Guide to Relocating

CONSIDERING A MOVE TO DENVER? WELCOME TO THE MILE HIGH CITY!

From everyone in the Colorado Chapter of the Indiana University Alumni Association, welcome to The Mile high City. As you begin or continue your transition to Denver, we have put together a list of resources that we hope you will find valuable. This list certainly isn’t exhaustive, but it will give you the basics.

CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER AND THE DENVER METRO AREA

There are six counties in the Denver metro area with a population of 2.4 million. About 555,000 live in Denver. If you plan to live within the Denver city limits, we encourage you to explore the City and County of Denver website and the Denver Metro Convention & Visitors Bureau website, which includes maps of Denver and the metro area and information for visitors and new residents.

ATHLETIC CLUBS

- 24 Hour Fitness
- Bally Total Fitness
- Colorado Athletic Club
- Denver Athletic Club

Excellent recreation centers are also offered by the City and county of Denver and other suburban communities.
BANKS

- 1st Bank
- JP Morgan Chase
- Wells Fargo

BARS AND RESTAURANTS

- 5280 The Denver Magazine
- City Search
- Open Table
- Westword
- Zagat

CULTURE, ENTERTAINMENT, AND RECREATION

- Colorado Ballet
- Colorado Symphony Orchestra
- Denver Center for Performing Arts
- Museums
- Opera Colorado
- Red Rocks Park and Amphitheatre
- Colorado Ski Country USA Snow Report
- Ticketmaster
Colorado Chapter of the IUAA IU fans gather frequently for broadcasts of sporting events at Chopper’s Sports Grill (Madison & Bayaud in Cherry Creek). For more information on events sponsored by the Colorado Chapter of the IUAA, visit our Getting Together section.

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**NEWS AND MEDIA**

**MAGAZINES AND NEWSPAPERS**

- 5280 The Denver Magazine
- The Denver Post
- Westword

**LOCAL NEWS MEDIA**

- ABC (KMGH) – Channel 7
- CBS (KCNC) – Channel 4
- Colorado Public Television (KBDI) – Channel 12
- FOX (KDVR) – Channel 31
- NBC (KUSA) – Channel 9
- Rocky Mountain PBS (KRMA) – Channel 6
- UPN (KTVD) – Channel 20
- WB (KWGN) – Channel 2

**PROFESSIONAL SPORTS**

- Colorado Avalanche – Hockey
- Colorado Mammoth – Lacrosse
- Colorado Rapids – Soccer

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- Colorado Rockies – Baseball
- Denver Broncos – Football
- Denver Nuggets – Basketball

REAL ESTATE
- Craig’s List
- Apartments.com
- Realtors.com
- The Denver Post

SHOPPING
FURNITURE & HOME ITEMS
- American Furniture Warehouse
- Furniture Row
- IKEA

Most of the national companies are present, as well as many other locally owned stores.

GROCERS
- Albertsons
- King Soopers (Kroger)
- Safeway
- Sunflower Market

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Denver also offers many locally owned specialty meat, organic and ethnic markets.

MALLS

- 16th Street Mall (Denver Pavilions)
- Cherry Creek North
- Cherry Creek Shopping Center
- Colorado Mills
- Park Meadows

SPORTING GOODS

- Colorado Ski and Golf
- Dicks Sporting Goods
- REI
- Sports Authority

TRANSPORTATION

AIRPORTS

- Denver International Airport (DIA)

PUBLIC TRANSIT

- Regional Transportation District (RTD) – bus and light rail

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OTHER TRANSPORTATION

- Amtrak
- DMV
- Mandatory Emissions Testing
- Traffic Reports and Road Closures

TAXI SERVICES

- Metro Taxi Denver (303) 333-3333
- Yellow Cab of Denver (303) 777-7777

UTILITIES

ELECTRICITY & GAS

- Xcel Energy

GARBAGE/RECYCLING

- Republic Services
- Eagle Waste Services
- Pro Disposal
- Waste Management
TELEPHONE

- CenturyLink (land line)

TELEVISION

- Comcast (cable)
- DIRECTV (satellite)
- DISH Network (satellite)

WIRELESS

- AT&T
- CenturyLink
- Sprint
- T-Mobile
- Verizon Wireless