Possible Impact of Criminal Records

If an individual has been arrested, charged or convicted of any criminal offense, the individual should investigate the impact that the arrest, charge or conviction may have on their chances of employment in the field that he or she intends to study or on their chances to obtain federal, state, and other higher education financial aid.

The Council on Crime and Justice identifies the following resources of information where individuals may find information about the effect of criminal records on future employment opportunities:

Minn. Stat. Ch. 609B COLLATERAL SANCTIONS https://www.revisor.leg.state.mn.us/statutes/?id=609B

Minnesota Legislature's Overview of Background Check Statutes <u>http://www.house.leg.state.mn.us/hrd/pubs/bkgdchck.pdf</u>.