Udbetaling Danmark's Welfare Fraud-Control Algorithms — Amnesty Finds Up to 60 Models and Risks of Discrimination, the Agency Disputes It

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · Denmark

Quality score: 27/100

Evidence strength: Cautionary / limited

Summary

Amnesty International (Nov 2024) reports Denmark's benefits agency uses up to 60 algorithmic models for fraud control, with proxy data and little transparency; the agency rejects the social-scoring charge.

Key dimensions

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

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

C-NAPSE web research — accessed 2026-10-31

Udbetaling Danmark / ATP — accessed 2026-10-31

Amnesty International — Denmark report — accessed 2026-10-31

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