

# Questions ?

If you have questions regarding the Drug Court Program, please feel free to send us an email or call.

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## **Macomb County Adult Drug Court**

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16th Judicial Circuit  
Macomb County

# Adult Drug Court



## Our Adult Drug Court

The Macomb County Adult Drug Court began in 2003 and continues today with two judges and up to 50 participants. We are very fortunate to be supported by a state drug court grant, a contribution by the County and assistance from the non-profit group, Macomb Community Drug Courts Inc.



Participants who are accepted

must complete 4 phases over a period of 15 to 24 months. The phases include requirements in areas such as substance abuse treatment, alcohol and drug testing, support group meetings and education/employment, while they continue to work on establishing a recovery-based lifestyle.

## Applying for Drug Court

If the originating judge agrees, and basic eligibility is met, the assistant prosecutor and the defense counsel negotiate a plea and the originating judge will take the plea under advisement.

Defense counsel will complete the eligibility form with their client.

The completed form must to be delivered to Specialty Court Services. It may also be faxed to (586) 783-8179.

The Adult Drug Court Coordinator will complete an assessment. If the defendant is on bond, he/she will need to set an appointment for the assessment at (586) 469-5229.

If the defendant is deemed an acceptable candidate after the assessment, Specialty Court Services will schedule the case for sentencing before the appropriate drug court judge.

If the defendant is deemed to not be an acceptable candidate after the assessment and PSI reports are completed, the case will proceed with sentencing before the originating judge.

## Eligibility Requirements

- Age 18 or older
- Legal resident of the United States and resides in Macomb County, MI
- No assaultive felony convictions
- No prior weapon offenses or weapon used or possessed during commission of the crime
- No criminal sexual conduct convictions
- No severe mental health diagnosis or significant cognitive impairment
- Cannot use marijuana for medicinal purposes
- Cannot take addictive pain medication
- Cannot take addictive mental health medication
- Cannot use methadone or suboxone