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How Juvenile Records Restrict **Educational Opportunities**

Having a juvenile record can prevent a young person from

going to college.

Did you know? College applications ask about criminal history, including juvenile delinquency.



Getting a college education is among one of the best ways to help a young person overcome their past and move forward with their lives.

If an applicant responds that they have a record...

33% of colleges view the application negatively.1



20% of applicants with records are denied admissions.²



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