

Code of Colorado Regulations on public accommodations (6 CCR 1010-14).

Let's start with some definitions:

CO Rev Stat § 24-34-601 (2016) states: "**place of public accommodation**" means **any place of business engaged in any sales to the public** and any place offering services, facilities, privileges, advantages, or accommodations to the public, including but not limited to any business offering **wholesale or retail sales to the public**; any place to eat, drink, sleep, or rest, or any combination thereof; any sporting or recreational area and facility; any public transportation facility; a barber shop, bathhouse, swimming pool, bath, steam or massage parlor, gymnasium, or other establishment conducted to serve the health, appearance, or physical condition of a person; a campsite or trailer camp; a dispensary, clinic, **hospital**, convalescent home, or other institution for the sick, ailing, aged, or infirm; a mortuary, undertaking parlor, or cemetery; an educational institution; or any public building, park, arena, theater, hall, auditorium, museum, library, exhibit, or public facility of any kind whether indoor or outdoor. "Place of public accommodation" shall not include a church, synagogue, mosque, or other place that is principally used for religious purposes.

The definition for a "**Dwelling**" in the State of Colorado is this:

"Any building which is wholly or partly used or intended to be used for **living or sleeping by human occupants.**"

Are we all in agreement that a grocery store for example, is **NOT** considered a "dwelling"? I think so.

Let's dive into **Criminal Trespass** now.

18-4-502 C.R.S. provides:

A person commits the crime of first-degree criminal trespass if such person **knowingly and unlawfully** enters or remains in a **dwelling** of another or if such person enters any motor vehicle with intent to commit a crime therein.

The keys to first-degree trespass are:

- The property is someone's home, or
- The property is someone's motor vehicle and you are entering it to commit a crime (such as auto theft).

There is a second and third degree, but for education purposes, we will just dive into the first one since this is what they will be trying to charge you with.

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This code even offers a few examples of a defense against a criminal trespass charge.

- You had the property owner's consent to be on the property.
- **You were lawfully on the property.**
- You didn't know you were entering private property.
- You didn't know you were entering agricultural land.
- You didn't intend to commit a crime on the property.
- **The premises don't qualify as a dwelling.**

Again, a grocery store for example, does not qualify as a dwelling.

A prosecutor will have to prove:

- the person knowingly and unlawfully enters or remains in a dwelling of another; or ● the person knowingly enters any motor vehicle with the intent to commit a crime in the vehicle.

Going into a grocery store to buy food, does not make the definition of unlawfully entering. It is open to the PUBLIC, selling goods and food to the public. And again, does not qualify as a dwelling.

It goes without saying that any store "policy" that infringes on federal and state laws is null and void.

Remember to keep the **Notice of Discrimination with you**. This can be used on ANYONE who is discriminating against you. Once complete, don't forget to submit the actual complaint to the DOJ. Keep a copy of the **Don't Tread On Me** letter with you as well. To educate the Officers or any other official trying to intimidate or coerce you into following these unlawful edicts.

Remember, the definition of **Domestic Terrorism** is: Acts that "**appear to be intended—to intimidate or coerce a civilian population**" are acts of domestic terrorism.

Friends, you are NOT breaking any laws by entering a public place without a mask on. ZERO laws. Keep the faith and realize you are not alone!

If you do happen to see yourself in an **EMERGENCY** situation (i.e. cops called for not allowing your entry), please call the Constitutional Law Groups emergency hotline: **888-983-4616**.

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