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THE SUPREME COURT *of* OHIO

Specialized Dockets Newsletter

May 11, 2018

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.

Please note: we are using the OhioCourtEDU system for registrations. All attendees will need to have their own individual accounts to register. You will need to login or create an account in order to register for the roundtables. If you have questions or need registration assistance please contact Sarah Jeu at sarah.jeu@sc.ohio.gov or 614-387-9430.

Coordinators	Thursday, August 23, 2018	To register click here.
Probation Officers	Thursday, May 24, 2018 Thursday, November 1, 2018	To register click here.
Human Trafficking	Friday, July 6, 2018	To register click here.
Mental Health	Thursday, August 9, 2018	To register click here.

Please register for roundtables at least one week before the event.

2018 Commission on Specialized Dockets Meeting Dates

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

- 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 Jeu](mailto:Sarah.Jeu) if you plan on attending a meeting. For directions and parking information, 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>

ACCEPTING DONATIONS

<https://www.ohioadvop.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Op-04-013.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>

NDCI: LEGAL GUIDANCE FROM THE EXPERTS

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

Register for Webinars

TRICARE MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER SERVICES

Date: May 17, 2018 at 1:00-2:00PM ET

Mental health and substance use disorders can interfere with your life and overall physical health. They can be mild and brief, or more serious and persistent. And, they are also treatable. TRICARE covers mental health and substance use disorder care that's medically or psychologically necessary. This includes both outpatient and inpatient services. This webinar will highlight some of these services.

[Click here for more information and to register.](#)

FIRST NATIONAL OLDER ADULT MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS DAY ONLINE WEBCAST

Date: May 18, 2018 at 10:00-12:30PM ET

SAMHSA and the Administration for Community Living, together with the National Coalition on Mental Health and Aging, will hold a meeting to focus on the topics of mental health and aging specifically related to the prevention, treatment, and recovery support options for older adults with serious mental illness and substance use disorders. This discussion is designed to heighten public awareness about the mental health of older Americans and spur action to address the needs of this population. Participate online.

[Click here for more information and to register.](#)

RECOVERY-ORIENTED ENGAGEMENT PRACTICES SPRING 2018 SERIES THERAPEUTIC ALLIANCE AND ITS IMPACT ON ENGAGEMENT

Forrest (Rusty) Foster, M.S.W., Senior Implementation Specialist at the Center for Practice Innovations, Columbia University and Regina Shoen, Advocacy Specialist with the New York State Office of Mental Health, Office of Consumer Affairs will present clinical frameworks for strengthening engagement and alliance in therapeutic relationships, based on recovery oriented principles and practices.

[Click here to view the recording.](#)

ENGAGEMENT VIA A CRISIS OR PRE-CRISIS TOOL WITHIN A WELLNESS RECOVERY ACTION PLAN (WRAP)

Nev Jones, M.A., M.A., PhD, Assistant Professor, University of South Florida and Matthew R. Federici, M.S., C.P.R.P. Executive Director of The Copeland Center will draw from the tools and resources in peer provided practices to identify respectful and meaningful approaches to engagement.

[Click here for anticipated release of recording.](#)

SOCIAL MEDIA/TECHNOLOGY FOR OUTREACH AND ENGAGEMENT

Date: May 23, 2018 at 1:00-2:00PM ET

John Naslund, PhD, Harvard Medical School, Global Health and Social Medicine will share his research and experiences working alongside individuals living with serious mental illness and community mental health providers. He will discuss ways to use technology and social media to overcome engagement challenges in a 21st century world.

[Click here to register.](#)

THE POWER OF PERCEPTIONS AND UNDERSTANDING: CHANGING HOW WE DELIVER TREATMENT AND RECOVERY SERVICES

This four-part webcast series educates healthcare professionals about the problems of discriminatory practices and inaccurate perceptions in dealing with individuals with substance use disorders (SUDs) and related conditions, as well as the actions and pathways needed to resolve them. Webcasts will feature discussions among experts in the field of addiction treatment, research, and policy.

Intended Audience: addiction treatment professionals, public health field staff, and medical personnel.

[Click here for more information and to register.](#)

OVERCOMING STIGMA, ENDING DISCRIMINATION

Date: March 28, 2018

WHY ADDICTION IS A "DISEASE" AND WHY IT'S IMPORTANT

Date: April 26, 2018

REDUCING DISCRIMINATORY PRACTICES IN CLINICAL SETTINGS

Date: May 22, 2018

A FUTURE WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION AND DISCRIMINATORY PRACTICES

Date: June 19, 2018

RECOVERY-ORIENTED ENGAGEMENT PRACTICES SPRING 2018 SERIES

Date: May 23, 2018 at 1:00-2:00PM ET

SAMHSA will be hosting the 3rd and final part of a 3-part webinar series: Social Media/Technology for Outreach and Engagement. This webinar will focus on how social media and technology can be used to overcome engagement challenges.

[Click here for more information and to register.](#)

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

2018 OPIATE CONFERENCE

Registration is open!

Date: June 11 & 12, 2018

The Ohio Association of County Behavioral Health Authorities has announced plans to host the 9th Annual Opiate Conference in Columbus. This year's conference will again provide attendees with the latest research on opiates as well as providing community resources to assist in curbing opiate use in Ohio. Keynote speakers will also be announced in the coming weeks that will bring new and exciting perspectives to how we are dealing with the opiate crisis in our state.

[Click here for more information.](#)

SPECIALIZED DOCKETS: PRACTICING LAW IN PROBLEM-SOLVING COURTS

Registration is open!

Date: June 18, 2018

Speaker: Helen Harberts, J.D., M.A.

This training will focus on constitutional and other legal issues facing our specialized dockets. Learn about common pitfalls and potential ethical dilemmas facing the practicing attorney or judge of a specialized docket. Maximize your legal knowledge to improve your docket and achieve better outcomes for participants.

Training has applied for 4.75 CLE hours total, with 3.5 of those being professional conduct hours.

[Click here for more information and to register.](#)

SAVE THE DATE! 2018 SPECIALIZED DOCKET CONFERENCE

Dates: October 11-12, 2018 - Full days

Location: The Ohio State University, Ohio Union | Columbus Ohio

SAVE THE DATE! 2018 ANNUAL FORENSIC CONFERENCE **“FORENSIC ASSESSMENT OF PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES”**

Date: October 25, 2018

Cost: \$145, includes breakfast, lunch, and afternoon snack

Keynote Speaker:

Marc Tassé, PhD, Professor, Departments of Psychology & Psychiatry
Director, Nisonger Center—UCEDD, The Ohio State University, Columbus

Application will be made for CME/CEU/MCE/CLEs.

If you have questions, please contact Dr. Robert Baker at Robert.Baker@mha.ohio.gov

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

NADCP ANNUAL TRAINING CONFERENCE FEATURING VET COURT CON

Date: May 30, 2018 - June 2, 2018

Location: Houston, TX

The world’s largest conference on addiction, mental health, and recovery in the justice system is heading to Houston! The 24th NADCP Annual Training Conference will once again feature hundreds of sessions on the critical issues affecting treatment courts. Registration and housing are now open.

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

TRANSITIONING JUDGES ONLINE COURSE AVAILABLE NOW!!

NDCI 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****

- [Searchable Database to Find Treatment Resources](#) – Emerald Jenny Foundation
- [Resource Guide 101: Implementing a FDTC](#) – SCO
- [Resource Guide 201](#) – SCO
- [Fact Sheets About 42 CFR Part 2: Confidentiality of Substance Use Disorder Records](#) - SAMHSA

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/NDCl Resource Center](#)
- [NADCP/NDCl 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
- [Fact Sheets About 42 CFR Part 2: Confidentiality of Substance Use Disorder Records](#) - SAMHSA

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

- [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
- [Clinical Guidance for Treating Pregnant and Parenting Women With Opioid Use Disorder and Their Infants](#) – SAMHSA
- [Finding Quality Treatment for Substance Use Disorders](#) – SAMHSA
- [Searchable Database to Find Treatment Resources](#) – Emerald Jenny Foundation

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
- [Resource Guide 101: Implementing a FDTC](#) – SCO
- [Resource Guide 201](#) – SCO

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
- [Getting the Right Help for Opioid Dependence or Withdrawal](#) – Federal Trade Commission

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** SAMHSA IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR UP TO \$23.7 MILLION IN GRANTS TO TREAT SERIOUS MENTAL ILLNESS**

Application Deadline: May 29, 2018

SAMHSA is accepting applications for its Assertive Community Treatment grants and expects to award up to seven grants, of up to \$678,000 per year, for up to 5 years. The grants will be used to improve behavioral health outcomes by reducing the rates of hospitalization and death for people with a serious mental illness (SMI). SAMHSA expects that the program will also reduce the rates of substance use, homelessness and involvement with the criminal justice system among people with SMI.

Solicitation: <https://www.samhsa.gov/newsroom/press-announcements/201804020400>

****NEW** SAMHSA IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR UP TO \$5 MILLION FOR THE NATIONAL CENTER OF EXCELLENCE FOR TOBACCO-FREE RECOVERY**

Application Deadline: June 1, 2018

SAMHSA is accepting applications for the National Center of Excellence for Tobacco-Free Recovery (National Center-TFR) grant program totaling up to \$5 million over the next 5 years. The purpose of this program is to establish a national center with specialized subject matter expertise to provide training and technical assistance. The National Center-TFR will build upon and expand SAMHSA's efforts to increase awareness, disseminate current research, educate behavioral health providers, and create results-oriented collaborations among stakeholder organizations in an effort to reduce tobacco use among individuals with behavioral health disorders.

Solicitation: <https://www.samhsa.gov/newsroom/press-announcements/201804030200>

****NEW** SAMHSA IS ANNOUNCING THE AVAILABILITY OF UP TO \$210 MILLION FOR PROJECT AWARE STATE EDUCATION AGENCY GRANTS**

Application Deadline: June 4, 2018

SAMHSA is accepting applications for Project AWARE (Advancing Wellness and Resilience in Education) State Education Agency grants totaling up to \$210 million over the next five years. The purpose of this program is to build or expand the capacity of State Educational Agencies, in partnership with State Mental Health Agencies overseeing school-aged youth and local education agencies to:

- Increase awareness of mental health issues among school-aged youth;
- Provide training for school personnel and other adults who interact with school-aged youth;
- Connect school-aged youth, who may have behavioral health issues, and their families to needed services.

SAMHSA expects that this program will focus on partnerships and collaboration between state and local systems to promote the healthy development of school-aged youth and prevent youth violence. SAMHSA expects to fund up to 23 grantees with up to \$1.8 million per year for up to five years.

Solicitation: <https://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grant-announcements/sm-18-006>

****NEW** SAMHSA IS ANNOUNCING THE AVAILABILITY OF UP TO \$4.7 MILLION FOR IMPROVING ACCESS TO OVERDOSE TREATMENT GRANTS**

Application Deadline: June 4, 2018

SAMHSA is accepting applications for Improving Access to Overdose Treatment (OD Treatment Access) grants totaling up to \$4.7 million over the next five years. The purpose is to award Federally Qualified Health Centers, Opioid Treatment Programs, or practitioners who have a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine to expand access to Food and Drug Administration approved drugs or devices for emergency treatment of known or suspected opioid overdose. SAMHSA expects to fund up to 5 grantees with up to \$200,000 per year for up to five years.

Solicitation: <https://www.samhsa.gov/grants/grant-announcements/sp-18-006>

****NEW** DISTANCE LEARNING & TELEMEDICINE GRANTS**

Application Deadline: June 4, 2018

The Distance Learning and Telemedicine program helps rural communities use the unique capabilities of telecommunications to connect to each other and to the world, overcoming the effects of remoteness and low population density. For example, this program can link teachers and medical service providers in one area to students and patients in another.

Solicitation: <https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/distance-learning-telemedicine-grants>

****NEW** COMMUNITY FACILITIES DIRECT LOAN & GRANT PROGRAM**

Application Deadline: June 4, 2018

This program provides affordable funding to develop essential community facilities in rural areas. An essential community facility is defined as a facility that provides an essential service to the local community for the orderly development of the community in a primarily rural area, and does not include private, commercial or business undertakings.

Solicitation: <https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/community-facilities-direct-loan-grant-program>

****NEW** BJA FY 18 ADULT DRUG COURT DISCRETIONARY GRANT PROGRAM**

Application Deadline: June 5, 2018

The purpose of the Adult Drug Court Discretionary Grant Program is to provide financial and technical assistance to states, state courts, local courts, units of local government, and Indian tribal governments to develop and implement drug courts that effectively integrate evidence-based substance use disorder treatment, mandatory drug testing, sanctions and incentives, and transitional services in a judicially supervised court setting with jurisdiction over substance-misusers to include addressing the opioid epidemic. BJA is accepting applications for FY 2018 grants to either establish new drug courts or enhance existing drug court programs using evidence-based principles and practices, as well as statewide level grants. BJA also supports courts that integrate the National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP) adult drug court standards into existing drug court services.

Solicitation: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=304477>

****NEW**** OJJDP FY 2018 DRUG TREATMENT COURTS PROGRAM

Applications Deadline: June 21, 2018

The Drug Treatment Courts Program builds the capacity of states, state and local courts, units of local government, and federally recognized tribal governments to enhance pre-existing drug courts or implement new drug courts for individuals with substance abuse problems or co-occurring mental health disorders, including histories of trauma. OJJDP expects successful applicants to develop and implement a sustainability plan during the grant period to continue operation of the drug court when the grant ends.

Solicitation: <https://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2018/DrugTC.pdf>

****NEW**** CALL FOR PAPERS: DRUG COURT REVIEW

Submission Deadline: July 31, 2018

The Resource Center is pleased to announce that the *Drug Court Review* is now accepting articles for an upcoming issue focusing on **innovative treatments and approaches employed by specialized court programs**. Submissions are due July 31, 2018 and publication is expected in December 2018. Authors are encouraged to email the National Drug Court Resource Center (ndcrc@american.edu) or Dr. Julie Baldwin (baldwin.julie@marie@gmail.com), editor in chief, with questions.

Solicitation: <https://ndcrc.org/drugcourtreviewcfp2018/>

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: <https://donate.mccormickfoundation.org/communities>

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.

Website: https://www.allstatefoundation.org/domestic_violence_our_impact.html

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