

EU LGBTIQ survey III

LGBTIQ Equality at a Crossroads: Progress and Challenges



Country Data - Luxembourg

EU LGBTIQ SURVEY

- The online survey draws on 100,577 responses from across 30 countries – the 27 EU Member States, Albania, North Macedonia and Serbia.
- See our methodology Q&A for more about how FRA did the survey.
- Results based on a small number of responses are statistically less reliable. Thus, results based on 20 to 49 unweighted observations in a group total or based on cells with fewer than 20 unweighted observations are noted in parentheses. Results based on fewer than 20 unweighted observations in a group total are not published.
- Follow #LGBTIQSurvey across social media channels.
- Respondents' quotes from Luxembourg are also included.

Symbols

- ↑ Shows that the result in the country is above the EU-27 average
- ↓ Shows that the result in the country is below the EU-27 average
- Shows that the result in the country is the same or at similar levels with the EU-27 average

- **Openness about being LGBTIQ**

"Since the LGBTIQ community is prominent in the news, intolerance is increasing." Luxembourg, pansexual gender-fluid, 45

↓ 48% avoid often or always holding hands with their same-sex partner in Luxembourg. For the EU-27 it is 53%.

→ 25% in Luxembourg avoid often or always certain locations for fear of being assaulted. For the EU-27 it is 29%.

↑ 56% are now fairly or very open about being LGBTIQ in Luxembourg. For the EU-27 it is 51%.

- **Discrimination**

"Parental support should be encouraged so that they can deal better with LGBTIQ children." Luxembourg, Lesbian gender-fluid, 23

→ 16% felt discriminated against at work or looking for work in the year before the survey in Luxembourg. For the EU-27 it is 19%.

→ Discrimination affects many areas of life, such as going to a café, restaurant, hospital or to a shop. Overall, in Luxembourg 34% felt discriminated against in at least one area of life in the year before the survey. For the EU-27 it was 37%.

- **Violence and harassment**

“Even though I have a great family and friends, a very well-paid job and a great partner. I never feel truly free. Unfortunately, holding hands on the street is still an absolute no-go.” Luxembourg, gay man, 37

→ 12% in Luxembourg had been attacked in the 5 years before the survey. This is 13% for the EU-27.

→ 3% in Luxembourg had been attacked in the year before the survey. This is 5% for the EU-27.

→ 50% in Luxembourg say they were harassed in the year before the survey. This is 54% for the EU-27.

- **Reporting of hate-motivated violence and discrimination**

↓ 5% went to the police in Luxembourg to report physical or sexual attacks. It is 11% across the EU-27.

→ 10% reported their discrimination experiences to an equality body or another organisation in Luxembourg. For the EU-27 it is 11%.

- **Bullying and conversion abuse or humiliation**

→ In Luxembourg 68% of all respondents say that they suffered bullying, ridicule, teasing, insults or threats in school because they are LGBTIQ. For the EU-27 it is 67%, a steep increase compared to 2019 (43%).

→ 21% of respondents in Luxembourg experienced a so-called ‘conversion’ practice in order to make them change your sexual orientation and/or gender identity. For the EU-27 it is 24%

- **Intolerance and prejudice**

“The feeling of security is decreasing more and more.” Luxembourg, gay man, 38

↓ 27% in Luxembourg say that violence against LGBTIQ people has increased. This is 59% for the EU-27.

↓ 33% in Luxembourg say that LGBTIQ prejudice and intolerance has risen in their country in the last five years. It is 53% across the EU-27.

↑ 64% in Luxembourg believe their national government effectively combats prejudice and intolerance against LGBTIQ people. For the EU-27 it is 26%.

- **Health**

→ 11% of LGBTIQ respondents in Luxembourg felt discriminated against in healthcare in the last year before the survey. For the EU this is 14%.

→ 12% of LGBTIQ respondents in Luxembourg thought often or always of committing suicide in last year before the survey. For the EU this is 12%.

- **Schooling**

“There is still little understanding of the trans and queer experience in Luxembourg. Schools provide little safe spaces and education on this.” Luxembourg, pansexual gender-fluid, 20

↓ 44% of LGBTIQ students in Luxembourg were hiding being LGBTIQ at school. This was 49% in the EU-27.

→ 35% of LGBTIQ students in Luxembourg say that in school someone often or always supported, defended or protected their rights as an LGBTIQ person. This was 32% in the EU-27.

→ 66% of LGBTIQ respondents in Luxembourg say their school education never addressed LGBTIQ issues. In the EU-27 this was 62%