

2023 Anti-LGBTQ+ Bills in the Iowa Legislature (as of 1/28/2023)

Inclusion on this list means the bill either directly targets LGBTQ+ Iowans, will have a primary impact on LGBTQ+ Iowans, or was created as a response to misinformation about LGBTQ+ Iowans. These are not the only bills being worked on, but those that One Iowa considers most dangerous.

Bill Number	Context	Status	Sponsor(s)
HF7	Requires public universities to report to state legislative committees all terms and concepts used in teaching degree courses that relate to diversity and inclusiveness, that may mute the use of these terms and concepts & may be used to enact further legislative restrictions.	Passed House subcommittee, set for debate in House Education Committeee	WHEELER, HOLT, STONE, FISHER, DUNWELL, MOMMSEN, COLLINS, MOORE, KNIFF MCCULLA, WULF, MEGGERS, BRADLEY, WILLS, JOHNSON, BODEN, NORDMAN, YOUNG, HENDERSON, GUSTOFF, WOOD, GRABER, WINDSCHITL, BOSSMAN, GRASSLEY, and GERHOLD
HF8	“Don’t say gay” style legislation which bans any mention or discussion of gender identity or sexual orientation in schools in grades K-3	Introduced, subcommittee not yet scheduled	WHEELER, HOLT, STONE, DUNWELL, MOMMSEN, COLLINS, FISHER, GUSTOFF, JENEARY, VONDRAK, WULF, BRADLEY, MEGGERS, KNIFF MCCULLA, GOLDING, DEYOE, GRABER, P.THOMPSON, WILLS, GUSTAFSON, JOHNSON, BODEN, HARRIS, KAUFMANN, FRY, NORDMAN, YOUNG, HENDERSON,

			HORA, WOOD, OSMUNDSON, WINDSCHITL, GRASSLEY, and GERHOLD
HF9	Bars Iowa schools from affirming and using the chosen name or gender-aligned pronouns of a transgender student without a parent's written consent, which puts trans students with unsupportive parents at greater risk.	Introduced, subcommittee not yet scheduled	WHEELER, HOLT, STONE, GUSTOFF, COLLINS, MOORE, JENEARY, CARLSON, VONDTRAN, GOLDING, STOLTENBERG, FISHER, DUNWELL, KNIFFMCCULLA, MEGGERS, WULF, SHIPLEY, SHERMAN, BRADLEY, JOHNSON, GRABER, DEYOE, NORDMAN, WILLS, GUSTAFSON, P.THOMPSON, BODEN, GEHLBACH, KAUFMANN, FRY, ANDREWS, YOUNG, THOMSON, HENDERSON, HORA, OSMUNDSON, WINDSCHITL, GRASSLEY, and GERHOLD
SF83	"Don't say trans" style legislation that would ban any mention of gender identity in grades K-8	Subcommittee 1/31/23 @ 12pm in Rm 217	J.TAYLOR, GUTH, LOFGREN, GARRETT, WESTRICH, ROWLEY, ZAUN, SALMON, ROZENBOOM, GREEN, EVANS, DEWITT, ALONS, SWEENEY, REICHMAN, and COURNOYER

SF85	Prevents surveys & data collection regarding many student demographics & characteristics, including mental health, sexual orientation/identity & gender identity, & also prevents school activities in which a student might voluntarily reveal that information.	Subcommittee 1/31/23 @ 9:30am in Rm 217	SALMON
SSB1076	Among other things, removes required info about HIV/AIDS from required health curricula standards in schools, eliminates comprehensive school improvement plans that integrate antibullying and antiharassment school policies, and empowers state board to dictate what can be in school library programs & collections.	Introduced, subcommittee not yet scheduled	GOVERNOR REYNOLDS
SF110	Intended to discourage medical providers from providing trans affirming healthcare to minors and prevent them receiving Medicaid reimbursement if they	Introduced, subcommittee not yet scheduled	SALMON, EVANS, ALONS, GREEN, WESTRICH, J.TAYLOR, GUTH, DEWITT, and ROWLEY

	<p>do. States that even if minors receive competently and correctly administered trans affirming medical care, after demonstrating full understanding of the impacts of that care, and with consent of themselves and their legal guardians, they can sue the medical providers for up to 30 years after turning 18 in the very rare instance that they subsequently “detransition” or decide that they were otherwise emotionally, psychologically, or physically harmed by their gender transition.</p>		
<u>SF129</u>	<p>Bans medically necessary care for transgender youth & provides legal protections for administering conversion therapy</p>	<p>Introduced, subcommittee not yet scheduled</p>	<p>SALMON</p>