



# Information Sheet

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## Who We Are

*The NDCRC works to influence the design, implementation, expansion, and enhancement of treatment court programs through the development & dissemination of resources.*

The National Drug Court Resource Center's (NDCRC) mission is to equip treatment court practitioners with an array of resources relevant to the field. Since October 2019, the NDCRC has been housed in the University of North Carolina Wilmington Social Science and Applied Research Center (UNCW SSARC) in Wilmington, North Carolina. Our work focuses on providing treatment court professionals with the information needed to design and implement programs that align with best practice standards, expand and enhance court operations, as well as collect and analyze program data. NDCRC resources are featured on the website and include operational materials organized by court type, seminal readings for treatment court stakeholders, calendar of professional development opportunities, moderated discussion board for all treatment court professionals, and more.

## Who We Serve

*The NDCRC is proud to host resources for stakeholders working in all treatment courts, including:*

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|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| Adult Treatment         | Re-entry                   |
| Veterans Treatment      | Opioid                     |
| Family Treatment        | DUI/DWI                    |
| Juvenile Treatment      | Tribal Healing to Wellness |
| Mental Health Treatment | Co-occurring Disorders     |



### Disseminate.

One of the primary goals of the NDCRC is to ensure accurate and relevant information is available to treatment court practitioners, treatment providers, and other stakeholders.

- The *Drug Court Review* journal will be distributed annually; topics and themes will reflect focused needs of courts
- The NDCRC website will house a repository of sample operational documents and resources sorted by court type
- Academic and scientific research and journal articles will be accessible at [ndcrc.org](http://ndcrc.org)
- NDCRC.org will host a calendar of events including state conferences, grant deadlines, and webinars

### Collaborate.

The NDCRC is part of the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) Training and Technical Assistance Collaborative which also includes the Center for Court Innovation, National Association of Drug Court Professionals, and the Tribal Law and Policy Institute. Together, the Collaborative works to develop and implement improved treatment court practices to increase effectiveness and long-term participant success. Training and technical assistance focus areas include:

- identification of drug court participants' risk level and needs
- the provision of targeted evidence-based interventions and recovery support services
- program data collection and evaluation

### Research.

To ensure that our data on national treatment courts are current and reflective, the NDCRC distributes a biennial survey to state and territory coordinators, local court coordinators, and Tribal Healing to Wellness court coordinators. These data will:

- provide an update on the current number and type of treatment courts
- inform the *Painting the Current Picture* monograph
- be available via an interactive map on the NDCRC website

### Create.

The NDCRC develops and distributes original digital content from [ndcrc.org](http://ndcrc.org):

- *Justice to Healing* Podcast
- Webinars
- Newsletter
- Interactive Projects and Visualizations