

# DELAWARE WOMEN

## STATUS REPORT



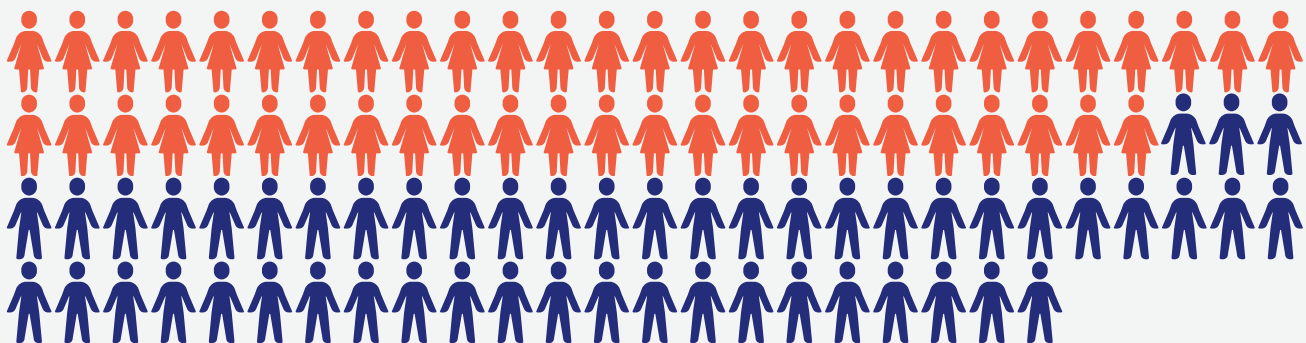
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# Demographics

In the vibrant tapestry of Delaware's demographics, women form an essential and dynamic thread. Accounting for approximately **51% of the state's population**, women contribute profoundly to its cultural richness, economic vitality, and social fabric. Delaware embraces diversity, reflected in the myriad roles and experiences of its women—from trailblazing entrepreneurs and dedicated professionals to nurturing caregivers and community leaders. Women in Delaware embody resilience and ingenuity, shaping the state's narrative with their diverse backgrounds, aspirations, and contributions.

As pillars of strength and agents of change, Delaware women play an integral role in shaping its present and future, supporting a society that thrives on inclusivity, equity, and opportunity for all. The following data tables showcase the diverse facets of women in Delaware.



## Delaware Population by Gender and Age Group

Age	Total	Delaware % Male of Total Pop.	Delaware % Female of Total Pop.
<b>Total Population</b>	<b>993,635</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>51%</b>
<b>Under 5</b>	53,990	5.7%	5.2%
<b>5-9</b>	55,978	5.8%	5.4%
<b>10-14</b>	60,495	6.4%	5.8%
<b>15-19</b>	62,986	6.5%	6.2%
<b>20-24</b>	59,822	6.3%	5.8%
<b>25-29</b>	62,852	6.6%	6.1%
<b>30-34</b>	65,031	6.7%	6.4%
<b>35-39</b>	59,234	6.4%	5.6%
<b>40-44</b>	58,690	5.7%	6.1%
<b>45-49</b>	56,174	5.7%	5.6%
<b>50-54</b>	62,706	6.3%	6.4%
<b>55-59</b>	68,936	7%	6.8%
<b>60-64</b>	71,725	6.8%	7.6%
<b>65-69</b>	65,911	6.2%	7%
<b>70-74</b>	51,913	5.1%	5.4%
<b>75-79</b>	36,040	3.3%	3.9%
<b>80-84</b>	21,733	2%	2.4%
<b>85+</b>	19,419	1.5%	2.4%

*Source: American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimate 2018-2022*

## Delaware Women by Race/Ethnicity

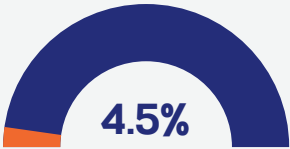
Percent of Locality Population by Race and Gender	Delaware	Kent	New Castle	Sussex	Wilmington
<b>Black</b>	22%	26%	25%	11%	54%
<b>Black Male</b>	10%	12%	12%	5%	24%
<b>Black Female</b>	12%	14%	13%	6%	30%
<b>White</b>	60%	59%	55%	74%	30%
<b>White Male</b>	29%	29%	27%	36%	14%
<b>White Female</b>	31%	30%	28%	39%	15%
<b>Hispanic</b>	10%	8%	11%	9%	11%
<b>Hispanic Male</b>	5%	4%	6%	5%	6%
<b>Hispanic Female</b>	5%	4%	5%	5%	6%
<b>Asian</b>	4%	2%	6%	1%	1%
<b>Asian Male</b>	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%
<b>Asian Female</b>	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%
<b>2 or More Races</b>	6%	8%	6%	6%	5%
<b>2 or More Races Male</b>	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%
<b>2 or More Races Female</b>	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%

# Delaware Women by Disability Status

Percent with a Disability by Gender	Delaware	Kent	New Castle	Sussex	Wilmington
Male	13.7%	16.9%	12.3%	14.6%	16.8%
Female	13.6%	16.2%	12.4%	14.4%	15%

Source: American Community Survey, 5-Year Estimate 2018-2022

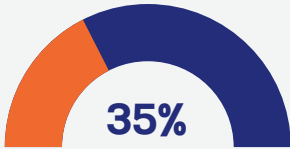
# Delawareans that Identify as LGBTQ+



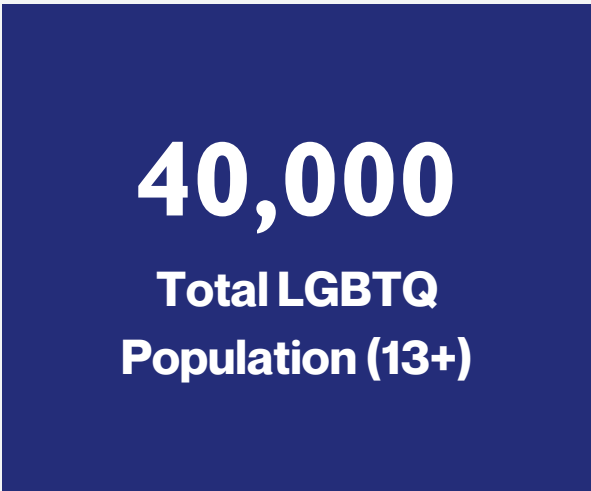
Percent of Adults (18+) Who are LGBTQ



Percent of Workforce that is LGBTQ

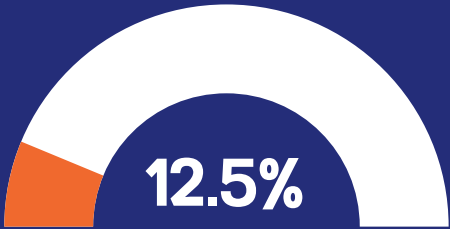


Percent of LGBTQ Adults (25+) Raising Children

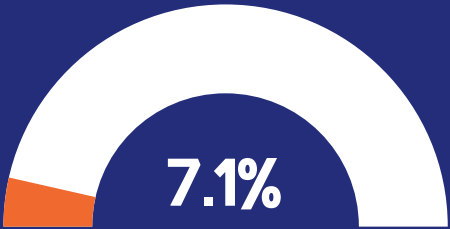


Source: Movement Advancement Project: Delaware's Equality Profile

# Delaware Women by Military Status/Veterans



Kent



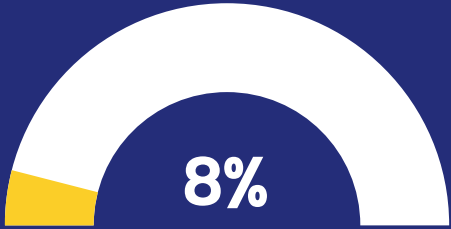
New Castle



Sussex



Wilmington



Total in Delaware

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