

Protected Classes

The following table shows the protected classes under chapter 216 of the Iowa Code.

Protected Classes	Areas of Protection				
	Employment	Housing	Public Accommodation	Education	Credit
Age	☑				☑
Color	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Creed	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Familial Status		☑			☑
Gender Identity	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Marital Status					☑
Mental Disability	☑	☑	☑	☑	
National Origin	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Physical Disability	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Race	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Religion	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Retaliation	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Sex	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑
Sexual Orientation	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑