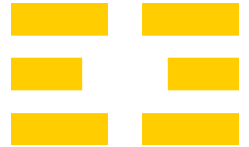


# Kezar Life Sciences, Inc.

Locations: California (HQ)

Industries: Pharmaceuticals Biotechnology and Life Sciences

RISK LEVEL:



Medium Risk

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## DESCRIPTION:

Kezar Life Sciences is Medium Risk. The company often yields to political activism in shaping corporate governance, potentially alienating consumers, dividing employees, and harming shareholders. The company implements race and identity-based policies that replace merit, excellence, and integrity with preferential treatment and outcomes. The company occasionally embraces corporate initiatives that redirect its central focus from business goals to partisan policies and divisive issues at times. This approach fails to safeguard free exercise, free speech, and free enterprise.

## Corporate Weaponization

**Has canceled customers, suppliers, or vendors due to their political views or religious beliefs OR corporately boycotts, divests, or sanctions regions, people groups, or industries. Medium Risk**

*Kezar Life Sciences integrates ESG into its business practices. From its 2024 Annual Report: "We are highly committed to policies and practices focused on environmental, social and corporate governance, or ESG, positively impacting our social community and maintaining and cultivating good corporate governance" (1). However, the company has not canceled customers, suppliers, or vendors based on political views or religious beliefs (2).*

**Charitable giving (including employee matching programs) policies or practices discriminate against charitable organizations based on views or religious beliefs. N/A**

*Kezar Life Sciences does not publish charitable giving guidelines (1).*

**Employment policies fail to protect against viewpoint or other discrimination and/or are ideological in nature. High Risk**

*Kezar Life Sciences appears to prioritize diversity over merit in its leadership composition. From its Corporate Governance Guidelines: "the Board considers diversity, age, skills, and such other factors as it deems appropriate" when reviewing Board nominees (1). The company does not provide viewpoint protections for its employees (2).*

## Corporate Governance and Public Policy

**Uses corporate reputation to support causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom of expression. Medium Risk**

*Kezar Life Sciences supports ESG within its business practices. From its 2024 Annual Report: "By focusing on such ESG policies and practices, we believe we can affect a meaningful and positive change in our community and maintain an open, collaborative and positive corporate culture" (1). Otherwise, the company has not supported ideological causes or policies (2).*

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**Uses corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies hostile to freedom of expression. Lower Risk**

*Kezar Life Sciences has not used corporate funds to advance ideological causes, organizations, or policies (1).*

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**Uses corporate political actions and/or financial contributions for ideological, non-business purposes. N/A**

*Kezar Life Sciences does not operate a PAC or engage in lobbying at this time (1)(2)(3).*

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