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Specialized Dockets Newsletter

December 19, 2017

2018 Specialized Dockets Roundtables

2018 OHIO SPECIALIZED DOCKETS ROUNDTABLE DATES & RSVP

All roundtables are 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. at the [Thomas J. Moyer Ohio Judicial Center](#) *unless noted otherwise*.

Additional topics are under consideration and may be added to our offerings for the year. Please feel free to contact Sarah Jeu at sarah.jeu@sc.ohio.gov if you have any suggestions.

Domestic Violence	Thursday, March 29, 2018	Registration links will be posted in January
Veterans	Thursday, April 12, 2018	
Coordinators	Thursday, April 26, 2018 Thursday, August 23, 2018	
Judges	Friday, May 11, 2018	Registration links will be posted in January
Probation Officers	Thursday, May 24, 2018 Thursday, November 1, 2018	
Human Trafficking	Friday, July 6, 2018	
Mental Health	Thursday, August 9, 2018	Registration links will be posted in January

Please register for roundtables at least one week before the event. If your availability changes for any of the roundtables after you have registered please contact Sarah Jeu at sarah.jeu@sc.ohio.gov.

2018 Specialized Dockets Conference

SAVE THE DATE!

Conference Date: October 11-12, 2018 Full days

Location: The Ohio State University, Ohio Union

The 2018 Annual Specialized Docket Conference will occur on October 11 and 12.

2017 and 2018 Commission on Specialized Dockets Meeting Dates

The 2017 and 2018 *Commission on Specialized Dockets* meeting dates are scheduled as follows:

- Thursday, December 21, 2017 (Telephonic)
- Thursday, March 15, 2018 (In-Person)
- Friday, June 15, 2018 (In-Person)
- Thursday, September 6, 2018 (In-Person)
- Friday, December 14, 2018 (In-Person)

All In-Person meetings are from **10 a.m. to 2 p.m.** at the Ohio Judicial Center.

All telephonic meetings will start promptly at 12:00 p.m. Please email [Sarah Jau](#) for the conference call information.

For directions to the Court, please visit our [website](#).

Case Law Updates

SPECIALIZED DOCKET COURTS AND NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

<http://www.ohioadvop.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/Adv-Op-2017-6-Final.pdf>

TERMS OF POSTRELEASE CONTROL NEED NOT BE REPEATED VERBATIM IN SENTENCING ENTRY

<http://www.courtnewsOhio.gov/cases/2017/SCO/0524/160215.asp#.WTAoRmeV-Uk>

BJA FAQ – CASE LAW SUMMARY

<http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/JCS/specDockets/resources/newsletter/info/BJAJune2015.pdf>

NDCI: LEGAL GUIDANCE FROM THE EXPERTS

<https://www.ndci.org/resources/law/>

Register for Webinars

****NEW**** SAMHSA WEBINAR FOR FAMILY TREATMENT COURT GRANTS

Date: December 20, 2017 at 2:00pm-4:00pm ET

This webinar will provide more information and answer questions regarding the [Grants to Expand Substance Abuse Treatment Capacity in Family Treatment Drug Courts](#). The purpose of these grants is to expand substance use disorder (SUD) treatment services in existing family treatment drug courts, which use the family treatment drug court model in order to provide alcohol and drug treatment to parents with an SUD and/or co-occurring SUD and mental health disorders who have had a dependency petition filed against them or are at risk of such filing. Services must address the needs of the family as a whole and include direct service provision to children (18 and under) of individuals served by this project.

To participate:

1) Call 1-888-391-7046 and enter participant passcode 1545849.

2) Log in at <https://www.mymeetings.com/nc/join.php?i=PWXW6340348&p=1545849&t=c>

TREATMENT COURTS ONLINE

<https://treatmentcourts.org/>

BATTERED WOMEN'S JUSTICE PROJECT LIST OF CURRENT TRAININGS

<http://www.bwjp.org/our-training-and-services.html>

Ohio Trainings

DISPUTE RESOLUTION CONFERENCE

Date: March 13, 2018

[Click here for more information on the Conference.](#)

2018 OHIO JUDICIAL COLLEGE TRAININGS

To view the 2018 training calendar, click [here](#).

2017 OHIO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE NETWORK TRAININGS

All of ODVN's training opportunities are posted online under the "training" tab at <http://www.odvn.org/>

National Trainings

****NEW**** 2018 DWI COURT FOUNDATIONAL TRAINING

Applications Now Available!

Applications Deadline: April 30, 2018

NADCP's [National Center for DWI Courts](#) (NCDC) is pleased to announce that registration is now open for 2018 DWI Court Foundational Training. This 3.5-day training is designed for courts not yet operating a DWI court program, teams that have had significant staff changes, or teams that have never attended an NCDC training. Your team will benefit from the one-on-one interaction with our experts while developing an action plan to maximize your resources and integrate best practices into your DWI court program.

All Foundational Training takes place on site at one of our four DWI Academy Courts. Don't wait: space is limited!

August 6-9, 2018 | Billings, MT

September 11-14, 2018 | Duluth, MN

October 9-12, 2018 | El Paso, TX

December 3-6, 2018 | Athens, GA

[Click here for more information or to apply.](#)

TRANSITIONING JUDGES ONLINE COURSE AVAILABLE NOW!!

NDICI in collaboration with the National Judicial College funded by the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is pleased to announce this new online tool for judges. This is a self-paced online course that will assist you in learning about the nature of your new job and the types of questions you are likely to face. Only persons who have been elected or appointed as judges, magistrate, or other judicial officer and who have registered for the program may enter the course. The entire course will take you between 6 to 8 hours to complete. [Click here to register for the Transitioning Judges Online Course Now!!](#)

VISIT A MENTOR VETERANS TREATMENT COURT

[Apply today!](#)

Justice for Vets is pleased to announce that applications are now being accepted to participate in a one-day site visit to a mentor veterans treatment court. Mentor courts serve as model programs for individuals and court teams interested in starting a veterans treatment court or for established courts interested in learning innovative practices. All site visits are FREE for up to three individuals!

VISIT A MENTOR DRUG COURT

[Apply today!](#)

Site visits are FREE for up to three individuals! Whether you're starting a new Adult Drug Court or re-tooling an existing program, don't miss the chance to receive training from some of the best programs in the country.

Resources

****NEW RELEASES****

December is Impaired Driving Prevention Month, an important opportunity to introduce our communities and elected officials to the lives saved, families reunited, and streets made safer through the incredible work of treatment courts serving DWI offenders. NADCP's National Center for DWI Courts has produced an [Impaired Driving Prevention Month toolkit](#) to help your treatment court plan and execute events, as well as educate your elected officials and the media.

- [Tribal Healing to Wellness Courts: Treatment Guidelines, 2nd ed](#) – NADCP
- [Legal Guidance from the Experts](#) – NDCI
- [Serious Mental Illness Report on Full Continuum of Psychiatric Care](#) - Treatment Advocacy Center/NAMHPD

Specialized Dockets Certification [HOMEPAGE](#)

Please check the Specialized Dockets Certification webpage for current information on certification and certification resources.

Specialized Docket Certification Status Sheet:

- [Organized By Docket Type](#)
- [Organized By County](#)

[Certification Application](#)

[Post Final Certification: Maintenance of Certification Materials Form](#)

[Certification Standards](#)

[Rules of Superintendence](#)

GENERAL RESOURCES

- [Adult Drug Court Best Practice Standards – Volume I](#) - NADCP
- [Adult Drug Court Best Practice Standards – Volume II](#) – NADCP
- [Essential Elements of Adult Drug Courts](#) - NDCI
- [The Drug Court Judicial Benchbook](#) – NDCI ***Updated**
- [BJA Drug Court Technical Assistance Project's "Frequently Asked Questions"](#) - BJA
- [NADCP/NDCI Resource Center](#)
- [NADCP/NDCI Fact Sheets](#)
- [Webinar Collection: The Justice Programs Office, School Of Public Affairs, American University](#) - BJA
- [Webinar Collection: Tune In On Tuesday Webinar Series Archives](#) - NDCRC
- [Free Online Tutorials](#) - NCSACW
- [Online Courses](#) - NDCI
- [Facing Addiction In America: The Surgeon General's Report On Alcohol, Drugs, And Health](#) – Surgeon General
- [Webinar: Medicaid and the Jail Population](#) – OhioMHAS
- [Process Measures At The Interface Between The Justice System And Behavioral Health: Advancing Practice Outcomes](#) – BJA and CSG Justice Center
- [Guidelines for Successful Transition of People with Mental or Substance Use Disorders from Jail and Prison: Implementation Guide](#) - SAMHSA
- [Webinar: 42 CFR Part 2: Final Rule Overview](#) – SAMHSA
- [The Science of Drug Use: Discussion Points](#) - NIDA
- [Chronic Substance Use and Cognitive Effects on the Brain: An Introduction](#) – SAMHSA
- [Webinar Series: Trauma-Informed Innovations in Crisis Services](#) – NASMHPD
- [Tribal Healing to Wellness Courts: Treatment Guidelines, 2nd ed](#) – NADCP

RISK/NEED/TRACKS

- [Fact Sheet: Selecting and Using Risk and Needs Assessments](#) - NDCI
- [Fact Sheet: Targeting the Right Participants for Drug Courts](#) - NDCI
- [Fact Sheet: Alternative Tracks in Adult Drug Courts](#) - NDCI
- [Drug Court Review](#) (see page 43 for article regarding alternative tracks) – NDCI
- [Myths & Facts - Using Risk and Need Assessments to Enhance Outcomes and Reduce Disparities in the Criminal Justice System](#) - NIC

DRUG TESTING RESOURCES

- [The Marijuana Detection Window](#) - NDCI
- [Urine Drug Concentrations](#) - NDCI
- [Designer Drugs: What Drug Court Practitioners Need to Know](#) - NDCI

INCENTIVES AND SANCTIONS

- [Behavior Modification 101 for Drug Courts: Making the Most of Incentives and Sanctions](#) - NDCI
- [List of Incentives and Sanctions](#) - NDCRC

MENTAL HEALTH DOCKETS

- [Interdisciplinary Curriculum for Developing a Mental Health Court](#) – CSG Justice Center
- [Webinar: Developing Program Phases in a Mental Health Court](#) – CSG Justice Center
- [Guidelines for Successful Transition of People with Mental or Substance Use Disorders from Jail and Prison: Implementation Guide](#) – SAMHSA
- [Serious Mental Illness Report on Full Continuum of Psychiatric Care](#) - Treatment Advocacy Center/NAMHPD

CASE LAW RESOURCES

- [BJA FAQ – Case Law Summary](#) – BJA
- [Legal Guidance from the Experts](#) – NDCI

FUNDING

- [Ensuring Sustainability for Drug Courts: An Overview of Funding Strategies](#) - NDCI
- [Webinar: Grant Writing 101](#) – Addiction Policy Forum

STATISTICS

- [Drug Courts Work: NADCP Capital Hill Brief 2015](#) - NADCP
- [Painting the Current Picture: A National Report on Drug Courts and Other Problem-Solving Courts in the United States](#) – NDCRC
- [Trends in Substance Use Disorders Among Adults Aged 18 or Older](#) – SAMHSA
- [Behavioral Health Barometer, Volume 4 – Ohio specific report](#) – SAMHSA
- [2016 Ohio Drug Overdose Data: General Findings](#) – Ohio Department of Health
- [Drug Overdose in Ohio](#) – Ohio Department of Health

ACCESS TO JUSTICE

- [Collection of Fines and Court Costs Bench Card](#) - SCO
- [Sealing Criminal Records Bench Card](#) - SCO

RECOVERY ORIENTED SYSTEMS OF CARE

- [Fact Sheet: Building Recovery-Oriented Systems of Care for Drug Court Participants](#) - NDCI

TREATMENT RESOURCES

- [HHS Works To Expand Medication-Assisted Treatment \(MAT\) To Address Opioid Epidemic](#) - HHS
- [Fact Sheet: Medication Assisted Treatment for Opioid Use Disorders in Drug Courts](#) - NDCI
- [Fact Sheet: Alternatives to Opioids for Chronic Pain Relief](#) - NDCI
- [Fact Sheet On Prescription Drug Misuse](#) – NDCI
- [Request for Proposals \(RFP\): Questions for Drug Court Treatment Providers](#) (including MAT) – NDCI
- [Webinar: Medication Assisted Treatments \(MAT\) for Substance Use Disorders](#) – NDCRC
- [Providers' Clinical Support System for Medication Assisted Treatment](#) – PCSS (NADCP partner)
- [MATx App](#) – SAMHSA
- [Drugs & the Brain Wallet Card](#) – NIDA
- [www.TreatmentCourts.org](#) – CCI

JUVENILE DRUG COURTS

- [Juvenile Drug Treatment Court Guidelines](#) - OJJDP
- [Webinar: Team Member Transition in Juvenile Drug Courts](#) - NCJFCJ
- [Webinar: Juvenile Drug Courts \(JDC\) 101](#) - NCJFCJ
- [Webinar Collection: National Council Of Juvenile And Family Court Judges](#) – NCJFCJ
- <http://www.nationaldec.org/> - National DEC
- [Brief: Family Engagement in Juvenile Drug Treatment Courts](#) – NCJFCJ and NCMHJJ

FAMILY DEPENDENCY TREATMENT (DRUG) COURTS

- [Guidance to States: Recommendations for Developing Family Drug Court Guidelines](#) - CFF
- [Webinar Series: Substance Abuse and Child Welfare Practice](#) – OCWTP
- [National Strategic Plan For Family Drug Courts](#) – CFF & OJJDP
- [Webinar Series: Substance Abuse & Child Welfare Practice](#) - OCWTP

OPIATE ADDICTION

- [Let's Treat It Together – Call To Action Video](#) – The Ohio Channel
- [2014 Ohio Judicial Symposium On Opiate Addiction Webpage](#) – OhioMHAS
- [2015 Ohio Judicial Symposium On Addiction And Child Welfare](#) - OACBHA
- [Principles For The Use Of Medication Assisted Treatment \(MAT\) In Drug Courts](#) – SCO
- [CDC Comprehensive Guidelines For Prescribing Opioids For Chronic Pain](#) - CDC
- [E-learning: Naloxone Training](#) - NDCI
- [Fact Sheet: Naloxone: Overview and Considerations for Drug Court Programs](#) - NDCI

CO-OCCURRING DISORDERS

- [Webinar Series: Critical Treatment Issues With Dr. Mee-Lee](#) - BJA
- [3RD Edition: SAMHSA/GAINS Center Monograph On “Screening And Assessment Of Co-Occurring Disorders In The Justice System”](#) - SAMHSA
- [Municipal Courts: An Effective Tool For Diverting People With Mental And Substance Use Disorders From The Criminal Justice System](#) - SAMHSA
- [FIRST: Early Identification And Treatment Of Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders](#) - Best Practices in Schizophrenia Treatment [\(BeST\) Center](#)

VETERANS TREATMENT COURTS

- [Homeless Veterans: SSVF Toolkit](#) – VA
- [Veterans Treatment Courts: A Second Chance For Vets Who Have Lost Their Way](#) – NIC
- [BREAKING BARRIERS: Enhancing Responses in Veterans Treatment Courts and Domestic Violence Courts](#) – Center for Court Innovation

Funding

****NEW** BECOME A NEW SITE WITH THE NCJFCJ JUVENILE DRUG TREATMENT COURT LEARNING COLLABORATIVE**

Application Deadline: December 31, 2017

The NCJFCJ is excited to announce a unique opportunity to test the [Juvenile Drug Treatment Court \(JDTC\) Guidelines](#) (Guidelines), released in 2016 by the Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency and Prevention, in sites participating in the JDTC Learning Collaborative. This means that the selected sites will be evaluated by an independent research organization to determine if JDTCs and the Guidelines are effective. This new and exciting venture will include up to 12 JDTC teams willing and able to meet the intensive research requirements. The NCJFCJ will select six new sites through a call for applications process. These sites will receive:

- additional training on the JDTC Guidelines (travel assistance included);
- support and technical assistance to implement recommended practices; and
- financial support for additional research activities (up to \$25,000 for each site).

For courts participating in the study, the JDTC should have 35-40 youth enrolled over a two year period and access to data on 100-110 other youth served by an affiliated (non-JDTC) juvenile court (i.e., the larger juvenile justice system).

[Click here for more information.](#)

[Click here to submit an application.](#)

****NEW** 2018 GRANTS TO EXPAND SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT CAPACITY IN FAMILY TREATMENT DRUG COURTS**

Application Deadline: January 16, 2018

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAT) is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2018 Grants to Expand Substance Abuse Treatment Capacity in Family Treatment Drug Courts [Short Title: Family Treatment Drug Courts (FTDC)]. The purpose of this program is to expand substance use disorder (SUD) treatment services in existing family treatment drug courts, which use the family treatment drug court model in order to provide alcohol and drug treatment to parents with a SUD and/or co-occurring SUD and mental disorders who have had a dependency petition filed against them or are at risk of such filing. Services must address the needs of the family as a whole and include direct service provision to children (18 and under) of individuals served by this project.

[Click here for more information.](#)

SAMHSA Webinar for Family Treatment Court Grants:

Wednesday, December 20, 2017 | 2:00pm-4:00pm

Call 1-888-391-7046 and enter participant passcode 1545849.

Log-in to the webinar at: <https://www.mymeetings.com/nc/join.php?i=PWXW6340348&p=1545849&t=c>

COMBATTING HATE INITIATIVE

Deadline: Rolling

The Open Society Foundation is awarding grants for a rapid-response initiative to support, protect, and empower those who are targets of hateful acts and rhetoric. The initiative is designed to bolster communities' ability to resist the spread of hate and strengthen protections for their most vulnerable neighbors. The foundation is employing a special, streamlined process to review requests on an expedited basis, distribute money quickly to communities, and allow grantees to get to work fast. There will be \$10 million available for multiple awards. Eligibility is limited to nonprofits.

Information: <https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/grants/communities-against-hate-20161122>

FAMILY/DV GRANTS FROM TJ MAXX/MARSHALLS PARENT CORPORATION

Deadline: Rolling

If your area has a TJ Maxx or Marshalls, you could apply for a range of grants focusing on low-income families, domestic violence, children, and youth. The TJX Foundation focuses its charitable giving on programs that provide basic-need services to disadvantaged women, children, and families in communities with a TJX presence. Eligibility is limited to 501C-3 non-profits. Other TJX stores are HomeGoods, Winners, AJ Wright, and HomeSense. Potential applicants should take a quick questionnaire before proceeding at https://www.grantrequest.com/SID_701/Default.asp?SA=SNA&FID=35009&SESID=58585&RL=. Once a potential applicant completes the questionnaire, the organization will be contacted if it meets eligibility requirements in the application form.

GENERAL YOUTH FUNDING

Deadline: Rolling

Website: www.aecf.org

Most of the work the Annie E. Casey Foundation supports takes the form of multi-year, multi-site, foundation-based projects. However, the foundation, which focuses on helping vulnerable and at-risk children, youth and their families, does not discourage interested organizations from submitting letter of inquiry when looking for grants. Founded in 1948, the primary mission of the Foundation is to foster public policies, human-service reforms, and community supports that more effectively meet the needs of vulnerable children and families. It is the 15th largest private foundation in the United States, with assets of more than \$3 billion, and ranks 20th in the nation for charitable giving.

PUBLIC WELFARE FOUNDATION GRANTS

Deadline: Open and Rolling

Website: www.publicwelfare.org

The Public Welfare Foundation (PWF) offers \$1.5 million in grants for its Criminal Justice Program competition. Funds promote a fair and humane criminal justice system and violence prevention that includes alternatives to incarceration, effective legal representation and the reintegration of offenders as productive citizens. Proposals are welcomed from a wide range of organizations and can include both governmental and independent advocacy groups.

MCCORMICK TRIBUNE FOUNDATION COMMUNITIES PROGRAM GRANTS

Deadline: Ongoing

Website: www.mccormicktribune.org/programs.aspx

The McCormick Tribune Foundation Communities Program supports efforts to stimulate local philanthropy and improve community life through collaborative partnerships in communities nationwide. The foundation helps to support projects that address basic human needs, children and youth at risk, veterans, and community strengthening efforts.

SUPPORTING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS

Deadline: Varies by Program

The National Network to End Domestic Violence Fund (NNEDVF) teams up with the Allstate Foundation to support NNEDVF grants to aid domestic violence survivors. The program supports 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations whose core mission is to serve or represent victims of domestic violence and their children. The effort also provides small grants to survivors of domestic violence (women and their families) to help them achieve their educational and job related goals. Any survivor of domestic violence is eligible to apply; however, the application must be completed by a local domestic violence program or coalition to be accepted. Applications will be assessed based on the need. There are a variety of grants available such as one that works through state coalitions to train advocates and encourage economic independence from abusers.

Information: <http://www.allstate.com/foundation/domestic-violence-grants.aspx> or 202/543-5566.

Job Openings

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