

ELIGIBILITY ADULT DRUG COURT REQUIREMENTS

-  Adults residing in Rhode Island
-  Charged with an alcohol or other drug (AOD) offense or charged with another nonviolent offense, but with a history of AOD use or abuse
-  Exhibits a history of AOD use, dependency, or abuse
-  No pending charge or prior conviction involving a Felony crime of violence
-  No pending charge or prior conviction involving the delivery of a controlled substance or possession with intent to deliver a controlled substance
-  Indicate willingness to enter a plea of Nolo Contendere (No Contest)

CONTACT ADULT DRUG COURT INFORMATION

The Honorable Alice B. Gibney
Presiding Justice
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The Honorable John J. Flynn
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Justice Independence Honor

RHODE ISLAND SUPERIOR COURT



ADULT
DRUG COURT

MISSION STATEMENT

ADULT DRUG COURT

OUR MISSION is to improve the quality of life for individuals who have been ravaged by the negative impact of drugs. This can be achieved through substance abuse treatment, social services and justice interventions. The Drug Court helps reduce the incidence of substance abuse among participants and decreases their involvement in the criminal justice system.

ADULT DRUG COURT

TEAM

Drug Court Judge
Prosecutor
Clinical Coordinator
Probation Officer
Public Defender
Drug Court Manager

PROGRAM FEATURES

ADULT DRUG COURT

Post Plea,
Post Adjudication Model



Intensive Judicial Supervision



Frequent Random Drug Screens



Treatment Options



Participant Accountability



Incentives



Sanctions



Community and Law
Enforcement Involvement



Average length of program: 12 to 15 months

GOALS

ADULT DRUG COURT

To IMPROVE PUBLIC SAFETY.

To REDUCE RECIDIVISM rates among participants.

To increase the participant's ACCOUNTABILITY, particularly in relation to victims and the community.

To build a STRONGER FAMILY unit when appropriate.

To INCREASE COLLABORATION among the criminal justice system, substance abuse treatment providers, educational systems, and ancillary services.

To have participants become RESPONSIBLE AND PRODUCTIVE community members.