

THE BRIEF

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An electronic update for the legal community providing a brief look at news in Eau Claire County Courts

COVID-19 and the Eau Claire County Circuit Courts Status Update

The Stakeholders Committee will be meeting on April 8th to discuss the Courts transition toward in-person appearances and jury trials.

Eviction Moratorium

The CDC has again extended the [Order Regarding the Temporary Halt in Residential Evictions](#). It is now in effect through June 30, 2021 unless extended, modified or rescinded.

Pretrial Services

Eau Claire County Pretrial Services is a program that was implemented toward the end of 2020 as part of a national initiative for pretrial reform. A Defendant's participation in the program is at the discretion and order from the court. The program is monitored by James Deziel, Pretrial Services Coordinator, and works in conjunction with the Community Transition Center to follow evidence-based practices in pretrial release and detention to support the goals of maximizing public safety, court appearance, and release rate.

Copies of Transcripts

If you wish to obtain a copy of a transcript that is in the CCAP case file, we highly recommend you contact the Court Reporter to purchase a copy directly from them. Once you have paid the Court Reporter their fee, if you are a party in the case, they will enable your electronic access. If you are not a party in the case, they will send you a copy of the transcript. If you request the transcript from the Clerk's Office, we are required to charge the statutory fee of \$1.25/page.

Clerk of Court's Lobby Remodeling Project

The lobby project is now complete with the exception of a few small items! A HUGE thank you goes out to everyone who helped make this a reality! We love it!



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