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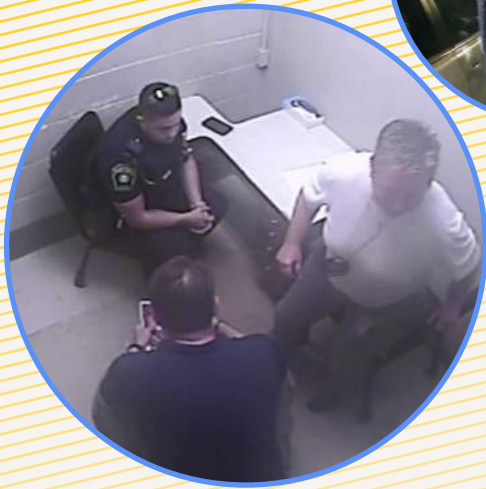
Case study
Colorado State Office of the Public Defender

With an overwhelming quantity of audio and video being introduced into evidence in criminal cases, the need to review and search for specific phrases has become vital for the work of Public Defenders across the country.

The Chief Deputy of the Office of the Colorado State Public Defender approached Reduct because offices across the state needed to generate rapid transcripts for digital evidence, including body-cam footage, police interviews, jail calls, and other recorded video. Existing solutions were expensive, slow, and were not standardized across 21 different offices and hundreds of staff, all of whom need to access transcripts.

After an initial pilot, COPD rolled out Reduct to all of its offices, and has over a thousand users on the platform. Attorneys and their staff are now able to generate rapid and accurate transcripts, which they can search to locate critical evidence to present in trial. Reduct also allows staff to extract portions of this evidence as video exhibits. These exhibits, which include synchronized captions, make them successful in court, as it is very difficult for a witness or opposition counsel to push back.

Transcription is now centralized across the state, and available via a modern, easy to use interface that supports almost any audio and video format. Reduct's cloud-based platform offers extensive security features, and allows for collaboration among selected personnel.

> "I wouldn't have won this trial if I hadn't been able to use Reduct."
> — ELIZABETH D. CADIZ
> CHIEF DEPUTY PUBLIC DEFENDER, AURORA CO

> "I don't know how I did this before I had Reduct!"
> — CHRIS ANGLES, PARTNER
> THE ANGLES LAW FIRM, KANSAS CITY MO

Reduct is a collaborative transcript-based platform where attorneys and their staff can transcribe audio and video, and search, redact, highlight, and clip footage — as easily as text.

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