

SCORECARD

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Final Score
66%

SCORECARD TOPLINES

Marriage is permitted for minors at 16 years of age with parental consent and judicial approval. Does not account for a difference in age between the individuals engaging in sexual contact. Does not require consent to be freely given or given by affirmative consent. May account for a person's intoxication impacting their ability to consent but it is not explicitly stated in law. Does not have a penalty enhancement for crimes motivated by political affiliation or age. Does not have a recurring inventory of untested rape kits. The statute of limitations for the most serious felony sex crime is 10 years or less. The statute of limitations has not been eliminated for all felony sex crimes. Exceptions to the statute of limitations do not exist to allow an exception for DNA evidence.

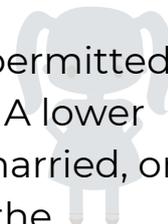
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Child Marriage

The age of consent for marriage is generally 18 years of age. Marriage is permitted for minors at 16 years of age with parental consent and judicial approval. A lower age limit is not permitted because a minor is pregnant, was previously married, or is an active member of the armed forces. No gender difference exists in the lowest age limit allowed.



Consent to Sexual Contact

The lowest age of consent for sexual contact is 16 years of age. The law does not account for a difference in age between the individuals engaging in sexual contact. The law does not require consent to be freely given or given by affirmative consent. The law accounts for a person's developmental disability or mental capacity, consciousness, and relationship between a victim and perpetrator impacting their ability to consent. The law may account for a person's intoxication impacting their ability to consent but it is not explicitly stated in law.



Discrimination & Hate Crimes

The state does have a hate crimes law and requires data collection on hate crimes. The state does criminalize interference with religious worship. The state does have a penalty enhancement for crimes or an independent crime for crimes motivated by race, religion, or ethnicity. The state does have a penalty enhancement for crimes motivated by sexual orientation, gender, or disability.



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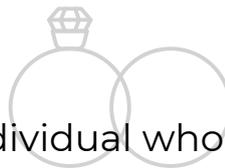
The state does have a penalty enhancement for crimes or an independent crime for crimes motivated by gender identity. The state does not have a penalty enhancement for crimes motivated by political affiliation or age.

Rape Kit Processing



The state has conducted a one-time inventory of untested rape kits. Testing of the backlog of untested rape kits has occurred through nonlegislative action. Mandatory testing of new rape kits is required to occur. A rape kit tracking system has been implemented through nonlegislative action. A survivor's right to notice does exist. The state has provided funding for rape kit handling reform

Spousal Rape



The state does not treat rape of a spouse differently than rape of an individual who is not a spouse of the perpetrator. The state does allow for conviction of a spouse for raping their partner if the partner is unconscious, drugged, or otherwise incapacitated. An exemption for spousal rape does not exist under laws criminalizing statutory rape. An exemption for spousal rape or unwanted sexual contact does not exist under laws criminalizing sexual contact between people with a supervisory relationship.

Statute of Limitations for Sexual Crimes



The state does not have a reduced statute of limitations for criminal prosecution if a victim chooses not to report or delays reporting the crime. The statute of limitations for the most serious felony sex crime is 10 years or less. The statute of limitations has not been eliminated for all felony sex crimes. Exceptions to the statute of limitations do not exist to allow an exception for DNA evidence.