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Colorado statewide criminal history [checks](#) are normally obtained from the Colorado Department of Public Safety Crime Information Center, Colorado Bureau of Investigation. The Corporation for National and Community Service encourages its grantees to use this law enforcement supported database of criminal history information as their preferred Colorado statewide check.

However, CNCS now accepts name-based checks that have been obtained using a combined check of the Colorado Judicial Branch (CJB) records with a check of the Denver County Court records as an alternate source of Colorado statewide criminal history information. For our purposes we are calling this combined court records check a “Colorado Combined Court Records Check (CCCRC).”

If a program opts to use the CCCRC, it must check and retain the results from two systems. The first system is operated by the CJB’s Judicial Business Integrated with Technology Services (JBITS) office. This [first check](#) can be accessed at where you select one of two CJB authorized service providers to check court records from 63 of 64 Colorado counties (Denver County is omitted). The [second check](#) is the Denver County Court Record Search. Neither the CJB/JBITS nor Denver County has authorized bulk data sales of court case information therefore the only acceptable way these checks can be performed is by using single name, real time searches.

Corporation grantees do not need CNCS approval to use the CCCRC as their source for statewide Colorado criminal history checks. A CCCRC screening formed from the results of both the CJB/JBITS and Denver County searches would be the criminal history information result retained to reflect checking Colorado statewide criminal history information.