



WILLIAMSON COUNTY DWI/DRUG COURT PROGRAM

HON. LAURA BARKER

Presiding Judge
County Court at Law No. 2

In conjunction with
Williamson County Attorney's Office
Williamson County CSCD

DWI/Drug Court Overview

Mission Statement

"The mission of the Williamson County DWI/Drug Court is to enhance public safety by reducing recidivism using consistent evidence base practice incorporating a multi-disciplinary team. It is our purpose to change and save lives and provide a consistent approach that both enhances the offender's opportunity to succeed and maximizes community safety."

Program Requirements

If Defendant is accepted into the DWI/Drug Court Program (DDCP), Defendant will be placed on probation for a term of twelve (12) months. A typical plea agreement for a DWI 2nd Offense is as follows: 180 days probated for 12 months on a DWI 1st (Class B Misdemeanor), a \$100 fine, \$500 Program Fee, and an Occupational Driver's License.

Prior to pleading into the DDCP on the plea date, Defendant shall report to the County Attorney's office to view the Jacqueline Video, then bring the certificate of completion to Court and give it to the DDCP Probation Officer.

Program Phases

Phase 1 – Approximately 4 months, depending on Defendant's participation and compliance

- * Office visit with CSO twice per month-alternating weeks with counseling sessions
- * Session with Substance Abuse Counselor twice per month-alternating weeks with CSO OVs
- * Weekly Court attendance on the assigned day
- * Victim Impact Panel attendance within the first 30 days as directed by the CSO
- * View an Alcohol Education video within the first 30 days as directed by the CSO
- * IOP (Intensive Outpatient Treatment program) 2 sessions per week, 6:00-9:00 pm, for 10 weeks
- * Aftercare meetings once per week, for 6 months, upon completion of IOP
- * Random drug testing (urinalysis/ ETG/ breathalyzer)
- * Recovery Support group meeting attendance 2-4 times per week (or as otherwise directed)
- * Weekly P.A.C.E. Peer Support Group attendance
- * Curfew 10:00 pm to 5:00 am
- * Any additional classes required
- * Advancement form and request letter to phase up

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Phase 2 – Approximately 4 months, depending on Defendant's participation and compliance

- * Office visit with CSO twice per month-alternating weeks with Court attendance
- * Session with Substance Abuse Counselor as per the Defendant's individual treatment plan
- * Court attendance in the second and fourth weeks of the month on the assigned day
- * Continue Aftercare meetings once per week, for 6 months, upon completion of IOP
- * Random drug testing (urinalysis/ ETG/ breathalyzer)
- * Recovery Support group meeting attendance 2-4 times per week (or as otherwise directed)
- * Weekly P.A.C.E. Peer Support Group attendance
- * Curfew 11:00 pm to 5:00 am
- * Any additional classes required
- * Advancement form and request letter to phase up

Phase 3 – Approximately 4 months, depending on Defendant's participation and compliance

- * Office visit with CSO once per month
- * Session with Substance Abuse Counselor as per the Defendant's individual treatment plan
- * Court attendance in the second week of the month on the assigned day
- * Random drug testing (urinalysis/ ETG/ breathalyzer)
- * Completion of any remaining CSR hours
- * Recovery Support group meeting attendance 2-4 times per week (or as otherwise directed)
- * Weekly P.A.C.E. Peer Support Group attendance
- * No Curfew
- * Any additional classes required
- * Graduation packet/letter submitted to CSO

The DDCP information listed above is subject to change at the discretion of the Court

For more information about the DWI/Drug Court Program,
please visit the County Court at Law #2 webpage at www.wilco.org