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Amendments to the Connecticut Data Privacy Act (“CTDPA”) going into effect on July 1, 2026 will significantly expand the scope of the Act.

Broadening applicability thresholds.

- CTDPA will now apply to any business that:
 - Process the personal data of at least 35,000 CT residents;
 - Sell personal data; or
 - Process sensitive data (outside payment transactions).

Expanding the definition of “sensitive data,” which requires consumers’ opt-in consent to process.

- Will now include:
 - Data relating to disability or treatment;
 - Status as nonbinary or transgender;
 - Genetic or biometric data or information derived therefrom;
 - Certain financial data including financial account numbers in combination with a security code or password;
 - Government-issued identification numbers, such as Social Security numbers; and
 - Neural data.

For more information about the CTDPA and the updates highlighted above, visit the Attorney General’s FAQ page [here](#).