I. Non-Discrimination Laws

This category evaluates whether discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity is prohibited by the city, county, or state in areas of employment, housing, and public accommodations.

### Employment

- **Non-Discrimination in City Employment**
- **Transgender-Inclusive Healthcare Benefits**
- **City Contractor Non-Discrimination Ordinance**
- **Inclusive Workplace**

### Housing

- **Single-Occupancy All-Gender Facilities**
- **Protects Youth from Conversion Therapy**

### Public Accommodations

#### Score

10 out of 30

#### Bonus

- Single-Occupancy All-Gender Facilities +2
- Protects Youth from Conversion Therapy +2

II. Municipality as Employer

By offering equivalent benefits and protections to LGBT employees, awarding contracts to fair-minded businesses, and taking steps to ensure an inclusive workplace, municipalities commit themselves to treating LGBT employees equally.

### Human Rights Commission

- **NDI Enforcement by Human Rights Commission**
- **LGBTQ Liaison in City Executive’s Office**

### Leadership’s Public Position on LGBTQ Equality

- **Leadership’s Pro-Equality Legislative or Policy Efforts**

#### Score

0 out of 12

#### Bonus

- Openly LGBTQ Elected or Appointed Municipal Leaders +2
- City Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law +3

III. Municipal Services

This section assesses the efforts of the city to ensure LGBT constituents are included in city services and programs.

### Human Rights Commission

- **NDI Enforcement by Human Rights Commission**
- **LGBTQ Liaison in City Executive’s Office**

### Leadership’s Public Position on LGBTQ Equality

- **Leadership’s Pro-Equality Legislative or Policy Efforts**

#### Score

0 out of 8

#### Bonus

- Openly LGBTQ Elected or Appointed Municipal Leaders +2
- City Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law +3

IV. Law Enforcement

Fair enforcement of the law includes responsible reporting of hate crimes and engaging with the LGBT community in a thoughtful and respectful way.

### LGBTQ Police Liaison or Task Force

- **Reported 2017 Hate Crimes Statistics to the FBI**

#### Score

0 out of 22

#### Bonus

- City Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law +3

V. Leadership on LGBTQ Equality

This category measures the city leadership’s commitment to fully include the LGBT community and to advocate for full equality.

### Leadership’s Public Position on LGBTQ Equality

- **Leadership’s Pro-Equality Legislative or Policy Efforts**

#### Score

0 out of 8

#### Bonus

- Openly LGBTQ Elected or Appointed Municipal Leaders +2
- City Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law +3

### Municipal Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law

- **City Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law**

#### Score

0 out of 22

#### Bonus

- City Tests Limits of Restrictive State Law +3

TOTAL SCORE 17 + TOTAL BONUS 2 = Final Score 19

CANNOT EXCEED 100

PTS FOR SEXUAL ORIENTATION PTS FOR GENDER IDENTITY + BONUS PTS for criteria not accessible to all cities at this time.

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