

**ARE YOU CLOSING THE DOOR TO  
YOUR FUTURE?**



**KNOW THE CONSEQUENCES  
OF YOUR ACTIONS**

Is it true that a juvenile criminal charge will limit a young person's future opportunities?

**Yes, it is true. Although juvenile records are not generally open to the public, there are many ways juvenile records can be made public and ways private juvenile records can be accessed. Access to these records can significantly limit a young person's opportunities in the future.**

DID YOU KNOW...



- Juveniles charged with committing or attempting to commit a felony, must provide a DNA sample if the judge puts the offense on his/her record.
- A juvenile with a crime of violence on his/her record is not allowed to ship, transport, possess or receive a firearm for the remainder of their lifetime.

## **DNA / FIREARMS-HUNTING**

## Did You Know...

- Committing a crime against children, a crime involving violence, a crime involving physical assault, and/or a drug related crime may prevent your family from being able to adopt a child, and/or provide foster or daycare.
- A finding of guilt may prevent you from receiving public benefits and housing.
- Public housing authorities have the right to evict families of delinquent children, even if their behavior does not occur on public housing property.
- Public records can be collected by companies who sell the data to landlords.

## **FAMILY IMPLICATIONS**

## Did You Know...

- If a juvenile is found guilty, and the judge puts the offense on his/her record, a copy of the court order is sent to the principal of the juvenile's school if the offense happened on school property; or the offense involved: assault of any degree, a controlled substance crime of any degree, criminal sexual conduct of any degree, death/injury while driving a motor vehicle illegally, false imprisonment, first degree arson, first/second degree burglary, harassment, kidnapping, death/murder, possession or use of a dangerous weapon, stalking, tampering with a witness, and/or terroristic threats.
- Having a criminal history may limit your ability to apply or be accepted into the college of your choice. On-campus housing may also be limited.

## **EDUCATION**

## Did You Know...

- A juvenile found guilty of first degree murder, kidnapping, criminal sexual conduct, indecent exposure, false imprisonment, soliciting a minor to engage in prostitution, sexual conduct or a sexual performance, possession of pictorial representations of minors, or a related offense, is ***required to register*** as a predatory offender ranging from ten years to a lifetime, if the judge puts the offense on his/her record.
- Registered juvenile offenders, who are not following registration requirements and are over the age of 16, will have their information made public.
- Every state has different registration requirements, which you must follow prior to moving.

# **PREDATORY OFFENDER REGISTRATION**

## Did You Know...

- Your driver's license may be suspended or taken away if you do not go to school.
- Your driver's license may be suspended if you violate any law involving a motor vehicle.
- Any driving offense is public record and will be reported to the Department of Public Safety.
- Your driver's license will be taken away for offenses including, but not limited to:
  - ❖ Death or injury resulting from the operation of a motor vehicle
  - ❖ Fleeing from a peace officer in a motor vehicle
  - ❖ Felony involving the use of a motor vehicle
  - ❖ Speeding in excess of 100 miles per hour
  - ❖ Controlled substance offense involving the use of a motor vehicle
  - ❖ DWI conviction under the age of 21
  - ❖ Underage drink and drive

## **DRIVER'S LICENSE**

## Did You Know...

- A finding of guilt may prevent military service.
- Public records can be collected by companies who sell the data to employers.
- Retailers maintain a database of individuals who have been stopped for shoplifting in their store. They share this information with other stores, who may use it to deny employment.
- Being charged with a crime of violence or a crime against a child may limit employment, including volunteer/intern opportunities, ranging from seven years to a lifetime with:
  - ❖ schools
  - ❖ daycare providers
  - ❖ foster care
  - ❖ childcare
  - ❖ personal care
  - ❖ hospitals
  - ❖ nursing homes

**EMPLOYMENT / MILITARY**

*Local Police Departments*

Becker Police Department 763-261-4300  
Big Lake Police Department 763-263-2500  
Elk River Police Department 763-635-1260 or [www.elkrivermn.gov](http://www.elkrivermn.gov)  
Princeton Police Department 763-389-4879 or [princetonpd@princetonpolice.com](mailto:princetonpd@princetonpolice.com)

*County Offices*

[www.co.sherburne.mn.us](http://www.co.sherburne.mn.us)  
Sherburne County Attorney's Office 763-765-4725 or 1-800-433-5244  
Sherburne County Health and Human Services 763-765-4014 or 1-800-433-5239  
Sherburne County Probation 763-765-4550 or 1-800-438-0574  
Sherburne County Sheriff's Department 763-765-3500

*Mental Health*

CMMHC Crisis Hotline 1-800-635-8008  
Crisis Connection 612-379-6363  
Four County Crisis Response 1-800-635-8008 or 320-253-5555  
[www.mnmentalhealth.org](http://www.mnmentalhealth.org)  
[www.mnhelp.org/public](http://www.mnhelp.org/public)  
National Hope/Suicide Line 1-800-784-2433  
United Way 211

*Mentorship Programs*

Big Brother/Big Sister 320-253-1616  
Boys & Girls Club 763-241-5000 or 763-856-5000  
Kinship 763-631-5967  
Timberbay 763-241-4856 or 612-328-5959

*Sober Support*

Alcoholics Anonymous  
[www.aameetinglocator.org](http://www.aameetinglocator.org)  
[www.AAMinneapolis.org](http://www.AAMinneapolis.org)  
952-922-0880  
Crystal Meth Anonymous  
[www.CrystalMeth.org](http://www.CrystalMeth.org)  
1-855-638-4373  
Narcotics Anonymous  
[www.NAMinnesota.org](http://www.NAMinnesota.org)  
952-939-3939

# RESOURCES

Sponsored By:  
Elk River Police Department  
Sherburne County Attorney's Office  
Sherburne County Commissioners  
Sherburne County Health and Human Services  
Sherburne County Probation  
Sherburne County Sheriff's Department