



LGBTQ+ Legal Resources

Navigation Services



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The Center on Colfax

303-733-7743

1301 E Colfax Ave, Denver, CO 80218

www.glbtcolorado.org

- A nonprofit community center for Colorado's gay, lesbian, bisexual, and transgender population.
 - Fill out online form to be referred to LGBTQ+-friendly legal representation.
 - <https://lgbtqcolorado.org/programs/legal/legal-referral/>

Colorado LGBT Bar Association

303-282-6534

<http://coloradoglbtbar.org/>

- Voluntary professional association of LGBTQ+ attorneys, judges, paralegals, and law students who provide an LGBTQ+ presence in the Colorado legal community.
- Website has a "find an attorney" tool for finding a lawyer if needed.

Lambda Legal

312-663-4413 (Midwest office)

1-866-542-8336 (legal help desk)

<http://www.lambdalegal.org/states-regions/colorado>

- Oldest and largest national legal organization whose mission is to achieve full recognition of the civil rights of LGBTQ+ people and those with HIV through impact litigation, education, and public policy work.
- Legal Help Desk provides information and resources regarding discrimination related to sexual orientation, gender identity and expression, and HIV status
- Lambda Legal will only represent individuals in some cases. One's that have the greatest impact in protecting and advancing the rights of LGBTQ+ people and those with HIV.

National Center for Lesbian Rights

1-800-528-6257 (legal helpline)

<http://www.nclrights.org/>

- The NCLR has been advancing the civil and human rights of LGBT people and their families through litigation, legislation, policy, and public education.
- Online legal resources and help for specific LGBT related issues.
- Submit legal question and NCLR representative will get in contact with you.

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American Civil Liberties Union

303-777-5482

<https://www.aclu.org/issues/lgbtq-rights>

- The state's oldest and largest civil rights organization, ACLU provides legal representation to protect and defend civil liberties, as well as legal advocacy outside the courtroom.
- To ask the ACLU for legal assistance, you must write a letter or send an e-mail or fax. **All requests must be made in writing and must include information specified on ACLU website:** <http://aclu-co.org/need-legal-help/>
- The ACLU of Colorado does not review requests for legal assistance in person or over the telephone. Complete online form or send the request to:
 - Intake Department
 - ACLU of Colorado
 - 303 E. 17th Ave., Suite 350
 - Denver, CO 80203
 - Attn: Legal Intake
 - (OR)** e-mail to intake@aclu-co.org
 - (OR)** fax to 303-777-1773

Colorado Civil Rights Division

303-894-2997 (main line), 1-800-886-7675 (toll-free)

1560 Broadway, Suite 1050, Denver, CO 80202-5143

<https://ccrd.colorado.gov/>

- The Division works to eliminate discrimination in employment, housing, and places of public accommodation under Colorado Civil Rights Laws.
- Investigates alleged discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation (including gender identity) and provides dispute mediation.
- No legal representation is required to file a complaint or provided after a complaint is filed.
- Please contact the office or visit the website for filing deadlines and detailed information packets.
- Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:00AM-5:00PM
- *Services also offered in Spanish*

Denver Anti-Discrimination Office

720-913-8458 (main line), 720-913-8475 (TTY)

201 W Colfax, Dept 1102, Denver, CO 80202

<https://www.denvergov.org/Government/Agencies-Departments-Offices/Agencies-Departments-Offices-Directory/Human-Rights-Community-Partnerships/Programs-Initiatives/Anti-Discrimination>

- Investigates complaints regarding violations of the Denver Anti-Discrimination Ordinance.
- Offers assistance preparing a formal charge of discrimination in the areas of employment, housing and commercial space, public accommodations, educational institutions, and health and welfare services.
- Call or submit online referral form for assistance.
- The act of discrimination must have taken place within the boundaries of the City and County of Denver.

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Boulder Human Relations Commission

Contact Christian Phillips, Board Secretary: 303-413-7437 – phillipsc1@bouldercolorado.gov

1777 Broadway, Boulder, CO 80302

<https://bouldercolorado.gov/government/board-commission/human-relations-commission>

- Enforces the Boulder Human Rights Ordinance (which protects individuals in employment, housing, and public accommodations on the bases of gender variance and sexual orientation) by serving as a quasi-judicial hearing board for human rights ordinance cases.

Modern Military

<https://modernmilitary.org/programs/advocacy-strategic-litigation/>

- Offers legal and advocacy information for LGBTQ+ veterans and military families

Online Resources

Transgender Map

www.transgendermap.com

- Provides social, legal, medical, financial resources and education materials.

Transgender Law Center

www.transgenderlawcenter.org

Colorado Name Change Project

www.namechangeproject.org

- A resource that provides information and forms on how to update your name gender marker in the State of Colorado.