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### Monkeypox Resources



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### Civil Rights and "Monkeypox" (mpox): Frequently Asked Questions

Learn more about your rights and protections against discrimination and bias-based harassment related to "monkeypox" (herein mpox). To find out more about how to file a complaint, [click here](#).

### General



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### Employment

1. What are the LAD's protections related to mpox in employment? >

2. My coworker repeatedly harasses me by claiming that gay people "caused" mpox. Does my employer need to do something? >

3. Can my employer send me home from work if I have symptoms of mpox? >

4. I have mpox. What reasonable accommodations can I ask for from my employer under the LAD? >

### Housing

1. What are the LAD's protections related to mpox in housing? >

### Public Accommodations

1. What are the LAD's protections related to mpox in places of public accommodation, including schools? >

2. What are the LAD's protections related to medical facilities and mpox? >

3. I have mpox but need to obtain groceries or pharmaceuticals. What are my rights under the LAD? >

### Retaliation

1. I would like to make an LAD complaint, but I am worried that my employer or housing provider will retaliate against me. What should I do? >

### Bias Incidents



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