

# Colorado Legal Services monthly report



## WHO WE ARE

Colorado's statewide nonprofit legal aid program of committed public servants, including attorneys, paralegals, intake specialists, and administrative professionals, that has been serving Coloradans since 1925. We provide civil legal assistance—which does not include criminal or traffic matters—to low-income individuals and older Coloradans throughout the state.

## THIS MONTH'S HIGHLIGHT

*The Colorado ID Project, a collaboration among CLS, Metro Caring Colorado Coalition for the Homeless, Adams County, and Denver Department of Human Services, is on track for a record year of helping Coloradans obtain IDs. People need IDs to apply for housing, jobs, government benefits, and many other needs. The CLS ID Project represented 481 people in the first half of 2023 on identification issues.*

## TOP CASES OPENED



### HOUSING

Colorado Legal Services opened 381 housing-related cases in July. These include eviction issues, landlord/tenant disputes, and other matters.



### FAMILY AND SAFETY

Colorado Legal Services opened 209 family-related cases in July. These include domestic violence issues, divorce, and other matters.



### CONSUMERS

Colorado Legal Services opened 96 consumer-related cases in July. These include helping people with bankruptcy, debt collection issues, and other matters.

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CASES OPENED IN JULY

# 6,849

CASES OPENED SO FAR  
IN 2023