Sealing Your Record Cannot:

- Automatically restore your gun rights if you were convicted of a felony
- Allow you to have guardianship over another person (usually)
- Stop your record from being used against you in a trial, by the police, or by the prosecutor if you are arrested or go to court
- Block access by employers in law enforcement, daycare, nursing homes, and teaching

Records may still be seen by:

- Law Enforcement
- Prosecutors
- ACIC (Arkansas Crime Information Center)
- Criminal justice agencies in relation to employment applications or background checks under certain acts
- Polygraph Examiners, Private Security Agencies, and Private Investigators

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Getting Started

Court Fees
Pay off ALL fines, fees, and restitution (costs) for the charge you want to seal

Probation
Finish probation, as well as any classes or other conditions

Driver's License Fees
If your driver's license was suspended because of your charge, you have to get your driver's license reinstated before you seal your record

ASAP
Do this as soon as possible since some charges require a waiting period after you complete the terms of your sentence

Background Check
Go to the ACIC website, www.acic.org, to request a print-out of your criminal history

Representation
Contact an attorney or look for a Sealing Clinic event in your area

Records that Cannot be Sealed:
- Sex offenses
- Y felonies
- Other offenses depending on your record

Sealing your record is complicated, and we strongly recommend speaking to an attorney for assistance.

Sealing your record may make it easier to find:
- Employment
- Housing
- Student Loans
- Bank Loans
- Peace of Mind

*We can only seal Arkansas Records

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