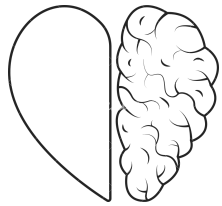


Services We Provide Our Clients



TREATMENT REFERRALS

INDIVIDUAL COUNSELING

MEDICATION ASSISTANCE

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www.recoverycourt.com

You can also like us on Facebook @ Sumner County Behavioral Health Court. To talk with a representative, or request a speaker to present to your group, call (615) 622 - 4424.

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Sumner County
Behavioral Health Court

GROW WHERE YOU ARE PLANTED.

What is Behavioral Health Court?

Behavioral Health Courts are specialized treatment courts for eligible justice involved individuals living with mental illness that substitute a problem-solving model for traditional justice system case processing. Through partnership with community providers and resources, Judges and treatment court staff are able to connect participants with mental health supports to help manage symptoms and regain their mental wellness. Behavioral health courts require participants to attend court regularly for frequent appearances in front of the Judge, status updates, and program monitoring. Additionally, SCBHC requires participants to maintain medication compliance and attend self-help meetings.

How to Apply

The screening process starts with your attorney applying through the District Attorney's Office.

Contact

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Our Mission

The mission of the SCBHC program is to reduce the length and use of incarceration, reduce recidivism rates, and crimes related to substance abuse or mental health. SCBHC also aim to improve the safety and quality of life in our community by utilizing an innovative, efficient, and integrated model of services.

Community Benefits

Less Government Spending

Alternative to Incarceration in county jail means that for every participant in the program, approx. \$42/day to house an inmate is not being spent.

Contributes to Society

SCBHC is a crucial support system for vulnerable individuals in our community, offering an innovative response to the challenges posed by mental health issues.

Reduced Recidivism

Studies show the treatment court model significantly reduces recidivism (rearrest) rates as well as drug use among participants.

Participant Benefits

Alternative Sentencing

Approval for Behavioral Health Court is in lieu of incarceration.

Enhanced Quality of Life

Participants will receive employment referrals and education options. They will have a support team committed to helping them become self-sufficient, productive members of society.

How To Help

We depend on the support of our local community! These are several ways you can partner with us to bring restoration to individuals and their families:

Give Financially

Your monetary donations help us provide participants with necessary medical, dental, and health services.

Provide Opportunities

We encourage participants to engage in positive daily activity. This can be employment, schooling, or volunteer work. Providing these opportunities helps participants give back to the community.

Talk to Elected Officials

Ask your local lawmakers and elected officials to support Sumner County Behavioral Health Court.

Donate Merchandise or Gift Cards

Research has shown that the use of incentives produces highly effective results in the recovery process.

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