Essex County Sheriff Department’s Detoxification Unit Guide

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Referral Process

🌟 All referrals are generated through the courts
- Judges
- Probation
- Defense Attorneys
- District Attorney
- Police

🌟 An ECSD staff member will be available to discuss potential referrals.
Reasons for Detox Unit

- Growth in pre-trial population and a lack of community detoxification beds are causing severe overcrowding in jails.
- Upon completion of the 28-day treatment, individuals may be able to dispose of their cases by utilizing other pre-trial tools as an alternative to incarceration.
Who is Eligible?

★ Violation of Probation cases (i.e. dirty screens for opiates, other drugs and/or alcohol)
★ Anyone presenting clear signs of addiction
★ Probationers, who seem interested and/or invested in wanting help at no cost to them
★ Crimes of violence and serious felony charges eliminate individuals from consideration.

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Individualized Care

★ Medical
  - After medical assessment, individuals may receive medication to assist with withdrawal symptoms.

★ Psychological
★ Emotional
★ Spiritual
★ Personal hygiene
  - Limited canteen available to purchase personal products

★ Accountability
★ Respect for others and the rehabilitation process
Unit Essentials

★ Bedding:
  - 42 hospital style detoxification beds; conducive to rehabilitation

★ Laundry
  - Services available daily

★ Dietary Supplements: Aramark
  - Three meals per day
  - Juice, fruit and light snacks available on unit

★ Recreation: on unit
  - Elliptical
  - Two stationary bikes
On-Unit Care

🌟 Medical: NaphCare
- Fully equipped medical suite
- 24-hour medically trained personnel

🌟 Psychological: AdCare
- Individual counseling
- Dual collaboration treatment plan created with Probation
- On-staff treatment clinician

🌟 Spiritual
- Access to all religious services available at ECCF
Return to Court

After completion of 28 day detox:

- Transportation provided by ECSD to the court
- Individual treatment plan shared with Probation via email and hand-delivered to assist Judge, Assistant DA and court officials
Detoxification Unit Tracks

★ Track I: Offenders that are NOT returned to incarceration at the ECSD, but are released with court-ordered conditions such as:
★ Long-term treatment center admittance;
★ Medically-assisted Treatment
★ Level 2, 3 & 4 mandated Office of Community Corrections (OCC) day reporting
★ Community Service and drug testing
★ GPS Home confinement/work release and drug testing.
Detoxification Unit Tracks (cont.)

★ Track II: Returned to custody.
★ ECPRC
  ▪ Mandatory drug testing
  ▪ GPS supervision
  ▪ Individual aftercare treatment plan until case is adjudicated.
★ Pre-trial status (TRAC program)
Medically-Assisted Treatment

★ Vivitrol – prescribed, injectable medication used to treat alcohol and opioid dependence
★ Additional tool to supplement other forms of recovery treatment to provide better outcomes for sustained recovery
★ Available to Pre-trial and Sentenced population upon release
★ Requires education, counseling, medical clearance and scheduling of after-care follow-up appointment
ECSD & PAARI Recovery Coach Program

- One male and one female recovery coach assigned to ECSD Male and Female Detox Units – 10-20 hours/week
- Provide peer recovery support services to inmates to assist them in achieving sustained recovery
- Work collaboratively with ECSD Detox team and inmates to develop comprehensive treatment plan
- Address barriers to successful recovery and serve as a role model and advocate for Unit inmates
ECSD & PAARI Recovery Coach Program

★ Conduct group meetings and meet one-on-one with individual inmates as assigned to encourage attendance and participation in recovery-oriented, self-help and pro-social groups

★ In consultation with the ECSD Detox team, accompany inmates to court in order to provide support prior to and after court proceeding

★ Benefits – links to recovery assets “beyond the walls”
  - Continuum of Community-based Recovery Care
  - Saving Lives & Families
  - Reducing Recidivism & Safer Communities
ECSD Detox Contacts

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