

## Reasons for Program Termination

- Non-compliance with treatment agreement.
- Violation of the Hold Open Agreement.

### Possible Results of Program Termination:

- Revocation of ATR.
- Incarceration.
- Sentencing on original charges.
- Extension of Jail Diversion Program participation time.



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# Behavioral Health Jail Diversion Program

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## What is Behavioral Health Jail Diversion Program?

The Jail Diversion Program is designed to provide treatment for adults with a mental health diagnosis who have been charged with misdemeanor non-violent crimes. This pretrial program arranges for the participant's criminal charges to be placed on a court hold open status for up to 12 months. While enrolled, the participant will participate in psychiatric services and experience ongoing community support assisting them every step of the way toward their recovery.

Goal: To ensure participants receive the mental health treatment needed to enhance recovery and reduce the rate of recidivism in the criminal justice system.



## Program Eligibility Requirements?

- Mental health diagnosis.
- Kenosha resident age 18 years and over.
- No pending cases/probation in other jurisdictions.
- Charged with \*misdemeanor \*\*non-violent crime(s).
- Voluntarily participate in the program for a period of six to twelve months.

*\* Felony charges accepted if stated in the Hold Open Agreement that the felony will be reduced to a misdemeanor upon successful program completion.*

*\*\* Violent offenses considered on a case-by-case basis.*

## Program Benefits?

- Access to mental health treatment.
- Assistance obtaining community services.
- Deferred prosecution agreement vs. incarceration.
- Reduced or dismissed criminal charge(s).
- Available as an Alternative to Revocation (ATR) or in conjunction with probation.

## Program Participant Requirements?

### Do:

- Keep all scheduled appointments with treating psychiatrist.
- Cooperate with psychological and/or psychiatric testing.
- Participant in a medication monitoring program and take all medications as prescribed.
- Keep all weekly check-in appointments with the Program Coordinator.
- Participate in counseling/group/community support programs recommended by the Program Coordinator.
- Attend all court hearings.

### Refrain from:

- Refrain from ingesting any controlled substances not prescribed.
- Refrain from consuming alcohol.
- Refrain from committing any additional offenses.
- Refrain from attempts or threats to harm self or others.