

Data for SOID Protections Map

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The shapefiles used were all from Esri and can be found at: [USA States Generalized Boundaries](#), [USA Counties](#), and [USA Major Cities](#). These were used to join the states, counties, and cities that have SOID protections.

The data regarding which states, counties, and cities have passed Source of Income Discrimination protections is from the Poverty and Race Research Action Council in [Appendix B of “Expanding Choice: Practical Strategies for Building a Successful Housing Mobility Program.”](#) The Urban Institute’s [State and Local Voucher Protections Laws](#) was also utilized. These sources were used to compile a comprehensive list of all the states, counties, and cities with SOID protections as of November 2023. The PRRAC data was utilized to provide a brief description of each place’s protection and enforcement of the protection.

Some localities that are included in [Appendix B](#) were excluded from the map as they either had laws there were preempted by state law (e.g. Austin and Dallas), had expired laws (e.g. Pittsburg), or had laws that specifically excluded vouchers (e.g. Wisconsin).