

## **GENERAL RESOURCES WHEN A PERSON BELIEVES THEY MAY HAVE EXPERIENCED DISCRIMINATION FOR A CONDITION PROTECTED BY LAW**

### **US Federal Laws protect against discrimination on the basis of:**

- Age
- Disability
- Equal Pay/Compensation
- Genetic Information
- Harassment
- National Origin
- Pregnancy
- Race/Color
- Religion
- Retaliation
- Sex
- Sexual Harassment

The [Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice](#) enforces *federal* laws that prohibit discrimination in:

- [Education](#)
- [Employment](#)
- [Housing](#)
- [Lending](#)
- [Public Accommodations](#)
- [Law Enforcement / Police Misconduct](#)
- [Voting](#)

Claims of discrimination in the workplace are investigated by the [US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission \(EEOC\)](#)

The [New Mexico Human Rights Bureau](#) investigates claims of discrimination in the workplace, places of public accommodation, housing and applications for consumer credit. (even though the web link takes you to a site hosted by the NM Department of Workforce Solutions, complaints and investigations are not limited to employment discrimination).

[New Mexico's Attorney General](#)'s Office also investigates claims of discrimination

A few cities in New Mexico have a Civil Rights or Human Rights Department, which would investigate claims of housing discrimination, among other issues:

- [Albuquerque](#)
- [Las Cruces](#)
- [Santa Fe](#)

You can find a compilation of Federal Anti-Discrimination Laws at the [Future of Privacy Forum](#)