**Reference** Guide to

# State Statutes Governing

# Access to Court Records

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## **Reference Guide: Public Access Information**

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This reference guide is designed to provide direction to accessing court records and proceedings. It does not address access to electronic information maintained by the courts. The document is intended only as a reference guide and does not bind the courts or other agencies regarding accessibility of records. The guide is divided into four sections: **Adult, Criminal**, *Civil, Juvenile* and Miscellaneous. A subject index is available on Page 2.

Public records are open for inspection by any person at reasonable times except as provided by the Colorado Open Records Act or otherwise provided by federal or state law, Colorado Supreme Court Rule, court order or local policy. The official custodian of any public records may make local policies regarding the inspection of records that are reasonably necessary for the protection of records and prevention of unnecessary interference with the regular discharge of the duties of the custodian or the custodian's office.

The Criminal Justice Records Act (§ 24-72-301 *et.seq.*, C.R.S.) addresses court records in **criminal** proceedings. Two sections of note in the CJRA are:

- § 24-72-304 C.R.S the custodian's authority to make rules and regulations for inspection of records.
- § 24-72-305 C.R.S. the custodian's authority to deny inspection if prohibited by law, Colorado Supreme Court rule, existing court order, or if disclosure would be contrary to the public interest.

Inspection of **civil** case records is determined by the Colorado Open Records Act unless otherwise provided by law. Included in the Act are the following provisions:

- § 24-72-203(1) C.R.S. the custodian's authority to make rules and regulations regarding inspection of records.
- § 24-72-204 C.R.S. the custodian's authority to deny inspection if inspection is contrary to law, Supreme Court rule, existing court order, or if disclosure would be contrary to the public interest.

The availability of **juvenile** records is primarily determined by the Children's Code (§ 19-1-301, et. seq., C.R.S.).

Directives issued by the Colorado Supreme Court Chief Justice may impact what public access is allowed with respect to information made, maintained, or kept by the courts. This document is designed specifically as a reference tool only. Refer to the Colorado Revised Statute citations included for more specific details.

#### Orders in a particular case may govern access to specific documents. When in doubt, request guidance from the judge.

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## Adult Criminal (CR, M, T)

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Criminal Justice Records: All Documents	Books, papers, cards, photographs, tapes, recordings, or other documentation materials made, maintained or kept by a court for use in the exercise of functions required or authorized by law or administrative rule	"Official action" information is open to public access unless otherwise provided by law. All other criminal justice records access is at the discretion of the custodian.	§ 24-72-302(4)
	Mug shots	Deemed open: "photographs which are made, maintained or kept by any criminal justice agency for use in the exercise of functions required or authorized by law" and are records of an "official action."	§ 24-72-303(1)
Records of Official Actions	Records of official actions of criminal justice agencies, including criminal courts	Declared open for inspection by any person.	§ 24-72-303
	"Official actions": Arrest; indictment; charging info.; dispositions; pretrial/post trial custody release; mental/physical condition judicial determination; decision to grant/order/terminate probation/parole/participation in correctional/rehabilitative programs; and any decision to formally discipline/reclassify/ relocate under criminal sentence	Records of official actions open for inspection include these items under the definition of "official action" which shall be open to inspection by any person pursuant to § 24-72-301(2), and § 24-72-303.	§ 24-72-302(7)
	Arrest records	Open under § 24-72-303(1) unless sealed by court.	§ 24-72-308(1)
Non-Official Actions	Records other than records of official actions	Discretionary access: Gives custodian discretion in allowing access to criminal justice records that do not constitute records of "official actions" or are otherwise protected by law.	§ 24-72 304(1)

Court Record Type	Information	Accessibility	Cite for Accessibility
Court Files (CR, M, T)	Books, records, documents, indexes, calendars, orders, judgments, decrees, minutes, registers of actions in court file Materials/exhibits which are dangerous/contraband; drugs; illegal items; financial affidavits of parties; income tax returns filed in the court; separation agreements; parenting plans,; reports: pre- sentence, custody investigation, child abuse investigation; estate	Open unless declared to be private or confidential by statute or specific order.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 3.10 Chief Justice Directive 05-01 4.60(c)
	inventories/appraisals		
Chemical Blood Testing	All documents to determine genetic markers	No public access.	§ 24-72-305(1.5)
Confidential Informants	Identities and statements	Subject to withholding if disclosure may harm an ongoing investigation.	§ 24-72-305(5)
Correspondence in Files	Author	Court may order sealed any information, including basic identification information, to protect the author.	§ 24-72-308(1.5)
Electronic ICON/Eclipse Data	Bulk and compiled data requests for criminal justice records.	Requests must be submitted to the State Court Administrator's Office for availability and compliance with parameters of the directive.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 4.30; 4.40
Fees for Copies, Research	All records	Fees of Clerk of Court	§ 13-32-104 and CJD 06-01
		Reasonable fees set by agency having records not to exceed actual costs and use of equipment for the search, retrieval and copying.	§ 24-72-306(1)
		If custodian does not have copying facilities, person requesting records may be given records for copying.	§ 24-72-306(2)

HIV		Nhl's second	e 10 2 415
	Diagnostic test results and	No public access.	§ 18-3-415
	transaction records relating to tests		
		NT	8 10.2 415 5(2)(1)
	Allegations of knowledge of HIV	No public access.	§ 18-3-415.5(3)(b)
<b>T</b> (* (* )	infection in info. or indictment		8 04 70 205(5)
Investigation/	Records of law enforcement	Custodian has discretion to close.	§ 24-72-305(5)
Intelligence	investigations, the prosecuting		
Information/Security	attorney, intelligence info/security		
Procedures	procedures		
Mental Health	All documents	No public access.	§ 27-10-106(5)
Probation	All files	Not accessible to the public	Chief Justice Directive
ICON/Eclipse data			05-01 4.60(d)
Probation Records;	Official actions	Only records which are records of an official action	§ 24-72-303(1)
		of a criminal justice agency are open for inspection	
		(i.e. that an adult is on probation, for how long, terms	
		and conditions, etc.)	
Pre-sentence		No public access	Chief Justice Directive
Investigation Reports			05-01 4.60(d)
Records Sought to Use	Records of official actions,	No public access unless person making request signs	§ 24-72-305.5
for Solicitation,	criminal justice, names, addresses,	a statement affirming the records will not be used to	
Pecuniary Gain	phone numbers and other	solicit business.	
	information		
Request for Access to	Any information	Applicant can request written statement from	§ 24-72-305(6)
	-	custodian of grounds for denial. Statement must be	
Information/Records		provided within 72 hrs. and must cite law/regulation	
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Investigation Reports Records Sought to Use for Solicitation, Pecuniary Gain	criminal justice, names, addresses, phone numbers and other	No public access unless person making request signs a statement affirming the records will not be used to solicit business. Applicant can request written statement from custodian of grounds for denial. Statement must be	05-01 4.60(d) § 24-72-305.5

### Information

Accessibility

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Sealed, Confidential or Expunged Files, Data or Information*	All documents	Upon order to seal, records are deemed not to exist.	<pre>§ 24-72-308 § 24-72-308.5</pre>
	All documents	After sealed, inspection permitted only upon petition of person who is subject of records or prosecutor and only for reasons identified in petition and court order.	§ 24-72-308(1)(e)
*Sealing: Only granted where charges	If not charged, is acquitted or case dismissed	Person of interest may petition to seal arrest and criminal information.	§ 24-72-308(1)(a)(I)
not filed, acquitted or dismissed	If offense is not charged due to plea agreement in separate case or dismissal occurs as part of a plea agreement in separate case	Arrest and criminal record information may not be sealed unless 15 years has elapsed since final disposition of all criminal proceedings and no other criminal offense has been charged in the 15 years.	<pre>§ 24-72-308(1)(a)(II) § 24-72-308(1)(a)(III)</pre>
	Documents may be sealed upon petition of a person of interest	Upon finding that harm to the person's privacy or dangers of unwarranted adverse consequences outweigh public interest.	§ 24-72-308(1)(c)

Sealed Convictions for	All documents	Upon order to seal, records are deemed not to exist	24-72-308.5(2)(d)
offenses involving controlled substance		An order sealing conviction records shall not deny access to the criminal records of a defendant by any court, law enforcement agency, criminal justice agency, prosecuting attorney, or party or agency required by law to conduct a criminal history record check on an individual.	24-72-308.5(2)(a)(II)
	A defendant may petition to seal a conviction for offense involving a controlled substance.	The petition is filed ten or more years after the date of the final disposition of all criminal proceedings against the defendant or the release of the defendant from supervision, whichever is later. AND The defendant has not been charged or convicted for a criminal offense in the ten or more years since the date of the final disposition of all criminal proceedings against him or her or the date of the defendant's release from supervision, whichever is later.	24-72-308.5(a)(I)(B)
Sexual Assault or Alleged Sexual Assault	Victim IDs	Open to the public except for information identifying the victim. File marked "SEXUAL ASSAULT".	§ 24-72-304(4)
(CR, M)	Mug shots	Deemed open: "photographs which are made, maintained or kept by any criminal justice agency for use in the exercise of functions required or authorized by law" and are records of an "official action."	§ 24-72-302(4)
Treatment Information for Drug/Alcohol Abuse	All records	No public access without a release signed by the person who is the subject of the records.	42 USCS § 290dd; 42 CFR §2.1, §290ee- 3; 42 CFR § 2.35
Traffic Infractions (R), DUI Convictions (T), Unlawful Sexual Behavior (M, CR)	All records	May Not Be Sealed: Records pertaining to traffic infractions/convictions, records for driving under the influence of alcohol/drugs, and convictions for offenses involving unlawful sexual behavior.	§ 24-72-308(3)

Court Record Type	Ι
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## Civil (C, CV, DR, PR, S)

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Court Files (C, CV, DR, PR, S)	Books, records, documents, indexes, calendars, orders, judgments, decrees, minutes, registers of actions in court file	Open unless declared to be private or confidential by statute or specific order.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 3.10/ 4.10
	Parties' financial affidavits; income tax returns filed in the court; credit reports, separation agreements; parenting plans,; reports; custody investigation	No Public Access	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 4.60(d)
CBI Criminal Background Reports	All documents	No public access. Access must be gained directly from CBI who is the official custodian of these records.	CBI and FBI policy and CBI is the official repository for criminal history information§24- 33.5-412(6)
Child Custody	Written reports and evaluations concerning custodial arrangements	Confidential and not available for public inspection unless ordered by court; includes arrangements for children made in child custody proceedings.	<pre>§ 14-10-127(1)(a) (II) § 14-10-126(2)</pre>
	Hearings	May be closed to the public by the court.	§ 14-10-128(3)

Domestic Relations (DR)	Court location and type, case type and number, filing date, events entered in case, scheduled events and held dates, case status, petitioner's and respondent's names and relationship in case, attorney information, summary financial information	Open to public. Other parties may include children, which are protected by statute.	Colorado Rules of Civil Procedure
Fees for Copies and Research	All records	Fees of Clerk of Court	§ 13-32-104 and CJD 06-01
Investigation Records	Law enforcement reports, any investigation records, intelligence information/security procedures of any sheriff, prosecuting attorney or police department, or any law enforcement investigatory file	Discretionary denial.	§ 24-72-204(2)(a)(I)
Medical, Sociological Psychological Psychiatric Records	Individual records, reports submitted to judge, evaluations	No public access. Open to persons of interest or if specific individuals cannot be identified.	§ 24-72-204 (3)(a)(I)

Court Record Type	Information	Accessibility	Cite for Accessibility
Requests for Inspection of Court Records	Written or oral	Inspection must be done "at reasonable times." Custodian can make "reasonably necessary" rules to prevent impacting normal office operations.	§ 24-72 203(1)(a)
		If requested records are not in custody/control of person to whom application is made, that person must immediately notify applicant.	§ 24-72 203(2)(a)
		If records are in active use/storage, custodian shall immediately notify applicant. Applicant may request custodian set date and hour of notification when records will be available.	§ 24-72 203(3)(a)
		Reasonable time after request is presumed to be 3 days (day one is the first day after receipt of the request), extended up to 7. If extenuating circumstances (a large category or broad request), custodian must notify requestor of delay in writing within 3 days.	§ 24-72 203(3)(b)

Court Record Type	Information	Accessibility	Cite for Accessibility
Request for Access to Information Initial Request is Denied by Custodian	Any information	If custodian denies access to requested record, applicant may request written statement of grounds for denial, with citation to law, regulation or court order denying access.	§ 24-72-204(4)
		Inspection may be denied under a specific statute requiring records be confidential, or when the custodian has applied for and been granted a court order permitting restricted disclosure on grounds that disclosure would do substantial public interest injury.	§ 24-72-204(6)
		Inspection may be denied when inspection would be contrary to Supreme Court rule or any court order.	§ 24-72-204(1) § 24-72-204(5)
		If inspection of any public records is denied, person who requested record may file application with district court in district where the records are located.	
Probate (PR, PW)	Wills: of living (PW)	Wills deposited with the court cannot be accessed while party is living unless by party of interest or his/her representative.	§ 15-11-515
	Wills: of deceased	Lodged wills: available unless sealed by court.	§ 15-11-516
	Medical reports submitted to judge	No public access.	§ 24-72-204(1)
Sexual Harassment Complaints and Investigations	All records	Available for public inspection IF in court files and records of court proceedings.	§ 24-72-204(3)(a) (X)

Court Record Type	Information	Accessibility	Cite for Accessibility
Scholastic/Student Achievement Records	Individual information	Pupil test scores: confidential, may not be disclosed except with written consent of the person in interest.	§ 24-72-204(3)(a)(I)
		Parent can grant written consent for disclosure.	§ 24-72-204(3)(e)(I) (C)
		School records which identify individual scholastic achievement data not open to public access.	§ 24-72-204(3)(a)(I)

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# Juvenile (JA, JD, JR, JV)

Court Files	All records	No public access: Unless authorized by statute or	§ 19-1-301, et.seq.,
(JA, JD, JR, JV)		court order.	C.R.S. 100+
General Proceedings	All proceedings	The general public shall not be excluded unless the	§ 19-1-106(2)
(JD, JV)		court determines that it is in the best interest of the	
		child or community to exclude them. In such event,	
		the court shall admit only such persons as have an	
		interest in the case or the work of the court,	
		including persons whom the district attorney,	
		county/city attorney, child, parents, guardian, or	
		other custodian of the child wish to be present.	
Adoption	All records and proceedings	No public access. Includes adult and children's	§ 19-1-309
(JA)		adoptions.	
	Information provided to state	Inspection by anyone, only upon order of the court	§ 19-1-309,
	registrar of vital statistics	for good cause shown. Upon appointment by the	§ 19-5-304
		court, a confidential intermediary can view the file	
		on behalf of party motioning the court.	
		Birth parents and adoptee shall not be disclosed	§ 25-2-113.5(9)
		under any public records law or Freedom of	
		Information Act.	
		Adoptions after Sept. 1, 1999, may be open to the	§ 19-5-305(2)(b)
		parties including birth parent(s) and adult adoptee	
		unless birth parent has requested information remain	
		confidential.	
Arrest/Criminal	All records	Open public record if juvenile is charged:	
Records		• as an adult in district court (CR) or	§ 19-1-304(5)
(CR, M, T)		• filed on in county court (M, T).	§ 19-2-104

Court Record Type	Information	Accessibility	Cite for Accessibility
Child Abuse (JV)	Reports of abuse or neglect including name/address of child; family/informant; and any other identifying information	No public access. Provision covers entire contents of a child abuse report and related records.	§ 19-1-307(1)(a)
	Records of deceased child	No public access however, disclosure is not prohibited when the death is of a suspected victim of abuse/neglect; the death becomes a matter of public record, and is the subject of an arrest and formal criminal charge.	§ 19-1-307(1)(b)
	Confidential child abuse records	No public access: Disclosure is Class 2 petty offense.	§ 19-1-307(1)(c)
Delinquency (JD)	Individual files	Generally no public access: Individual files can be released to persons such as: juvenile and parents, attorneys of record, guardian ad litem (GAL), child protection team, probation dept., victim.	§ 19-1-303,
		See exceptions depending upon classification of charge or adjudication.	§ 19-1-304(1)(b.5)
	Hearings	Open to general public unless the court finds that it is in the best interest of the juvenile to exclude them.	§ 19-2-110
	Probation records	No public access.	§ 19-1-304(1)(c)
Dependency & Neglect (JV)	Individual files	No public access: Individual files can be released to parties of record.	§ 19-1-303, § 19-1-307
Hearings, Juvenile (JD, JV)	Names/information	Information, including names, in juvenile cases can be published if gathered legally in open public hearing.	People v. Denver Publishing Co., Inc 198 Colo. 213, 597 P.2d 1038 (1979)

HIV	Diagnostic test results and transaction records relating to tests	No public access.	§ 18-3-415
	Allegations of knowledge of HIV infection contained in information or indictment	No public access.	§ 18-3-415.5(3)(b)
Judicial Bypass	All records/ proceedings	No public access.	Chapter 23.5 Rules of Civil Procedure
Mental Health (MH)	All information obtained, records prepared in the course of providing any services to	No public access: Open cases can be released to parties of record.	§ 27-10-107
	individuals	Closed cases not releasable.	§ 27-10-120
Relinquishment (JR)	All records/ proceedings in any action by natural parent	No public access without court order.	§ 19-1-309
Paternity & Support (JV, DR)	All papers and records of proceedings to establish paternity	No public access and not subject to inspection except with consent of court and all interested parties or upon court order for good cause shown.	§ 19-1-307
	Records in proceedings	No public access: Case attorneys, parties, and child support unit may see case; other restrictions as per court order	§ 19-1-301
	Child support enforcement records.	No public access unless all parties and the court consent	§ 19-1-308
		No public access: Records collected and used in connection with child support enforcement proceedings and investigations are confidential.	§ 26-13-102.7
Probation Records (JD)	All records	No public access. Available to persons who have consent of the court, law enforcement officers, CBI, and others specifically outlined in § 19-1-304(c).	§ 19-1-304(1)(c)
Student Records	Public schools: Student info.	No public access.	§ 24-72-204(3)(a)(I)

Court Record Type	Information	Accessibility	Cite for Accessibility
Truancy	All documents	No public access: Case attorneys and parties, school	§ 19-1-303(2)(c)
(JV)		district (petitioner) and GAL can access case.	

#### Cite for Accessibility

		Miscellaneous	
Court Records (C, CR, CV, CW, DR, M, PR, R, S, T)	Judgment record and register of actions	Open to inspection during office hours	§ 13-1-119
	Books, records, pleadings, filings, documents, indexes, calendars, orders, judgments, decrees, dockets, minutes, registers of actions and any other materials in any court	Open unless declared to be private or confidential by statute or specific order.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 3.10 (a) 3.10 (b) 4.10 4.60
AIDS Tests	Results of positive tests	No public access: Results of positive tests, when submitted to the Colorado Department of Health, are strictly confidential and disclosure is misdemeanor.	§ 25-4-1404, § 25-4-1409
Autopsy Reports	Individual information	Open unless the "substantial injury to the public interest" standard is met.	<ul> <li>§ 24-72-204(3)(a)(I);</li> <li>(6)(a); Freedom</li> <li>Newspapers Inc., v.</li> <li>Bowerman, 739 P.2d</li> <li>881 (Colo. App. 1987).</li> </ul>
	Coroners' reports	Public records open to inspection. Reports are specifically excluded from the general medical records exemption § 24-72-204 (3)(a)(I).	Denver Publishing Co. V. Dreyfus
		A report on a homicide victim may be withheld from public inspection only if creates "substantial injury to the public interest."	Freedom Newspapers, Inc. v. Bowerman; Bodelson v. Denver Post Corp.
Bulk Data	Entire ICON/ECLIPSE database: includes subset of entire database remaining after extraction of all data that is confidential under law.	Bulk data not released to individuals, government agencies or private entities.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 4.30
Collections Information	Documents/information obtained by collections investigators	No public access: information may be available to victim or party with whom judicial dept. has contracted for collection of past due restitution.	§ 16-18.5-104(3)(d)

### Information

Compiled Data	Data derived from selection,	Non-confidential ICON/Eclipse database data open to	Chief Justice
r r	aggregation or reformulation of	public access as provided in CJD. Requests must be	Directive 05-01
	specific data elements within	submitted to the State Court Administrator's Office.	4.40
	ICON/Eclipse database		
Court Decisions	Decisions of record	No public access until publicly announced.	§ 13-1-128(1)
		Pre-disclosure is Class 6 felony.	§ 13-1-128 (4)
Deliberative Process	All materials including but not	No public access.	§ 24-72-202(b)
Denoerative Flocess	limited to files/fields/codes, draft	No public access.	§ 24-72-202(0) § 24-72-204
	opinions, notes or internal memos		S 24-72-204 Caselaw
Data Matching	Felony, misdemeanor, traffic data	Requires name and date of birth be provided to State	Caselaw Chief Justice
Data Watching	to include register of actions	Court Administrator's Office for match.	Directive 05-01 4.40
	showing case number, judge,	Court Administrator's Office for match.	(2)
	county, scheduled date,		(2)
	time/location of court proceedings,		
	judgments, orders/decrees,		
	charges, pleas, findings/sentences		
	in criminal cases, documents filed		
Credit Reports	All items	Excluded from public access	Chief Justice
credit reports			Directive 05-01 4.60
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Driver's License/	Information from drivers' licenses,	No public access.	§ 24-72-204(7)(a)
Motor Vehicle	applications, motor vehicle		~ ~ ~ ~ ~ ~ / ~ /
Records	registrations, other motor vehicle		
	records, when records are		
	maintained by Colorado Dept. of		
	Revenue or its agent		

E-filed Documents	E-filing currently in civil cases	Available by remote access unless public access	Chief Justice
	only.	restricted pursuant to CJD 05-01 (4.60). Public access	Directive 05-01
		terminals available for viewing cases in paper-on-	4.60
		demand clerks' offices. "E-filed only" documents	
		will be printed and provided for reviewing at no cost	
		if a public access terminal is not available at a court	
		location. Normal copying charges to be assessed if	
		copies are removed from the clerk's office.	
Sealed Records	All records	No access as records are deemed to no longer exist	§ 24-72-308 et.seq.
		and their existence will not be acknowledged	CJD 05-01, 4.10(b)
			4.60
Grand Jury	All proceedings	No public access until an indictment is made public	Colo. R. Crim. P.
		or a grand jury report is issued. Court personnel can	6.2(s a); In re <i>P.R. v</i> .
		neither confirm nor deny if a grand jury is meeting.	District Court, 637
			P.2d 346 (Colo. 1981)
	Juror information	Limited public access to juror names/numbers.	§ 13-72-103
Health Insurance	Individual identifiable health	No public access without consent of the individual.	§ 10-16-1003
Information	information collected/maintained		3 10 10 1000
	by health insurance/health		
	provider networks		
Inquest Verdicts	Name of person jury believes	If it is found in an inquest into the death of a person	§ 30-10-613
	committed crime	that a crime has been committed on the deceased, and	
		the report names the person who the jury believes	
		committed the crime, the inquest is not to be made	
		public until after the suspect has been arrested.	
Jury Lists	Name/number of prospective	Limited public access to names as outlined in statute.	§ 13-71-136
	jurors		
Jury Questionnaires	Access to completed juror	No public access.	§ 13-71-115
	questionnaire forms		CJD 05-01 4.60(d)
Medical Records	All records	It is a criminal offense to obtain/use medical records	§ 18-4-412
		without the consent of the individual involved.	0.05.10.100(1)
Mental Health Records	Mental health facility patients	No public access.	§ 27-10-120(1)

Number of Files Available Per Person Per Day	All file types	Official custodian of any public records may make such rules with reference to the inspection as are reasonably necessary to protect the records and prevent unnecessary interference with the regular discharge of the duties of the custodian or the custodian's office.	\$24-72-203(1) \$24-72-304(1)
Nursing Facilities	Statutory right of privacy	No public access: Nursing facility patients have statutory privacy rights.	§ 25-1-120(1)
Physician Peer Review Records	All records produced in peer review proceedings	No public access.	§ 13-90-107(2)
Public Facilities/ Services Users	Addresses/telephone numbers/ personal financial information	No public access under Colorado Open Records Act.	§ 24-72-203(3)(a) (XI)
Remote Access to Court Data	Litigant/party indexes to cases; listings of case filings, including primary parties' names; register of actions showing case number, judge, county, scheduled date, time/location of court proceedings, judgments, orders/decrees, charges, pleas, findings/sentences in criminal cases, list of documents filed	Available by remote access unless public access restricted pursuant to section 4.60 of Chief Justice Directive 05-01.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 4.20 4.60

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Research Fees	All case types	No research fees assessed in open cases to media and parties of the case. Research fee up to \$5 assessed for all non-parties in closed cases. Fee may be assessed per case number or name. If extensive review/research/redactions required, fee for time may be assessed at the rate of \$25/hour. Clerk of Court Fees	<ul> <li>§ 24-72-205 (2)</li> <li>§ 24-72-205 (3)</li> <li>Chief Justice Directive 06-01; 05- 01 (6.0)</li> <li>§ 13-32-104</li> </ul>
Register of Actions: from ICON/Eclipse data base	Information from ICON/Eclipse	Data requests for the register of actions, name index, and financial summaries for individual cases may be printed and provided by court personnel. Public portions of this information are available through https://www.cocourtdata.com/ record search services.	Chief Justice Directive 05-01 4.10, 4.20
Social Security Numbers	All	No public access	USCA § 405(C)(2)(C)(vii)(I), Section 7 Privacy Act 1974
Traffic Accident Reports	Accident report maintained by the Colo. Dept of Revenue or its agent	Not subject to public access under CORA	§ 24-72-204(7)(a)

C County Civil CR Felony CV District Civil CW Civil Water DR Domestic Relations F Felony JA Adoption JD Juvenile Delinquency JV Juvenile Non-Criminal JR Relinquishment of Child M Misdemeanor/Petty Offense MH Mental Health PR Guardianships, Conservatorship & Estates (deceased) PW Probate (living) R Traffic infractions S Small Claims T Traffic offenses