

Section 14-10-115 (5)(a)(I)(D), (5)(a)(I)(O), (5)(a)(I)(W), (6)(b)(I), (7)(a)(II)(B), (7)(a)(II)(C), (7)(a)(II)(D), (7)(b), and (16), C.R.S., were amended in 2013 by HB13-1058, effective January 1, 2014.

**The following versions of such provisions were effective until January 1, 2014:**

**14-10-115. Child support guidelines - purpose - definitions - determination of income - schedule of basic child support obligations - adjustments to basic child support - additional guidelines - child support commission. (5) Determination of income.** (a) For the purposes of the child support guidelines and schedule of basic child support obligations specified in this section, the gross income of each parent shall be determined according to the following guidelines:

(I) "Gross income" includes income from any source, except as otherwise provided in subparagraph (II) of this paragraph (a), and includes, but is not limited to:

(D) Payments received as an independent contractor for labor or services;

(O) Any moneys drawn by a self-employed individual for personal use;

(W) Taxable distributions from general partnerships, limited partnerships, closely held corporations, or limited liability companies;

(6) **Adjustments to gross income.** (b) (I) At the time of the initial establishment of a child support order, or in any proceeding to modify a support order, if a parent is also legally responsible for the support of other children for whom the parents do not share joint legal responsibility, an adjustment shall be made revising the parent's income prior to calculating the basic child support obligation for the children who are the subject of the support order if the children are living in the home of the parent seeking the adjustment or if the children are living out of the home, and the parent seeking the adjustment provides documented proof of money payments of support of those children. The amount shall not exceed the schedule of basic support obligations listed in this section. For a parent with a gross income of one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars or less per month, the adjustment shall be seventy-five percent of the amount calculated using the low-income adjustment described in sub-subparagraphs (B) and (C) of subparagraph (II) of paragraph (a) of subsection (7) of this section based only upon the responsible parent's income, without any other adjustments for the number of other children for whom the parent is responsible. For a parent with gross income of more than one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars per month, the adjustment shall be seventy-five percent of the amount listed under the schedule of basic support obligations in paragraph (b) of subsection (7) of this section that would represent a support obligation based only upon the responsible parent's income, without any other adjustments for the number of other children for whom the parent is responsible. The amount calculated as set forth in this subparagraph (I) shall be subtracted from the amount of the parent's gross income prior to calculating the basic support obligation based upon both parents' gross income, as provided in subsection (7) of this section.

(7) **Schedule of basic child support obligations.** (a) (II) (B) Except as otherwise provided in sub-subparagraph (D) of this subparagraph (II), in circumstances in which the parents' combined monthly adjusted gross income is less than eight hundred fifty dollars, a child support payment of fifty dollars per month shall be required of the obligor. The minimum order of fifty dollars shall not apply when each parent keeps the children more than ninety-two overnights each year as defined in paragraph (h) of subsection (3) of this section. In no case, however, shall the amount of child support ordered to be paid exceed the amount of child support that would otherwise be ordered to be paid if the parents did not share physical custody.

(C) Except as otherwise provided in sub-subparagraph (D) of this subparagraph (II), in circumstances in which the parents' combined monthly adjusted gross income is eight hundred fifty dollars or more, but in which the parent with the least number of overnights per year with the child has a monthly adjusted gross income of less than one thousand eight hundred fifty dollars, the court or delegate child support enforcement unit, pursuant to section 26-13.5-105 (4), C.R.S., shall perform a low-income adjustment calculation of child support as follows: The court or delegate child support enforcement unit shall determine each parent's monthly adjusted gross income, as that term is defined in subsection (3) of this section. Based upon the parents' combined monthly adjusted gross incomes, the court or delegate child support enforcement unit shall determine the monthly basic child support obligation, using the schedule of basic child support obligations set forth in paragraph (b) of this subsection (7) and shall determine each parent's presumptive proportionate share of said obligation. The court or delegate child support enforcement unit shall then adjust the income of the parent with the fewest number of overnights per year with the child by subtracting nine hundred dollars from that parent's monthly adjusted gross income. The court shall multiply the resulting amount by a factor of forty percent. The product of the multiplication shall be added to the following basic minimum child support amount as additional minimum support, unless the product of the multiplication amount is zero or a negative figure, in which case the court shall add zero to the following basic minimum child support amount: Seventy-five dollars for one child; one hundred fifty dollars for two children; two hundred twenty-five dollars for three children; two hundred seventy-five dollars for four children; three hundred twenty-five dollars for five children; and three hundred fifty dollars for six or more children. The court or delegate child support enforcement unit shall compare the product of this addition to the parent's presumptive proportionate share of the monthly basic support obligation determined previously from the schedule of basic child support obligations. The lesser of the two amounts shall be the basic monthly support obligation to be paid by the low-income parent, as adjusted by the low-income parent's proportionate share of the work-related and education-related child care costs, health insurance, extraordinary medical expenses, and other extraordinary adjustments as described in subsections (9) to (11) of this section. The low-income adjustment shall not apply when each parent keeps the children more than ninety-two overnights each year as

defined in subsection (8) of this section. In no case, however, shall the amount of child support ordered to be paid exceed the amount of child support that would otherwise be ordered to be paid if the parents did not share physical custody.

(D) In any circumstance in which the obligor's monthly adjusted gross income is less than eight hundred fifty dollars, regardless of the monthly adjusted gross income of the obligee, the obligor shall be ordered to pay fifty dollars per month in child support. The minimum order of fifty dollars shall not apply when each parent keeps the children more than ninety-two overnights each year as defined in subsection (8) of this section. In no case, however, shall the amount of child support ordered to be paid exceed the amount of child support that would otherwise be ordered to be paid if the parents did not share physical custody.

(b) Schedule of basic child support obligations:

<b>COMBINED</b>	<b>SIX OR</b>					
<b>GROSS</b>	<b>ONE</b>	<b>TWO</b>	<b>THREE</b>	<b>FOUR</b>	<b>FIVE</b>	<b>MORE</b>
<b>INCOME</b>	<b>CHILD</b>	<b>CHILDREN</b>	<b>CHILDREN</b>	<b>CHILDREN</b>	<b>CHILDREN</b>	<b>CHILDREN</b>

	<b>ORDER OF \$50 PER MONTH</b>					
100						
200						
300						
400						
500						
600						
700						
800						
850	184	269	319	352	382	409
900	193	282	334	369	400	428
950	202	294	349	386	418	447
1000	211	307	364	402	436	467
1050	220	320	379	419	455	486
1100	228	333	395	436	473	506
1150	237	346	410	453	491	525
1200	246	359	425	470	509	545
1250	255	372	440	487	528	565
1300	264	385	456	504	546	584

1350	273	397	471	520	564	603
1400	281	410	486	537	582	622
1450	290	422	500	553	599	641
1500	298	435	515	569	617	660
1550	307	447	530	586	635	679
1600	315	460	545	602	652	698
1650	324	472	559	618	670	717
1700	333	485	574	634	688	736
1750	341	497	589	651	705	755
1800	350	510	604	667	723	774
1850	358	522	619	683	741	793
1900	367	535	633	700	759	812
1950	375	547	648	716	776	830
2000	383	558	661	730	792	847
2050	391	570	674	745	807	864
2100	399	581	687	759	823	881
2150	407	592	700	774	839	898
2200	415	604	714	789	855	915
2250	423	615	727	803	871	931
2300	431	626	740	818	886	948
2350	439	638	753	832	902	965
2400	447	649	766	847	918	982
2450	455	660	779	861	934	999
2500	462	672	793	876	949	1016
2550	470	683	806	890	965	1033
2600	479	694	819	905	981	1050
2650	487	706	833	920	997	1067
2700	495	718	846	935	1013	1084

2750	503	729	859	950	1029	1101
2800	511	741	873	964	1045	1119
2850	519	752	886	979	1061	1136
2900	527	763	898	993	1076	1151
2950	533	772	910	1005	1089	1166
3000	540	782	921	1017	1103	1180
3050	547	792	932	1030	1116	1194
3100	554	801	943	1042	1130	1209
3150	560	811	954	1054	1143	1223
3200	567	821	965	1067	1156	1237
3250	574	831	977	1080	1171	1253
3300	581	841	989	1093	1185	1268
3350	589	851	1002	1107	1200	1284
3400	596	862	1014	1120	1214	1299
3450	603	872	1026	1133	1229	1315
3500	610	882	1038	1147	1243	1330
3550	617	892	1050	1160	1258	1346
3600	624	903	1062	1173	1272	1361
3650	631	913	1074	1187	1287	1377
3700	638	923	1086	1200	1301	1392
3750	645	934	1098	1214	1315	1408
3800	652	944	1110	1227	1330	1423
3850	660	954	1122	1240	1344	1439
3900	667	964	1135	1254	1359	1454
3950	673	973	1145	1266	1372	1468
4000	677	980	1153	1274	1381	1478
4050	682	987	1161	1283	1391	1488
4100	686	993	1169	1292	1400	1498

4150	691	1000	1177	1301	1410	1509
4200	695	1006	1185	1310	1420	1519
4250	700	1013	1193	1318	1429	1529
4300	704	1020	1201	1327	1439	1539
4350	708	1026	1209	1336	1448	1550
4400	713	1033	1217	1345	1458	1560
4450	717	1039	1225	1354	1467	1570
4500	722	1046	1233	1362	1477	1580
4550	726	1053	1241	1371	1486	1590
4600	731	1059	1249	1380	1496	1601
4650	735	1066	1257	1389	1505	1611
4700	739	1071	1262	1395	1512	1618
4750	742	1075	1267	1400	1517	1623
4800	745	1079	1271	1405	1523	1629
4850	748	1083	1276	1410	1528	1635
4900	751	1088	1280	1415	1533	1641
4950	755	1092	1285	1420	1539	1647
5000	758	1096	1289	1425	1544	1652
5050	761	1100	1294	1430	1550	1658
5100	764	1105	1298	1435	1555	1664
5150	768	1109	1303	1440	1560	1670
5200	771	1113	1307	1445	1566	1676
5250	774	1117	1312	1450	1571	1681
5300	777	1122	1316	1455	1577	1687
5350	781	1126	1321	1460	1582	1693
5400	784	1130	1326	1465	1588	1699
5450	787	1135	1331	1470	1594	1705
5500	790	1139	1336	1476	1600	1712

5550	792	1143	1341	1482	1606	1718
5600	795	1147	1346	1487	1612	1725
5650	798	1152	1351	1493	1618	1731
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5750	804	1160	1361	1504	1630	1744
5800	807	1164	1365	1509	1636	1750
5850	809	1168	1370	1514	1641	1756
5900	812	1172	1375	1520	1647	1762
5950	815	1176	1380	1525	1653	1769
6000	818	1180	1385	1530	1659	1775
6050	820	1184	1390	1536	1664	1781
6100	823	1188	1394	1541	1670	1787
6150	826	1193	1400	1547	1677	1794
6200	831	1199	1407	1555	1686	1804
6250	836	1206	1415	1563	1695	1813
6300	840	1212	1422	1572	1704	1823
6350	845	1219	1430	1580	1713	1833
6400	849	1225	1437	1588	1722	1842
6450	854	1232	1445	1597	1731	1852
6500	858	1238	1452	1605	1740	1861
6550	863	1245	1460	1613	1749	1871
6600	868	1251	1467	1621	1758	1881
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7200	927	1336	1565	1729	1875	2006
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16350	1659	2400	2828	3124	3387	3624
16400	1662	2404	2832	3129	3392	3630
16450	1665	2408	2837	3134	3398	3636
16500	1667	2412	2841	3140	3403	3641
16550	1670	2416	2846	3145	3409	3647
16600	1673	2420	2850	3150	3414	3653
16650	1675	2424	2855	3155	3420	3659
16700	1678	2428	2859	3160	3425	3665

16750	1681	2431	2864	3165	3430	3671
16800	1684	2435	2868	3170	3436	3676
16850	1686	2439	2873	3175	3441	3682
16900	1689	2443	2878	3180	3447	3688
16950	1692	2447	2882	3185	3452	3694
17000	1695	2451	2887	3190	3458	3700
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17100	1700	2459	2896	3200	3469	3711
17150	1703	2463	2900	3205	3474	3717
17200	1705	2467	2905	3210	3479	3723
17250	1708	2471	2909	3215	3485	3729
17300	1711	2474	2914	3220	3490	3735
17350	1714	2478	2918	3225	3496	3740
17400	1716	2482	2923	3230	3501	3746
17450	1719	2486	2928	3235	3507	3752
17500	1722	2490	2932	3240	3512	3758
17550	1725	2494	2937	3245	3518	3764
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17700	1733	2506	2950	3260	3534	3781
17750	1736	2510	2955	3265	3539	3787
17800	1738	2513	2959	3270	3545	3793
17850	1741	2517	2964	3275	3550	3799
17900	1744	2521	2968	3280	3556	3805
17950	1746	2525	2973	3285	3561	3810
18000	1749	2529	2978	3290	3567	3816
18050	1752	2533	2982	3295	3572	3822
18100	1755	2537	2987	3300	3577	3828



18150	1757	2541	2991	3305	3583	3834
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18500	1776	2568	3023	3340	3621	3874
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18600	1782	2576	3032	3350	3632	3886
18650	1785	2580	3037	3355	3637	3892
18700	1787	2584	3041	3360	3643	3898
18750	1790	2588	3046	3365	3648	3904
18800	1793	2592	3050	3370	3654	3909
18850	1796	2595	3055	3376	3659	3915
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18950	1801	2603	3064	3386	3670	3927
19000	1804	2607	3068	3391	3675	3933
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19100	1809	2615	3077	3401	3686	3944
19150	1812	2619	3082	3406	3692	3950
19200	1815	2623	3087	3411	3697	3956
19250	1817	2627	3091	3416	3703	3962
19300	1820	2631	3096	3421	3708	3968
19350	1823	2634	3100	3426	3713	3973
19400	1826	2638	3105	3431	3719	3979
19450	1828	2642	3109	3436	3724	3985
19500	1831	2646	3114	3441	3730	3991

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19700	1842	2662	3132	3461	3752	4014
19750	1845	2666	3137	3466	3757	4020
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19850	1850	2674	3146	3476	3768	4032
19900	1853	2677	3150	3481	3773	4037
19950	1856	2681	3155	3486	3779	4043
20000	1858	2685	3159	3491	3784	4049

(16) **Child support commission.** (a) The child support guidelines, including the schedule of basic child support obligations, and general child support issues shall be reviewed and the results of such review and any recommended changes shall be reported to the governor and to the general assembly on or before December 1, 1991, and at least every four years thereafter by a child support commission, which commission is hereby created.

(b) As part of its review, the commission must consider economic data on the cost of raising children and analyze case data on the application of, and deviations from, the guidelines and the schedule of basic child support obligations to be used in the commission's review to ensure that deviations from the guidelines and schedule of basic child support obligations are limited. In addition, the commission shall review issues identified in the federal "Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996", Public Law 104-193, including out-of-wedlock births and the prevention of teen pregnancy.

(c) The child support commission shall consist of no more than twenty-one members. The governor shall appoint persons to the commission who are representatives of the judiciary and the Colorado bar association. Members of the commission appointed by the governor shall also include the director of the division in the state department of human services that is responsible for child support enforcement, or his or her designee, a director of a county department of social services, the child support liaison to the judicial department, interested parties, a certified public accountant, and parent representatives. In making his or her appointments to the commission, the governor shall attempt to appoint persons as parent representatives or as other representatives on the commission who include a male custodial parent, a female custodial parent, a male noncustodial parent, a female noncustodial parent, a joint custodial parent, and a parent in an intact family. In making his or her appointments to the commission, the governor shall attempt to assure geographical diversity by appointing at least one member from each of the congressional districts in the state. The remaining two members of the commission shall be a member of the house of representatives appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives and a member of the senate appointed by the president of the senate and shall not be members of the same political party.

(d) Members of the child support commission shall not be compensated for their services on the commission; except that members shall be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenses for travel and mileage incurred in connection with their duties. The child support commission is authorized, subject to appropriation, to incur expenses related to its work, including the costs associated with public hearings, printing, travel, and research.

(d.5) The terms of the members appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives and the president of the senate who are serving on March 22, 2007, shall be extended to and expire on or shall terminate on the convening date of the first regular session of the sixty-seventh general assembly. As soon as practicable after such convening date, the speaker and the president shall each appoint or reappoint one member in the same manner as provided in paragraph (c) of this subsection (16). Thereafter, the terms of members appointed or reappointed by the speaker and the president shall expire on the

convening date of the first regular session of each general assembly, and all subsequent appointments and reappointments by the speaker and the president shall be made as soon as practicable after such convening date. The person making the original appointment or reappointment shall fill any vacancy by appointment for the remainder of an unexpired term. Members appointed or reappointed by the speaker and the president shall serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority and shall continue in office until the member's successor is appointed.

(e) In reviewing the child support guidelines and the schedule of basic child support obligations as required in paragraph (a) of this subsection (16), the child support commission shall study the following issues:

(I) The merits of a statutory time limitation or the application of the doctrine of laches or such other time-limiting provision on the enforcement of support judgments that arise pursuant to the provisions of section 14-10-122;

(II) Whether different time limitations on the enforcement of support judgments should apply depending on whether support payments are made directly to an obligee or whether such payments are made through the family support registry;

(III) The merits of support judgments arising automatically as provided in section 14-10-122 (1) (c); and

(IV) Whether support obligors should receive additional notice and an opportunity for hearing prior to execution on such judgments.