## SOUTH CAROLINA'S EQUALITY PROFILE

### Quick Facts About South Carolina

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<th>Category</th>
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<td>Percent of Adults (18+) Who are LGBTQ</td>
<td>3.5%</td>
<td>Gallup/Williams 2019</td>
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<td>Total LGBTQ Population (13+)</td>
<td>167,000</td>
<td>Williams 2020</td>
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<td>Percent of Workforce That is LGBTQ</td>
<td>4%</td>
<td>Census 2018; Williams 2020</td>
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<td>Total LGBTQ Workers</td>
<td>99,000</td>
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<td>Percent of LGBTQ Adults (25+) Raising Children</td>
<td>30%</td>
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### South Carolina's LGBTQ Policy Tally

**Sexual Orientation Policy Tally:**
- **Tally:** 0.5/21.5
- **Category:** Sexual Orientation
- **Score:** LOW

**Gender Identity Policy Tally:**
- **Tally:** -5/23
- **Category:** Gender Identity
- **Score:** NEGATIVE

**Overall Tally:**
- **Tally:** -4.5/44.5
- **Score:** 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 05/19/2024. For full state profile, visit: https://www.lgbtmap.org/equality_maps/profile_state/SC