

# Clackamas County



## DUII Treatment Court Handbook

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### **What is it?**

DUII Court is a specialty court that provides an alternative choice to typical court processes. The DUII Court program is a multi-disciplinary team approach that involves the Judge, defense counsel, a deputy district attorney, Sheriff Office representatives, a probation officer, the Treatment Court Coordinator and one or more treatment providers. DUII Court provides intensive supervision for participants.

### **Who qualifies?**

Individuals who face their third lifetime (**non-felony**) DUII conviction, Measure 73 Felony DUII or second DUII conviction with a high BAC are candidates for eligibility screening. Individuals may also be referred from the probation office. Individuals who do not have the specified conviction history but have a significant, long-standing alcohol problem, shown by a high BAC or by multiple repeated diversions may also be eligible. Individuals involved in injury accidents and some person crimes are NOT eligible. Participants must arrange for reliable transportation (bus, rides, etc) for all personal appearances in court, treatment and otherwise, since they cannot drive.

### **Benefits of Program:**

Participants benefit in many ways:

**Treatment:** Participants attend treatment, learn clean and sober living skills, achieve sobriety and get help to get start them on the road to recovery.

**Legal:** Participants plead guilty to their charge when entering DUII Court and, upon successful completion of the program and subsequent 18 month bench probation, fines and fees may be suspended. Individuals who enter the program after conviction, as a result of a probation violation, will complete DUII Treatment Court in lieu of a probation violation sanction or revocation of their probation.

**Other:** Participants will consult with team members who can refer them to programs that may assist with educational goals/needs, job searches, and to resources that may address housing, food and health needs.

### **What to expect from the program:**

The program lasts a minimum of one year. It is an outpatient program, but occasionally participants may be referred to inpatient treatment. As an intervention, upon entry, you may be placed on BI/EHD (Electronic Home Detention) or SCRAM (a transdermal alcohol monitoring device). The court uses incentives and sanctions during the course of the program. Sanctions include but are not limited to jail time, community service or home detention. Honesty is essential. If a participant lies to the Judge or other DUII Team member, there will be a severe sanction. Incentives include but are not limited to coins, permissions to leave early from a court appearance, verbal praise and permissions to travel.

### **Program entry, withdrawal or termination:**

The program is voluntary. When an individual is offered the opportunity to enter, he/she is given two weeks to finalize a decision. To opt out in the two-week period, the participant must appear before the DUII Court Judge and request to opt out. If the participant enters and later fails, the termination will result in sentencing from the DUII Court Judge and reinstatement of any fines and fees that were held in abeyance by the court.

This is only a summary. If you have further questions, please contact the DUII defense attorney or the DUII Court Coordinator. Dawn Haskett: 503-655-8495, dawn.j.haskett@ojd.state.or.us

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## **New Participant “To Do” List**

Attend DUII Court Hearings **every Monday at 10am** in Judge Wetzel’s court room (Courtroom 3) located on the second floor. Judge Wetzel’s office number is: 503-655-8685.

### **Within 24 hours of your release from custody:**

Report to Community Corrections for your intake and schedule an appointment with Jason Ridgeway, the DUII Court probation officer.

After your intake, report to Dawn Haskett, DUII Court Coordinator, to complete intake information. She will contact Diane Karpinski to schedule a time to complete your ADES (Alcohol and Drug Evaluation Survey) . Her office is in the Holman Building at 821 Main St., Oregon City, OR 97045. Rm. 208. Her phone # is 503-655-8495.

After you are referred to treatment, attend **all** Alcohol and Drug Treatment appointments and groups as assigned. If you do not know what you are supposed to attend you **must** call your treatment provider to obtain your schedule. **Do not wait** for your next court date.

As a condition of participation in this program, you must sign a release of information (ROI) at your treatment provider to allow them to speak with all DUII Court personnel. Give a copy of the program contact list to your treatment provider.

Attend all self support meetings ordered. You will need to fill out meeting verification slips to show attendance. You may get these slips from Dawn Haskett or Jason Ridgeway.

**\*\*You must turn your slips in to Dawn Haskett the day that you appear in court.**

**If you need support or help to stay clean, please contact a DUII Court team member and / or a clean support person. A sure way to fail the program is to do it on your own.**

## Program Rules

**\*\*This is not a complete list of rules and expectations, but a general guide of the core requirements of the program.\*\***

- **Honesty is a must! ALWAYS** be truthful with your P.O., treatment provider, and all DUII Court personnel. Report any violations of program rules immediately to your PO, Court personnel, and/or treatment providers.
- Do not engage in any criminal activity.
- Do not drive...Period. **No exceptions!**
- Do not own or possess a motor vehicle. You must sell any vehicles you currently own and provide proof of sale to your PO. **You must have reliable transportation available to you for treatment, AA meetings, court appearances, etc.**
- Do not use, possess, or be in the presence of alcohol, other drugs or drug paraphernalia. **This is your responsibility to monitor and no excuse will be accepted for violating this rule.**
- Do not use medications that are not yours.
- Do not use prescription or over the counter medications without the written consent of a medical professional. You must contact your probation officer immediately and provide proof of your prescribed medication.
- **Testing is mandatory.** A test is considered positive if (1) it shows use of alcohol or other drugs, (2) if you fail to submit to a UA when requested, (3) it shows evidence of dilution tampering, temperature tampering, (4) or if it tests positive for any form of adulterant. Testing may include (but is not limited to): UAs, breath tests, sobriotor, quick test, polygraph testing, and any other technology the court deems appropriate. You will be tested by your treatment provider, PO, Sheriff's Dept., and monitoring agency.
- No sexual or intimate relationships with other DUII Court participants are tolerated.
- **Home visits are mandatory. The Clackamas County EHD officers can conduct an extensive search of your residence and property at any time.**

## Phases of DUII Court

The primary goal of this program is to help you obtain and maintain sobriety. For many participants this will be the most difficult step you have attempted, but also the most rewarding. This program is designed to support and help you in any way possible to achieve this goal. This program lasts a minimum of one year. Completing this program may take longer, depending on individual progress and needs. Each phase is designed to bring you closer to a more fulfilling and sober life, one step at a time.

### Phase One - Treatment and Stabilization

- 90 days of proven “clean” time.
- Attend Victim Impact Panel within 90 days.
- Complete 90/90 of NA/AA (or other 12-step program approved by DUII Court Team). Actively work steps.
- 30 days minimum of SCRAM or Electronic Monitoring w/ sobrieter.
- Documented evidence of a sponsor (must have at least a temporary sponsor).
- Must have clean and sober housing.
- Comply with all DUII Court Program, treatment, and probation requirements.

### Phase Two - Discovery and Quality of Life

- Minimum of 135 days continuous clean time. (May carry over from Phase One)
- Attend a minimum of five (5) AA/NA meetings per week (or other 12-step program approved by DUII Court Team). Actively work steps.
- Engage in identified clean and sober activities.
- Comply with all DUII Court Program, treatment, and probation requirements.
- Must be employed, attending school or vocational training.

### Phase Three - Recovery

- Minimum of 180 days of continuous clean time. (May carry over from Phase Two)
- Attend a minimum of three (3) AA/NA meetings per week (or other 12-step program approved by DUII Court Team).
- Continue to actively work the steps.
- Comply with all DUII Court Program, treatment, and probation requirements.

### Phase Four - Relapse Prevention/Community Transition

- Minimum of 225 days of continuous clean time. (May carry over from Phase Three)
- Attend a minimum of three (3) AA/NA meetings per week (or other 12-step program approved by DUII Court Team).
- Continue to actively work the steps.
- Must have GED or high school diploma to graduate.
- Present recovery and discharge plan to court and document current implementation of plan.
- Comply with all DUII Court Program, treatment, and probation requirements.

## **DUII COURT DRESS CODE**

While attending all DUII court related functions, appropriate dress is expected and required. If you wear slacks, khakis, button down shirts, blouses, etc. in good condition you will be on the right road to dressing appropriately and respectfully for court. If you need assistance in determining appropriate dress please contact a DUII Court Team Member.

**Appropriate & respectful clothing must be worn for all DUII Court activities. Appropriate & respectful clothing is defined as:**

- Neither too tight nor revealing.
- Shirts must fully cover the stomach and chest.
- Skirts and dresses must be worn at an appropriate length.
- No sleeveless, dirty, torn, clothing. (Torn items include new items that have the “worn” look)
- No head coverings or sunglasses.
- No visible underclothing.
- No t-shirts with words on them.
- No shorts.
- Button down shirts must be buttoned down.
- No logos for alcohol or other drugs or offensive messages.
- No flip flops.
- No sweat suit, sweatshirts or sweatpants.

You may be sanctioned at the discretion of the court if you are not appropriately dressed. Your attire must reflect both respect for the Court and respect for yourself.

**\*\*If you do not have the money to purchase appropriate clothing, please discuss this with a DUII Court Team Member.**

## **USE OF OVER-THE-COUNTER COLD/FLU MEDICINES FOR DUII COURT PARTICIPANTS**

One of the primary goals of the DUII Court is to provide support for your recovery from your addiction(s). For that reason, we are concerned about any over-the-counter medications you might take. As you know, any misuse of any substance is considered a violation of the DUII Court Program. Before using any substances we always recommend you speak with your physician or pharmacist about any concerns. It is not our role to give you any medical advice.

### **Substances for which use that be considered a violation of the program requirement:**

1. Alcohol in any form purchased and used, such as in Vicks NyQuil cough syrup.
2. Dextromethorphan in any form, such as Tussin DM.
3. The use of pseudoephedrine products, which is now by prescription only.
4. The use of any product with phenylpropanolamine.

### **Some products which do not cause a positive urinalysis may be used with prior permission and include:**

1. Rite Aid Tussin Cough Formula for Children and Adults
2. ROBITUSSIN (GUAIFENESIN).
3. ALKA-SELTZER PLUS COLD.

**This is not intended to be an exhaustive list of possible approved therapeutic medications available.**

**\*\*ALWAYS ALERT YOUR TREATMENT THERAPIST AND PROBATION OFFICER ABOUT THE USE OF ANY OVER-COUNTER MEDICATIONS. AS STATED BEFORE, CHECK WITH A MEDICAL PROFESSIONAL IF YOU HAVE ANY MEDICAL QUESTIONS ABOUT WHAT TO TAKE. THANK YOU.**

**MONTH:** \_\_\_\_\_

**YEAR:** \_\_\_\_\_

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday



## **Graduation Checklist**

- Complete all four phases of treatment
- Have a GED or High school Diploma
- Provide proof of Victim's Impact Panel
- Be working a minimum of 32 hours per week
- Live in safe, sober stable housing
- Fines and fees owed on cases other than those supervised in DUII court must be paid or you must have payment arrangements in place. If applicable, have a restitution plan in place and show that payments are current.
- All probation fees must be paid in full
- All fees owed to SCRAM, EHD or restitution must be paid in full.
- Documentation must prove maintenance of sobriety
- Documentation must prove attendance of AA/NA
- A sponsor must be on record for you throughout the program
- The DUII Court Team must review and approve your accomplishments

## **DUII COURT TEAM CONTACTS**

### **DUII Court Judge**

Judge Michael Wetzel  
807 Main St.  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-655-8685

### **Probation Officer**

Jason Ridgeway  
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Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-723-2927  
jridgeway@co.clackamas.or.us

### **Defense Attorney**

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Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-650-9491

### **DUII Court Coordinator**

Dawn Haskett  
821 Main St. #208  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-655-8495  
Fax: 503-650-8906

### **SCRAM**

511 SW 10<sup>th</sup> Ave, Ste. 914  
Portland, OR 97206  
1-888-381-8881 Ext. 5031

### **District Attorney**

Adrienne Chin-Perez  
807 Main St. Room 7  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-655-8431

### **ADES**

Diane Karpinski  
821 Main St #208  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-655-8495

### **CCSO**

Deputy Jackson, Johnson  
2206 Kaen Rd  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-722-6140

### **RMOMS**

402 Beaver Creek Rd. Ste. 105  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-722-1222

### **SCRAM**

309 17<sup>th</sup> St.  
Oregon City, OR  
503-278-9557