

Colorado Regulation Related to “Significant Personal Bond”

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7 Colo. Code Regs. § 1107-3:3.4

6. To determine whether an individual is a family member under C.R.S. 8-13.3-503(11)(e) because the individual is someone with whom the covered individual has a significant personal bond that is or is like a family relationship, the Division will look to the totality of the circumstances surrounding the relationship, including, but not limited to, the following non-dispositive factors:

A. Shared financial responsibility, including shared leases, common ownership of real or personal property, joint liability for bills, or beneficiary designations;

B. Emergency contact designations;

C. The expectation of care created by the relationship and/or the prior provision of care;

D. Cohabitation and the duration thereof; and

E. Geographical proximity.