

COLLIN COUNTY DISTRICT COURTS STANDING ORDER
REGARDING ONLINE PUBLICATION OF SENSITIVE DATA

Tex. R. Civ. P. 21c defines Sensitive Data and prohibits attorneys and parties from filing documents containing unredacted sensitive data. Documents that contain sensitive data in violation of this rule must not be posted on the internet.

Without taking a position on whether the following types of documents should be filed with a court, the courts recognize the risk that these documents may contain sensitive data protected under Rule 21c or other laws. Therefore, the following documents will not be made available on the internet:

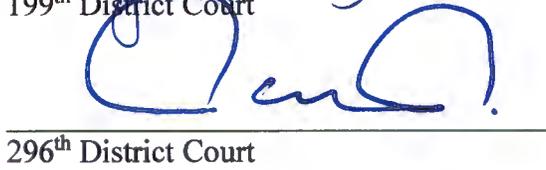
- Custody evaluations,
- Psychological evaluations,
- Drug test results,
- Full DFPS Case Records,
- Mental health records, and
- Medical records.

The District Clerk may, without further order of the court, restrict the above-listed documents from being posted on the internet. However, these documents are not sealed unless a party obtains a court order sealing the document.

If a document must contain unredacted sensitive data, the filing party must notify the clerk by marking it “NOTICE: THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS SENSITIVE DATA.” The District Clerk may, without further order of the court, restrict any document so marked from being posted on the internet. However, these documents are not sealed unless a party obtains a court order sealing the document.

Rule 21c requires sensitive data to be redacted. If a filed document contains unredacted sensitive data in violation of the rule, the clerk may require or allow the party to resubmit a redacted, substitute document pursuant to Rule 21c(e), which may be posted on the internet.


199th District Court


296th District Court

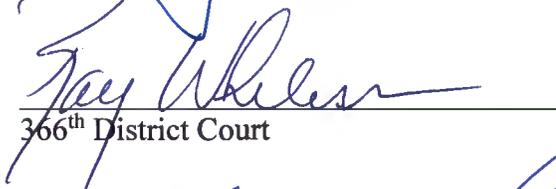

380th District Court


416th District Court


429th District Court


470th District Court


219th District Court


366th District Court


401st District Court


417th District Court


469th District Court