

[News story: HMCTS refreshes court security awareness materials](#)

HM Courts and Tribunals Service (HMCTS) has refreshed its court security materials in a wider effort to inform people about the requirements when entering court and tribunal buildings.

[HMCTS security video](#)

Court security awareness materials

The materials, which we developed in collaboration with security contractors, feature a mix of media including posters in courts, video and social media content.

[Security poster – a good search](#) (PDF, 105KB, 1 page)

[Security posters – prohibited items](#) (PDF, 421KB, 5 pages)

[Security posters – security officers](#) (PDF, 3.62MB, 4 pages)

They are aimed at all of those who use courts and tribunals including legal professionals, the judiciary and contracted security staff.

Who will be searched?

[Security checks apply to all users of courts and tribunals](#), including those who work within them and users of the services.

There are a few exemptions, for example police officers wearing uniform and carrying a warrant card, or visiting judiciary who have registered at the court.

We are working on an [alternative access scheme for registered legal professionals](#), national roll-out for which is already underway and will be completed in 2020.