



Resource List for Colorado Families

Wrightslaw - <https://www.wrightslaw.com/>

Parents, educators, advocates, and attorneys come to [Wrightslaw](https://www.wrightslaw.com/) for accurate, reliable information about special education law, education law, and advocacy for children with disabilities.

Council of Parent Attorneys and Advocates (COPAA) – <https://www.copaa.org/>

COPAA's mission is to protect and enforce the legal and civil rights of students with disabilities and their families. Our primary goal is to secure high quality educational services and to promote excellence in advocacy.

Colorado Department of Education - <http://www.cde.state.co.us/cdesped>

This office administers both the state's Exceptional Children's Educational Act (ECEA) and the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) for children with disabilities. It is a resource for teachers, administrators, and parents of students with exceptional educational needs due to disability, or learners who are culturally and/or linguistically diverse or have some other special need. The Office of Special Education is one of three offices within the Exceptional Student Services Unit (along with the [Office of Facility Schools](#) and the [Office of Gifted Education](#)).

Disability Law Center - <https://disabilitylawco.org/>

Disability Law Colorado protects and promotes the rights of people with disabilities and older people in Colorado through [direct legal representation](#), [advocacy](#), [education](#) and [legislative analysis](#).

Rocky Mountain Children's Law Center - <https://childlawcenter.org/>

RMCLC transform the lives of abused, neglected and at-risk children and youth through compassionate legal advocacy, clinical services, education and public policy reform.

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