



Trans Health Project

Working for Transgender Equal Rights

Colorado Health Insurance Guidance

Colorado has explicit insurance guidance on transgender-related health care.

Bulletins and Announcements:

Bulletin: [Bulletin No. B-4.49, Insurance Unfair Practices Act Prohibitions on Discrimination Based on Sexual Orientation \(2013\)](#)

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Summary:

Interprets insurance non-discrimination law to prohibit the denial, exclusion, or limitation of “coverage for medically necessary services . . . if the item or service would be provided based on current standards of care to another individual without regard to their sexual orientation,” which is defined in Colorado to include “transgender status.”

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