



## SOUTH REGION – REMOTE / IN-PERSON APPLICATIONS CRIMINAL, FAMILY, CHILD ENHANCEMENT, YOUTH, AND CIVIL

**Effective: May 6, 2021**

In order to reduce the number of people in attendance at the courthouse and allow for social distancing in the courtroom, individuals not directly involved in court proceedings will not be allowed to attend at the courthouse. The exceptions to this are:

- Parties
- Lawyers
- Witnesses
- Interpreters
- Support Workers as set out in 486.1(1) and (2) of the Criminal Code
- Members of the accredited media
- Others authorized by the Court

Lawyers and self-represented individuals who arrange for witnesses to attend court are asked to ensure that only one witness is in the courthouse at a time. Other witnesses should remain outside the courthouse until they are required to testify.

\*\* All other Alberta Provincial Court protocols and guidelines apply to the South Region including COVID-19 safety measures.

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