

Substance Abuse Program

Prison Outpatient Programs

Kentucky State Reformatory serves as the primary medical center for the Department of Corrections. Residents within this facility who are medically unable to transfer to facilities where Substance Abuse Treatment programming is offered are provided evidence based outpatient substance abuse programming. Residents within the Kentucky State Reformatory continue to reside within general population while participating within programming.

P-SAP Jail Programs

Individuals who have received charges with Class C or D felony drug and/or alcohol crimes with no felony convictions within the past 10 years may be eligible for treatment as an alternative to conviction. Eligibility for P-SAP is provided by the Division of Substance Abuse Branch Manager. Upon agreement from all parties including the Judge, the Commonwealth Attorney, the inmate in question, and his/her attorney shall the inmate be allowed to participate in a six-month treatment program within a jail based setting. Upon successful completion of the jail based program may the program serves as an alternative to a felony convention.



What is a Substance Abuse Program (SAP)

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OF ADDICTION**



What is Substance abuse

Substance abuse refers to the harmful or hazardous use of psychoactive substances, including alcohol and illicit drugs. Psychoactive substance use can lead to dependence syndrome; a cluster of behavioral, cognitive, and physiological symptoms that develop after repeated substance use and that typically include a strong desire to take the drug, difficulties in controlling its use, persisting in its use despite harmful consequences, a higher priority given to drug use than to other activities and obligations, increased tolerance, and sometimes a physical withdrawal state.

What is Substance Abuse Treatment

Substance Abuse Treatment provides assistance to individuals who have substance abuse disorders. Treatment within Substance Abuse Programs consist of trained individuals who are specialized counselors within the field of drug and alcohol.

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Within the Kentucky Department of Corrections, there are several different types of Substance Abuse Programs that are provided to clients that enter into each program.

Prison Therapeutic Community

The Substance Abuse Program within the Prison, is a six-month program, but can be longer depending on the progress of the resident. Residents in these programs are housed separately from the prison general population. The residents within the Therapeutic Community participate in learning how to take responsibility for their own actions, working on **their** sobriety, changing **their** way of thinking, and leaving behind the criminal code.

Jail Therapeutic Community

The Kentucky Department of Corrections has contracts with 24 Detention Centers that allow Residents to participate in Substance Abuse Treatment for residents who are classified for a jail setting. The residents within the Jail Substance Abuse Program, reside away from the jail general population to have the opportunity to work on the sobriety, accountability for themselves and others, their way of thinking, and leaving behind the criminal code.

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Recovery Kentucky Centers

The Kentucky Department of Corrections and The Department of Local Government, created programs to assist Kentuckians with recovering from substance abuse disorders and to reduce homelessness. There are 13 Recovery Kentucky Centers across the Commonwealth. Each center has 100 beds and provide treatment and recovery.

Halfway House Treatment

Residents within a Halfway House who are in need of Substance Abuse Treatment and meet the classification criteria for community custody, may participate in programs available in halfway houses approved by the Department of Corrections to offer Substance Abuse Treatment programming.

Community Intensive Outpatient

Clients who reside in Louisville, Lexington, or Northern Kentucky and are probationers, parolees, or pre-trial diversion clients can be offered Substance Abuse Treatment in the Community Mental Health centers if they are eligible candidates.