JASPER COUNTY ADULT RECOVERY COURT



PARTICIPANT'S MANUAL

29th Judicial Circuit Jasper County Missouri

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WELCOME

Welcome to the Jasper County Recovery Court program. If accepted into the Recovery Court program (previously known as Drug Court), you will be expected to follow the instructions given in Recovery Court by the Judge, and comply with the treatment plan developed for you by your Recovery Court Team.

This Handbook is designed to answer questions, address concerns, and provide overall information about the Jasper County Recovery Court. All participants are encouraged to share this handbook with family and friends who will be supporting you in your recovery.

OVERVIEW

Recovery Court is an intensive substance abuse treatment program. You need to be willing to fully commit yourself to recovery and to the program. The Recovery Court Program consists of five phases. Each level consists of specific treatment goals, activities, and requirements that you must meet before moving to the next phase. While there are certain things you must complete, your ability to move along in the program and graduate will depend mostly on your actions. Once you have completed the requirements for each phase, you can graduate from the program.

The *minimum* amount of time it will take to complete this program is **18 months**. If you are not honest and truthful, miss appointments, ignore requirements, or fail to stay away from drugs and/or alcohol, your time in Recovery Court could be longer or you could be terminated from the program.

You will attend Court on a regular basis in order to discuss your case with the Recovery Court Judge. The number of times you must appear depends on the phase that you are in. As a participant, you will be expected to follow the instructions given by the Judge and comply with the treatment plan that will be developed by you and your treatment team. You will receive incentives or sanctions according to how well you have followed the rules of the program.

What's in for you?

The Jasper County Recovery Court provides an alternative to traditional criminal prosecution. It is a comprehensive treatment program that provides many benefits including staying out of prison and achieving a healthy lifestyle. Upon successful completion of the program, your **underlying criminal case can be dismissed**.

Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to participate in the Recovery Court program, the applicant must meet the following criteria:

- ✓ Be a Jasper County resident;
- ✓ Be assessed and diagnosed with substance abuse and/or chemical dependency;
- \checkmark Admit to having a substance abuse problem or addiction and want treatment;
- ✓ Meet treatment eligibility requirements;
- ✓ Enter a plea to the charged offense(s);
- ✓ Have no prior or pending sexual offenses or violent felony offenses; and
- \checkmark Be willing to sign the contract and abide by the conditions set therein.

Potential Disqualifications - the following may disqualify you depending on the nature of the issues involved:

- ✓ Current holds from other jurisdictions.
- \checkmark Prior termination from any drug court or other diversion program.
- ✓ Restitution amount too high to be paid back within the Recovery Court program time.
- Current charges or prior convictions for serious violent or weapons offenses. This includes anyone who either (a) has one or more prior convictions for a felony crime of violence involving the use or attempted use of force against a person with the intent to cause death or serious bodily harm or (b) is currently charged with or has been convicted of an offense, during the course of which offense or conduct the person carried, possessed or used a firearm or dangerous weapon or caused or attempted to cause serious physical injury to another.
- ✓ History which includes charges or convictions, in which you committed, attempted to commit, conspired to commit, or intended to commit a sex offense.
- ✓ You have known and/or documented current gang involvement.

Guilty Plea and Sentencing:

Under most circumstances, you will be required to plead guilty and be sentenced to participate in the Recovery Court program. You will not be allowed to withdraw your guilty plea if you are terminated or withdraw from the Recovery Court program.

First priority will be given to offenders with no prior felony convictions but prior criminal history will not necessarily bar consideration.

Program Fee:

Each participant must pay a minimum program fee of \$50.00 per month, for an estimated \$900.00. Each participant must pay as directed by the Probation Officer. If participants are classified as indigent and meet the Federal Poverty Guidelines established by Probation and Parole, they may request their fees be waived due to financial hardship. These cases will be discussed by the treatment court team on a case by case basis pending each participant's financial situation. Participants will not be held back in their phase due to financial hardship. If you leave or are terminated from the program, you will forfeit any money paid toward the fee. Fee payments will be reported to the judge as part of your regular progress report. The fee must be paid in full prior to graduation. In addition to the program fee, you may incur treatment-related costs.

Phases of the Recovery Court Program¹

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	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4	Phase 5
	Step In Phase	Small Steps Phase	Step Forward Phase	Step Firm Phase	Step up Phase
Minimum	2 months	4 months	5 months	4 months	3 months
Length	2 11011113	T HIOHUIS	5 11011115	T HIOHUIS	5 11011115
Court	Every 2 weeks	Every 2 weeks	Once a month or	Once a month	Once a month
Appearances	or as directed	or as directed	as directed	or as directed	or as directed
Probation	Weekly or as	Every 2 weeks	Every 2 weeks or	Once a month	Once a month
Officer Meeting	directed	or as directed	as directed	or as directed	or as directed
Drug & Alcohol	Daily call-in	Daily call-in	Daily call-in	Daily call-in	Daily call-in
Testing					
Treatment	As prescribed	As prescribed	As prescribed	As prescribed	As prescribed
(Group)					
Treatment	As prescribed	As prescribed	As prescribed	As prescribed	As prescribed
(Individual)					
Community	As directed by	1 times per	2 times per	2 times per	2 times per
Support Groups	your treatment	week/Obtain	week/Maintain	week/Maintain	week/Maintain
** 1	provider	sponsor/mentor	sponsor/mentor	sponsor/mentor	sponsor/mentor
Volunteer	Establish plan	25 hours	25 hours	25 hours	Completed
Project / Self	and present to				
Improvement	court Document	Complete	Day as asread	Day as asysted	Day as assessed
Program Fee	monthly	Complete budget	Pay as agreed	Pay as agreed	Pay as agreed
	expenses	assessment			
	expenses	assessment			
Days of	14 days	30 days	45 days	60 days	90 days
Sobriety					
(Minimum)					
Full-Time	Not required	Seek and obtain	Maintain	Maintain	Maintain
Employment					
Phase	Application to	Application to	Application to	Application to	Exit interview
Advancement	advance to	advance to	advance to phase	advance to	and Application
	phase II	phase III	IV	phase V	for graduation
Other	Individual	Present relapse	Follow up	Present	Follow up
	treatment plan	prevention plan	meeting with	aftercare plan to	meeting with
	and meet with	to court	peer support	court	peer support.
	peer support				

Court Attendance:

- ➤ Always be on time and dressed appropriately for court
- > Be prepared to discuss your progress with the Judge
- Complete all tasks ordered in your Recovery Court contract and bring proof of completion
- ➢ Leave food and drink outside the courtroom
- Turn off cell phones and pagers

¹ All program requirements are subject to change. Each participant will receive an individualized plan based on his/her own needs and progress.

Phase Advancement:

Participants <u>must</u> apply for phase advancement prior to being promoted to the next phase. You may get an application for phase advancement from your probation officer, treatment provider, or on the Jasper County Treatment Court website. Applications must be turned in at your scheduled court date. Once an application is received, the Recovery Court team will review your application and make a determination at your next scheduled court date.

Missed Counseling and Probation Sessions:

- If you miss a session, you will need to make up that session. If you must miss a session, call your counselor and probation officer to let them know why you need to miss a session.
- It is very important to attend and participate in every session. A pattern of missed sessions or lack of participation will result in a sanction.

Courtroom Etiquette and Dress Code:

You will be expected to act and dress appropriately for Court and treatment sessions. Maintain a respectful attitude at all times in the court building and in the courtrooms. Address the judge as "Your Honor" or "Judge". Stand when addressing the Court. You are expected to be respectful to the Courtroom, Judge, Recovery Court personnel, and other Recovery Court participants. Please turn off cell phones before you enter the courtroom or treatment sessions.

The following dress code applies to all court sessions, probation meetings, and treatment sessions. As a participant you will be expected to wear a shirt or blouse, jeans, pants, dress, or skirt of reasonable length. The following items will be considered inappropriate: clothing bearing drug/alcohol related use or themes, clothing with vulgar or profane words, clothing depicting violence or sexual acts, muscle shirts, tank tops, halter tops, shorts, cut-off jeans, baggy pants that fall below the hips, pants with holes, and hats (except those worn for religious purposes). Sunglasses are not to be worn inside the Courtroom or treatment center unless medically approved. If you appear in Court with inappropriate attire, you will be asked to leave and it will count as an unexcused absence. Speak with your Treatment Team if you need assistance with obtaining appropriate clothing.

Program Rules:

As a participant, you will be required to abide by the terms and conditions outlined in the **Participant Contract**², including, but not limited to the following:

- Total abstinence from the use of drugs and alcohol. This includes non-alcoholic beers, energy drinks containing alcohol, and synthetic cannabinoids such as K2 and Spice.
- You must present any treating physician with your Notice to Any Health Care Provider card each and every time you seek treatment. You must inform your treatment physician(s) that you are a recovering addict.
- Provide list of medications (both prescription and over-the-counter) to your probation officer within first two weeks. If there are changes, update the list within 24 hours.
- Keep your probation officer and treatment provider informed of your current address and phone number at all times.
- Attend court, treatment, probation, and community support groups meetings as directed and provide weekly verification of attendance.
- Submit to random drug and alcohol testing.
- > Provide weekly verification of employment and/or school to your probation officer.
- Inform your probation officer within 24 hours of any contact with law enforcement regardless of whether you are issued a citation or arrested.
- Successful completion of all phases.

² The contract is contained at the end of this manual. Please read it carefully as it outlines the requirements in more detail.

- Submit to random home visits. As a participant, your person, property, home, vehicle, and personal effects may be searched at any time with or without reasonable suspicion. Your home must be free of all alcohol and drugs.
- > Abide by all other program rules and regulations imposed by the Recovery Court Team.

Volunteer Hours/Self-Improvement:

As a participant of Recovery Court, you will be given 75 hours of volunteer work and self-improvement. Your treatment court team will direct you how to complete these hours. Your probation officer will verify these hours and report them to the court. All volunteer/self-improvement hours <u>must</u> be completed prior to moving to phase 5 of the program.

Employment/Education Requirement:

Financial stability is very important to your continuing recovery and ability to maintain sobriety. Starting in Phase 3, you <u>must</u> maintain full-time employment or be enrolled in an approved academic program (see below). If you are already on SSI (disability) when you begin the program, the employment requirement will be waived but you will still be required to complete volunteer work in our community as directed by your treatment court team. Your probation officer will work with you to find volunteer work that you can do with your disability.

A participant may choose to enroll in school rather than obtain full-time employment if approved by the treatment court team. If approved, a participant must be enrolled full-time in an accredited academic program (the equivalent of 14 hours per semester) unless alternative arrangements with your probation officer are made. The class schedule cannot consist of more than six hours of online classes. The probation officer will require written verification of attendance, syllabus, assignments, etc. Participants must maintain a 2.0 GPA. During summer and winter breaks, participants must work full time volunteer in the community each week that school is not held.

Treatment Requirement:

You will be required to attend both individual and group treatment sessions. Your treatment team will develop a treatment plan following an overall assessment of your needs. The total number of hours will depend on your individualized plan. The plan will act as a guide during your recovery and will be maintained by your treatment counselor and will be updated and expanded as you progress through the program.

Community Support Groups (12-Step Meeting Attendance):

Attendance of community support groups such as, but not limited to, Narcotics Anonymous and/or Alcoholics Anonymous will be part of your recovery. The number of required meetings depends on the phase or your treatment plan. It is required that you arrive to meetings on time and that you stay for the entire session. You are responsible for maintaining your own log but please note that <u>only</u> the meeting's chairperson can sign the log. Falsification of logs will result in a severe sanction.

We count meetings from Sunday through Saturday. You may not double up on meetings without prior approval from your probation officer or treatment provider. You must present your verification logs, proof of employment, and volunteer work/self-improvement to your probation officer as directed.

Drug and Alcohol Testing:

The Jasper County Recovery Court uses both regular and random drug/alcohol screenings throughout the Recovery Court program. Primarily, the program uses daily random drug and alcohol testing based on a call code system. You will be assigned a call-in code and be given a phone number to call every day, between 5 a.m. and 7 a.m. The recording will prompt you to enter your call-in code and the first four letters of your last name. After you enter the required information the recording will tell you if you are required to report for a drug screen. If you are selected to submit a random drug test you will need to report between 6 a.m. and 9 a.m. to TOMO Drug Testing located at 705 Illinois Ave, Suite 12A Joplin, MO 64801 for drug testing. *Failure to call, failure to report for drug testing, failure to admit to drug use prior to drug testing, and/or failure to submit a urine sample for drug testing will result in sanctions.* Employment is not an acceptable reason to fail to report for drug testing. If you frequently work during these hours, you must make alternative arrangements with your probation officer or your employer.

In addition to the call-in code system, you may be asked to submit to testing during home visits, court sessions, or meetings with your probation officer or treatment provider. All drug/alcohol testing procedures will be explained to you at the time of the test. You have the right to witness all urine testing and to be made aware of the results. You have a right to request confirmation testing. Drug test results will be shared with all other Recovery Court team members. In addition to submitting urine samples for drug testing, you may be asked to submit a sample of your breath for alcohol testing, blood tests, and/or to hair follicle testing.

Please Note: If you fail to report for your random drug and alcohol testing and you do not have prior approval, your test will be considered a positive. This will start your sobriety days over which will delay your opportunity for phase advancement; therefore, delay your time in Recovery Court. You <u>MUST</u> report for <u>ALL</u> drug and alcohol testing unless you have prior approval from your treatment court team.

The goal of the Recovery Court is to help you achieve total abstinence from alcohol and illicit drugs. A positive breath or urine test will not automatically terminate you from the program. Dishonesty concerning use will result in a more severe sanction. No new criminal charges will be filed against you as a result of a positive breath or urine test, unless a separate crime has been committed.

Home Visit Guidelines:

Home visits will serve as a way for court officers to become better acquainted with your family and assess living conditions. Home visits will be conducted randomly at any time day or night. They will be conducted in a professional and discreet manner. Your person/home/vehicle may be subject to search without a warrant for drugs, drug paraphernalia, and alcohol. People living at your residence should be advised that the <u>entire</u> home will be subject to inspection. If you are not at home when a home visit is attempted, the court officer will leave a business card. You <u>must</u> call back as soon as you return home no matter what time you return.

Relationships with Other Treatment Court Participants:

You will be expected to treat other participants with respect both inside and outside the courtroom. This extends to anyone attending community support or other treatment group. Physical and sexual harassment will not be tolerated. You are prohibited from living with or engaging in a continuing social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with anyone participating in a Jasper County Treatment Court. Married couples may be considered for treatment court but may be subject to additional counseling requirements. In addition, married couples will not be permitted to attend treatment sessions together unless prior approval has been granted by the treatment court team.

Program Reponses:

- Incentives:
 - The Recovery Court program recognizes the effort that it takes in attempting to improve behaviors, choices, and ultimately lifestyles. Incentives compel compliance and success in case outcomes. Incentives spotlight desired compliance and help to build trust between you and the Recovery Court team. With that in mind, the Recovery Court program recognizes all markers of success even if in a small way. Examples of behaviors/accomplishments that lead to incentives are included below.

Behaviors/Accomplis	shments	Possible Incentives/Responses
 1 day clean/sober Assisting others Increased contact with child Infraction/Violation free for 60+ days Maintaining employment Monthly report of being clean/sober Multi-day clean/sober 	 Obtaining employment Obtaining GED/degree Outstanding accomplishment Perfect attendance Phase completion/advancement Recognition of investment in program Obtaining driver's license 	 Applause Curfew extension/removal Decreased court appearances Early dismissal from court Gift Certificate Praise from judge Recognition certificate Recommendation letter for job Reduction of community service hours Reduction of supervision Travel privileges

Sanctions:

- If you fail to comply with the Recovery Court program, the Recovery Court Judge may order one or more of the following sanctions. Sanctions are graduated and individualized. Sanctions are not negotiable and are imposed in an effort to modify your behavior. Sanctions are not intended to be fun and will, most times, consist of hard work such as manual labor.
- Punitive sanctions and treatment responses are very different. "Sanctions" that increase the level of treatment are considered treatment responses and are imposed to help and not punish you. Other sanctions are imposed in an effort to modify behavior so that you learn to make better choices. While sanctions may be viewed as punishment, the intention is to teach or inspire changes in your behavior. Sanctions are not imposed arbitrarily and are imposed after detailed discussion among the team and between you and the judge occurs
- Sanctions are imposed on an individual basis. Other participants in similar circumstances may receive different sanctions to what appear to you to be the same infraction. This is not unusual nor is it inappropriate. You are viewed as an individual and thus, your individual progress, attendance, and history is taken into account at each occurrence.

Examples of Typical Infractions/Violations

 Behavioral issues (poor attitude and/or being disruptive) Providing a dilute/altered drug test Failing to attend scheduled events Failing to complete volunteer hours Failing to engage in services 	 Failing to follow court instructions and/or orders Failing to submit support group meeting slips Filling prescribed medication without authorization Lying or deliberately omitting information to/from the court Missing drug test 	 Missing mental health appointments Missing probation check-in Missing treatment group sessions Non-compliance with approved medications Positive drug test Tardiness to and/or absence from court
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• Failing to follow counselor/case manager instruction	• Missing treatment appointments	 Tardiness to and/or absence from treatment group sessions Use of drugs and/or alcohol Use and/or Possession of synthetic and/or designer drugs
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 Engaging in romantic/sexual relationship with any Jasper County Treatment Court participant New criminal arrest/offense 	 Possession and/or Use of synthetic and/or replacement drugs Tampering/Falsifying drug test 	 Threats of violence or violent behavior Submitting falsified documents
Exa	mples of Possible Sanctions/R	esponses
<u>1st Occurrence:</u>	2 nd Occurrence:	<u>3rd and/or Multiple</u> Occurrences:
 Community Service Admonishment from judge Curfew Essay on topic related to infraction Increased community support group meetings Increased drug testing Keeping a calendar Phase extension Sit in jury box Stay to the end of court Verbal and/or written apology 	 Community Service Admonishment from judge Court observation days Curfew Educational workbooks Essay on topic related to infraction Fines Incarceration Increased court appearances Increased drug testing Increased supervision Phase extension Removal of privileges Return to lower phase Round table with Recovery Court team 	 Community Service Admonishment from judge Fines Incarceration Increased court appearances Increased drug testing Increased supervision Peer review Phase extension Program removal Extension in current Recovery Court phase

Automatic Sanctions/Responses to Certain Behaviors

 Missed/Positive drug test Automatic extension in phase regardless of progress (# of days is based on phase) 	Missed court hearing • Capias "warrant" issued for arrest	This page provides a list as an example only. The Recovery Court Judge has final determination of all sanctions based on individual history/previous progress.
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Therapeutic Adjustments

- If you are honest about any use or fail to follow rules and/or expectations which you may
 not be fully capable of following you will be responded to with therapeutic adjustments
 referred to as "treatment responses". If you are not responding to treatment interventions,
 but are otherwise compliant with treatment and supervision requirements, punitive sanctions
 will not be imposed. Treatment responses that increase your level of treatment are not
 sanctions. They are imposed to help you learn from your choices and to not repeat them
 and are designed to improve the overall effectiveness and response to the treatment episode.
- Treatment-oriented responses for substance use while in Recovery Court are based on the recommendation of treatment providers. Input from other team members will be permitted for thorough discussion with the ultimate recommendation being made by the treating providers. Examples of behaviors that lead to treatment responses are listed below. This is not a complete list and only represents possible treatment responses that may be recommended.

Examples of Typical Behaviors That Lead to Treatment Responses		
Examples of Behaviors	Examples of Treatment Responses	
 Admitted use of drugs and/or alcohol Admitted struggling/dealing with issues Failing to meeting treatment plan goals Known use of drugs and/or alcohol Positive drug test 	 Educational workbooks Essay on topic related to infraction Increased sober-support meetings Increased contact with treatment Increased level of treatment Increased drug testing Phase extension Residential treatment 	

Confidentiality:

Your identity and privacy will be protected consistent with Missouri law. In response to these regulations, policies and procedures have been developed which guard your confidentiality. You will be asked to sign a release of information authorizing the transfer of information among all participating agencies as well as a release of liability. If you are employed, your employment may be terminated if contacted by a probation officer. If you think this may happen to you, tell your attorney, probation officer, and the judge. The Recovery Court Judge may choose to enter a no-contact order on your behalf. This order would prevent your probation officer from contacting your employer for employment verification. However, in lieu of such contact, you will be required to provide regular pay stubs to your program officer as a means of verifying your employment. You are also expected to respect and maintain the confidentiality of others and can be held accountable for breaching confidentiality. If there are family members that you wish Recovery Court not to speak with, make sure you indicate so on your release forms as "family" can refer to multiple people.

Relapse & Sanctions:

The goal of the Recovery Court is to help you achieve total abstinence from alcohol and illicit drugs. We understand that relapses may happen while you are in the program. A positive breath or urine test will not automatically terminate you from the program. Dishonesty concerning use will result in a more severe sanction. No new criminal charges will be filed against you as the result of a positive breath or urine test, unless a separate crime has been committed. We encourage you to work with your therapist to understand

your triggers to prevent a relapse. If you do relapse, we will work with you as long as you take responsibility and an active role in your recovery.

Termination from Recovery Court:

In ordering a participant's termination from the program, the Court will consider factors such as the nature of the violation, duration in the program, previous violations, criminal history, participants' desire to achieve sobriety as evidenced from their actions, and others. The following actions will result in immediate termination: distribution of drugs, violent crime, or assaultive, threatening, or abusive behavior toward any member of the Recovery Court staff, other participants of the program, or other clients of the treatment providers. Dismissal from the program will result in your case proceeding to sentencing on the basis of your plea. Depending on the nature of the termination, you may be sentenced to a term in the Department of Corrections or be continued on supervised probation.

Graduation:

Upon your successful completion of the Recovery Court Program, you will graduate. You will be moved from intensive supervision to a period of traditional probation. The duration of the probation is at the discretion of the Recovery Court Judge who may choose to place you on a short probation period, or release you from probation supervision. Prior to graduation you <u>must</u> complete your application for graduation and meet with the Court Services Officer for an exit interview. Potential graduates will present their essay at the graduation ceremony to the Recovery Court participants and Recovery Court team.

Conclusion:

Thank you for your participation in the Jasper County Recovery Court. The Judge and entire team are here to guide and assist you but ultimately, the final responsibility is yours. We hope you take full advantage of the opportunity that you've been given to change your life for the better.

TREATMENT COURT PROGRAM **TWENTY-NINTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**

Recovery Court Contract

Name: Case Number:

I agree to enter the Jasper County Treatment Court Program, and by doing so, I understand I will have certain obligations and responsibilities. I will have to follow orders given to me by the Judge, Probation Officer, Treatment Court Therapist, Treatment Court Administrator and other treatment providers involved in the program.

Participant Responsibilities

I agree that my responsibilities are:

- 1. I must tell the truth.
- 2. I have read, or has been read to me, the Treatment Court Participant's Manual. I understand that I am subject to all provisions of the manual. I understand that the requirements of the program can and will change from time to time. I agree I will comply with any changes.
- 3. I will attend all court sessions as ordered. Failure to do so may result in a warrant for my arrest.
- 4. I must attend all ordered treatment sessions and follow the treatment plan as directed.
- 5. I will report to the Probation Officer as directed.
- 6. I understand that participation in the Treatment Court requires me to be drug and alcohol free at all times. I will not consume, use, purchase, possess, or manufacture any illegal or non-prescription drugs, inhalants, or alcohol. I will not associate with people who use or possess illegal or non-prescription drugs, nor will I be present while drugs, inhalants, or alcohol are consumed by others. This includes casinos and bars.
- 7. I will not purchase or possess ephedrine or pseudo-ephedrine products without a doctor's note or prior approval from my probation officer.
- 8. I will not purchase, possess, or use any bath salts, K2, Spice, synthetic cannabinoids, herbal smoking blends, "herbal incense," or any other mood-altering substance or chemical without a doctor's note or prior approval from my probation officer, regardless of legality.
- 9. I must not violate the law, and I understand that if I engage in any criminal act, I can expect to be terminated from the program and be prosecuted for the pending charge(s).
- 10. I must notify the probation officer within 24 hours of any arrest, citation, or charge including traffic offenses.
- 11. I must maintain my residence in Jasper County throughout the duration of the program. I agree to not leave the Jasper/Newton county area without specific approval of my probation officer or the Recovery Court Judge. If approved to leave the area, I understand that I may have to wear a drug patch or other monitoring device with cost incurred to be paid by me.
- 12. I will not associate with anyone with a felony conviction without approval from my probation officer. It is my responsibility to know with whom I am associating.
- 13. I will not live with or engage in a continuing social relationship of a romantic or intimate nature with anyone participating in a Jasper County Treatment Court unless I have prior permission from the Court.
- 14. I must obtain and maintain verifiable full-time employment, education, or combination thereof. After 90 days in the program, if I am still unemployed or not enrolled in an approved academic program, I will perform volunteer work each week until I find a job.
- 15. I must obtain prior approval from my probation officer before I quit or change my employment.
- 16. I must obtain prior approval from my probation officer before I change residence and before I change/disconnect my telephone number.
- 17. I will not possess a firearm or a knife exceeding six inches (6") in blade length while in the Recovery Court program. I will bring no weapons of any kind to the Recovery Court treatment center.
- 18. I will provide breath, urine, hair, blood, and/or saliva samples as requested for testing. Failure to submit or the submission of an adulterated specimen will result in a positive test.

- 19. I will submit to a polygraph or Computer Voice Stress Analysis (CVSA) when requested.
- 20. I waive the right to confidentiality of my treatment records obtained in connection with the Treatment Court program and agree to communication of same to and between members of the Treatment Court Team.
- 21. I must inform all treating physicians that I am a recovering addict and may not take narcotic or addictive medications. If a treating physician wishes to treat me with narcotic or addictive medications or drugs, I must disclose this to my treatment provider within 24 hours unless it is an emergency situation. I must notify and provide documentation to my treatment provider of all prescriptions medications that I am taking and any changes to those prescriptions.
- 22. I agree to pay the Treatment Court fee at the rate of \$50.00 each month that I am in the program unless directed otherwise.
- 23. I understand that participation in the Treatment Court program involves a minimum commitment of eighteen months. It may last longer if I violate this contract or fail to progress in the program.
- 24. If restitution is owed, I must pay this amount in full as ordered by the Court.
- 25. I will submit to a search of my person, residence, vehicles, papers, cell phone, computer, and/or effects at any time with or without warrant, and with or without probable cause, when requested by my probation officer, Treatment Court Team and/or law enforcement.
- 26. Failure to follow the responsibilities listed in this contract and in the Treatment Court Participant's Manual may result in sanctions. I have reviewed the Sanctions section of the manual and agree that any of the listed sanctions may be imposed if I violate this contract or fail to progress in the program

Participant Rights and Benefits

I understand that:

- 1. The prosecution of the criminal charge(s) against me will be stayed during the time I am in the JCARCP.
- 2. The criminal charge(s) against me can be dismissed if I successfully complete the program.
- 3. The waiver of confidentiality of my treatment records is limited to the length of this contract.
- 4. I may rescind my waiver of confidentiality at any time and that if I do so before successful completion of this contract, I will be terminated from Treatment Court.
- 5. I can quit the program at any time, but I understand that if I do so, I can be sentenced to the full range of punishment for the crime, including a term in the Department of Corrections.
- 6. If I quit the program, or am terminated, anything I have said concerning my drug usage while in the program cannot be used against me in Court.

I have read the above contract and I understand what I have read. I am willing and voluntarily entering into this agreement with the Jasper County Treatment Court Program.

Participant Signature

Date

Treatment Court Judge

Date