WEST VIRGINIA'S EQUALITY PROFILE

Quick Facts About West Virginia

- **Percent of Adults (18+) Who are LGBTQ**: 4% (Gallup/Williams 2019)
- **Total LGBTQ Population (13+)**: 68,000 (Williams 2020)
- **Percent of Workforce That is LGBTQ**: 5% (Census 2018; Williams 2020)
- **Total LGBTQ Workers**: 40,000 (Williams 2020)
- **Percent of LGBTQ Adults (25+) Raising Children**: 31% (Gallup/Williams 2019)

West Virginia's LGBTQ Policy Tally

- **Sexual Orientation Policy Tally**: 5/18.5
  - **FAIR**
- **Gender Identity Policy Tally**: -2/20
  - **NEGATIVE**
- **Overall Tally**: 3/38.5
  - **LOW**

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 09/04/2021. For full state profile, visit: https://www.lgbtmap.org/equality_maps/profile_state/WV