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New Jersey Drug Court Graduate (Recovery Court)	No limit	None	N.J.S.A. 2C:35-14(m)
Clean Slate Expungement	No limit	10 years	N.J.S.A.2C:52-5.3
Fourth-degree indictable marijuana convictions and disorderly persons marijuana convictions	No limit	None- eligible immediately	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-5.1
Third-degree indictable marijuana convictions	Treated as disorderly persons offense	3 years	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-5.1
Certain Drug Convictions for Young Drug Offenders (21 and younger)	No limit if for possession or use of CDS	1 year	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-5

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New Jersey Expungement Eligibility Chart

Type of Offense	Eligibility	Waiting Period*	Expungement Statute
Arrest Not Resulting in Conviction (i.e., dismissal, acquittal, finding of not guilty)	No limit	None - eligible immediately	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-6
Pre-Trial Intervention, Conditional Discharge, and/or Conditional Dismissal	No limit	6 months from date of dismissal	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-6
Individual Juvenile Records	Same as for adult offenses	Same waiting periods for adult offenses by type	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-4.1(a)
Entire Juvenile Record	Can expunge entire record	3 years	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-4.1(b)
Municipal Ordinance Violations	No limit if no felonies and no more than 2 disorderly persons	2 years	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-4
Disorderly Persons (Misdemeanor) Convictions	Up to 5 if no indictables/felonies OR up to 3 if one indictable/felony (exceptions apply for "crime spree" cases)	5 years or 3 years if "early pathway" expungement	N.J.S.A. 2C:52-3

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New Jersey Marijuana Statutes Eligible for Expedited Expungement

2C:35-(b)(12)	Distribution of marijuana or hashish ONLY IF < 1 ounce marijuana OR < 5 grams hashish
2C:35-10(a)(3)	Possession of marijuana or hashish ONLY IF > 50 grams OR > 5 grams hashish
2C:35-10(a)(4)	Possession of marijuana or hashish ONLY IF < 50 grams marijuana OR < 5 grams hashish
2C:35-10(b)	Under the Influence of CDS ONLY IF the CDS was marijuana or hashish
2C:35-10(c)	Failure to properly dispose of CDS ONLY IF the CDS was marijuana or hashish
2C:36-2	Possession of drug paraphernalia when the paraphernalia was used, or was possessed with intent to be used, to ingest, inhale, or otherwise introduce marijuana or hashish into the body
39:4-49.1	Possession of CDS in a vehicle ONLY IF the CDS is marijuana or hashish
2C:36A-1	Disorderly persons offenses or petty disorderly persons offenses subject to conditional discharge pursuant to one of the mentioned statutes