3	--	13.00	18.00	31.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	4/5	4/5.5	1/3	4/4			
35	New York	SO	6/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	1.5/2	3/3	--	19.00	21.50	40.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5/5.5	3/3	4/4			

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36	North Carolina	SO	2/7	1/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	1.75/5	1/2	-0.5/3	--	4.75	1.50	6.25
		GI	1/1	1/4.5	0/-2.5	-0.25/5	-0.5/5.5	-0.5/3	0.75/4			
37	North Dakota	SO	3/7	3.5/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	2.5/5	1/2	-0.5/3	--	8.00	0.75	8.75
		GI	1/1	2/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-0.5/5	0.5/5.5	-0.5/3	-0.25/4			
38	Northern Mariana Islands	SO	1/7	0.5/4.5	0/-3.5	1/5	0.5/2	1/3	--	4.00	-1.00	3.00
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	0/-2.5	0.5/5	0/5.5	0/3	-1.5/4			
39	Ohio	SO	2/7	3.5/4.5	-1/-3.5	1/5	1/2	-1/3	--	5.50	2.25	7.75
		GI	1/1	3.5/4.5	-1/-2.5	0/5	-2/5.5	-1/3	1.75/4			
40	Oklahoma	SO	2/7	0/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	0.5/5	1/2	-0.5/3	--	1.50	-6.75	-5.25
		GI	0/1	-0.75/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-1/5	-1/5.5	-0.5/3	-2/4			
41	Oregon	SO	4/7	3.5/4.5	0/-3.5	5/5	1/2	3/3	--	16.50	21.00	37.50
		GI	1/1	3.5/4.5	0/-2.5	5/5	4.5/5.5	3/3	4/4			
42	Pennsylvania	SO	2/7	2.75/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	1.5/5	1/2	-0.5/3	--	6.25	10.25	16.50
		GI	0/1	2.75/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	1.5/5	4.5/5.5	-0.5/3	2.5/4			
43	Puerto Rico	SO	2.25/7	1.5/4.5	0/-3.5	3.25/5	1.5/2	1/3	--	9.50	10.50	20.00
		GI	0/1	1.5/4.5	0/-2.5	3.25/5	2/5.5	1/3	2.75/4			
44	Rhode Island	SO	6.5/7	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	3.5/5	1/2	2/3	--	17.00	17.00	34.00
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	3.5/5	4.5/5.5	1/3	3/4			
45	South Carolina	SO	2/7	0/4.5	-2.5/-3.5	1/5	0.5/2	-0.5/3	--	0.50	-5.00	-4.50
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	-2.5/-2.5	-1/5	-1/5.5	-0.5/3	0/4			
46	South Dakota	SO	2/7	0/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	0/5	0/2	-1/3	--	-0.50	-5.00	-5.50
		GI	1/1	0/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-1/5	-1.5/5.5	-1/3	-1/4			
47	Tennessee	SO	2.25/7	-1/4.5	-3/-3.5	0/5	0/2	-1/3	--	-2.75	-10.25	-13.00
		GI	1/1	-2/4.5	-2.5/-2.5	-2/5	-2.5/5.5	-1.25/3	-1/4			
48	Texas	SO	1/7	1.25/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	-0.5/5	1/2	1/3	--	2.25	-2.75	-0.50
		GI	0/1	1.25/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	-1/5	-2/5.5	0/3	0.5/4			
49	U.S. Virgin Islands	SO	2/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	1.75/5	0/2	0.5/3	--	8.75	4.75	13.50
		GI	0/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	0.75/5	0/5.5	0.5/3	-1/4			
50	Utah	SO	1/7	2.5/4.5	-1/-3.5	3/5	1/2	0/3	--	6.50	-0.25	6.25
		GI	0/1	0.5/4.5	-1/-2.5	1/5	-1/5.5	0/3	0.25/4			
51	Vermont	SO	5.5/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	4/5	2/2	2/3	--	18.00	20.50	38.50
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	4/5	5/5.5	2/3	4/4			
52	Virginia	SO	3/7	4.5/4.5	-1.5/-3.5	3/5	1/2	2/3	--	12.00	14.50	26.50
		GI	0/1	4.5/4.5	-1.5/-2.5	2/5	4/5.5	2/3	3.5/4			
53	Washington	SO	4.75/7	4.5/4.5	0/-3.5	5/5	1.5/2	2.5/3	--	18.25	22.00	40.25
		GI	1/1	4.5/4.5	0/-2.5	5/5	5/5.5	2.5/3	4/4			
54	West Virginia	SO	2/7	0/4.5	-0.5/-3.5	1.5/5	1/2	0/3	--	4.00	0.50	4.50
		GI	1/1	0/4.5	-0.5/-2.5	0.5/5	-1/5.5	0/3	0.5/4			

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55	Wisconsin	SO	2.25/7	3.5/4.5	0/-3.5	2.75/5	2/2	1.75/3	--	12.25	5.25	17.50
		GI	0/1	1/4.5	0/-2.5	0.75/5	4.5/5.5	-0.25/3	-0.75/4			
56	Wyoming	SO	2/7	0/4.5	0/-3.5	0/5	0/2	0/3	--	2.00	-2.75	-0.75
		GI	0/1	0/4.5	0/-2.5	-2/5	-1/5.5	0/3	0.25/4			