# TENNESSEE'S EQUALITY PROFILE

## Quick Facts About Tennessee

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<th>Category</th>
<th>Total State Population: 6,770,010</th>
<th>Total Adult Population: 5,263,790</th>
<th>Total LGBTQ Adult Population: 182,000</th>
<th>% of Adults (18+) Who are LGBTQ: 3.5%</th>
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## Tennessee's LGBTQ Policy Tally

- **Sexual Orientation Policy Tally:** 0.25/18.5  **LOW**
- **Gender Identity Policy Tally:** -4.25/20  **NEGATIVE**
- **Overall Tally:** -4/38.5  **NEGATIVE**

MAP's "LGBTQ Policy Tally" examines each state's LGBTQ policy climate, as measured by over 35 pro- or anti-LGBTQ laws and policies. These laws are grouped into seven major categories: relationship and parental recognition; non-discrimination; religious exemptions; LGBTQ youth; healthcare; criminal justice; and the ability for transgender people to correct name and gender markers on identity documents. See the state’s full profile for more detailed information.

Scores as of 03/28/2020. For full state profile, visit: [https://www.lgbtmap.org/equality_maps/profile_state/TN](https://www.lgbtmap.org/equality_maps/profile_state/TN)
