# **VIRGINIA**

#### **SCORECARD**

# **STATE CONSTITUTIONAL PROTECTIONS**

- State Establishment Clause
- State Free Exercise Clause

#### **No Aid Clause:**

- Educational Organizations
- All Religious Organizations
- Direct Funding
- Indirect Funding
- Strong Taxpayer Standing
- Religious Tests for Office

# **SCHOOLS & YOUTH**

- Protection from Child Marriage
- Protection from Conversion Therapy

#### **Sex Education:**

- Comprehensive Sex Education
- Abstinence Only Sex Education
- Laws that Restrict Inclusion of LGBTQ Topics
- Anti-Science Education Laws
- Elective Bible Courses
- Mandatory Religious Displays
- Prohibitions on Student Non-Discrimination Policies
- School Voucher Programs

## **HEALTH CARE & WELLNESS**

**Medical Aid-in-Dying Laws** 

#### **Religious Refusal Laws:**

- **Private Institutions May Refuse Abortions**
- Any Institution May Refuse Abortions
- Refusals Related to Contraception
- Refusals Related to Sterilization
- Professional Licensure

#### **Child Negligence Exceptions for Faith Healing:**

- **Civil Exceptions**
- Criminal Exceptions

# SPECIAL PRIVILEGES FOR RELIGION

**Religious Freedom Restoration Acts** 

# **Religious Exceptions to Enforcement:**

- Foster Care and Adoption
- Marriage Related Services
- State Officials

### Tax Exemptions for Places of Worship:

- Limited Required Filings
- Parsonage Exemptions
- Property Tax Exemptions

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