Probate in Virginia

What is Probate?

Probate is a court process to transfer property owned by a person who dies to the persons or creditors who are supposed to receive the property.

Which court handles the Probate process?

[Circuit Court](#)

Where can I find out more about the Probate process?

The following resources are made accessible through the Virginia Court Clerks' Association and the Virginia Bar Association.

- [Probate in Virginia](#)
- [Guide to the Administration of the Decedent's Estate in Virginia](#)

Where can I find Probate forms?

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