



FAQs

Where do we register a domestic partnership?

Domestic partnerships are registered with Equality Cincinnati, the leading local LGBTQ organization in Cincinnati, Ohio whose mission is to work for full equality for gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender people in Greater Cincinnati and to prevent discrimination and violence based on sexual orientation and gender identity.

How do we register our domestic partnership?

Registering is easy. Simply go to www.equalitycincinnati.org and click on the Domestic Partner Registry button. You will be connected to a form that you can directly type in your responses and register!

What do we get when we register our domestic partnership?

You will receive an Equality Cincinnati domestic partner registry certificate in the mail as well as a complimentary "registry" gift from Equality Cincinnati. Also, on each anniversary of your partnership, you will receive a celebratory communication from Equality Cincinnati.

Is there a fee to register with Equality Cincinnati?

Absolutely not! We are here to support, honor, and celebrate your partnership.

Is our declaration of domestic partnership a legal document?

No. Equality Cincinnati is a nonprofit organization who recognizes and supports the rights and relationships of our community members. Registering your domestic partnership with Equality Cincinnati does not create legal rights to your union.

If it is not a legal declaration, why should we register our domestic partnership with Equality Cincinnati's registry?

We simply want to recognize and celebrate your relationship and let you and the community know that LGBTQ relationships are valid, legitimate, and supported.

What will you do with our information?

We will not release any private details of the registry. We will release tallies of how many couples are registered in our community and we will release general demographic information in those tallies to accurately reflect the diversity of LGBTQ relationships in our community.

Who can register as domestic partners?

To register as domestic partners, both partners must:

- Both be at least 18 years of age
- Be capable of consenting to the domestic partnership

In the event we want to end our partnership, how do we terminate our registry?

Simply contact Equality Cincinnati and we will remove your partnership from the registry.