



# Trans Health Project

*Working for Transgender Equal Rights*

## Connecticut Health Insurance Guidance

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Connecticut has explicit insurance guidance on transgender-related health care.

### **Bulletins and Announcements:**

**Bulletin:** [Bulletin IC-34, Gender Identity Nondiscrimination Requirements \(2013\)](#)

**Issued by:** Connecticut Insurance Department

**Issued on:** Dec. 19, 2013

**Summary:**

The bulletin notes that “a blanket policy exclusion for gender transition and related services is prohibited.”

**Announcement:** [Connecticut Insurance Commissioner Calls on Secretary Azar to Stop Discriminatory Changes to the Affordable Care Act](#)

**Issued by:** Commissioner Mais

**Issued on:** Aug. 5, 2019

**Announcement:** [Insurance Commissioner: Connecticut LGBTQ health care consumers remain protected from discrimination](#)

**Issued by:** Commissioner Mais

**Issued on:** June 18, 2020

### **Enforcement Actions:**

[Connecticut Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities ruling](#)

**Summary:**

The Connecticut Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities issued a ruling prohibiting all employers and insurers from denying coverage for any treatments related to gender transition. It also specifically found exclusions for facial gender reassignment surgery to be unlawful.

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