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[San Luis Obispo Teen Files Suit Against Planet Fitness for Allowing Third Party to Videotape Her Naked in Tanning Booth](#)

Attorneys call for accountability after Planet Fitness fails to Take steps to prevent Member from taking naked photos of nearly 50 female gym members

San Luis Obispo, California (APRIL 28, 2026)—Today, attorneys Randy Renick and Cornelia Dai of law firm Hadsell Stormer Renick & Dai, LLP and attorney Warren Binder of the Binder Law Group announce the filing of a lawsuit against Planet Fitness Franchising LLC, as well as franchisees the Flynn Group and GFP Arroyo Grande, LLC, for failing to prevent secret recording of nearly 50 naked female gym members over a 12 month period at the Arroyo Grande Planet Fitness.

“Fitness facilities like Planet Fitness have a legal and ethical obligation to protect their members from illegal, non-consensual videotaping and photography of their intimate body parts. Here, Planet Fitness failed in that duty, allowing a perpetrator to secretly record nearly 50 undressed women over a period of less than 12 months — at a single location.” said Hadsell Stormer Renick & Dai LLP attorney Randy Renick.

On December 29, 2025, an eighteen-year-old college student visiting her family in Arroyo Grande was secretly filmed while using a standing tanning booth at her local Planet Fitness by a member who pushed his cell phone through a crack in the booth door. A subsequent police investigation revealed that this was not an isolated incident — the perpetrator had recorded more than fifty videos of approximately forty-seven female members in various states of undress in the same tanning booth area over nearly twelve months. Planet Fitness employees were in the immediate vicinity during multiple incidents and witnessed the perpetrator's erratic and suspicious behavior on numerous occasions, yet failed to intervene, warn members, or take corrective action — despite the gym's own policy explicitly prohibiting photography in tanning rooms.

“I feel betrayed by Planet Fitness and its indifference towards its female members. I am horrified that so many women had to be harmed before this person was stopped,” said the victim, whose name is being withheld to protect her.

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“Tragically this is not the first time someone has been filmed or photographed in a state of undress at Planet Fitness, and the fact that they keep allowing this to happen should be of great concern to everyone.” said attorney Warren Binder.

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