

Udbetaling Danmark's 60-Model Fraud System — Denmark's AI Welfare State Faces an Ombudsman Inquiry

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · Denmark

Quality score: 47/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

Denmark's Udbetaling Danmark runs over 60 algorithmic models to flag suspected benefits fraud. Amnesty's 2024 'Coded Injustice' report found several disproportionately target disabled, low-income, migrant and refugee claimants, prompting a Parliamentary Ombudsman inquiry.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	3/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	0/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability beyond pilot	2/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	1/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-08-25

[Udbetaling Danmark \(ATP\) / NNIT](#) — accessed 2026-08-25

[Computer Weekly — Denmark's AI-powered welfare system fuels mass surveillance](#) — accessed 2026-08-25

[Amnesty International — Coded Injustice \(Nov 2024\)](#) — accessed 2026-08-25

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