

Criminal Justice-Mental Health-Substance Abuse Screening Pilot / Integrated Approach to Service Continuum (6/08)

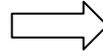


Vermont	Pre-Charge	Pre-Arrestment	Post-Arrestment/ Pre-Sentence	Sentencing Options	Facilities	Re-Entry	Community Supports
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APIC Model*:

A. (Assess)

Screening at Court at arraignment or at any point in the proceedings
 (Screening and assessments to be provided by the designated agency using evidenced-based instruments)**
 (A list of screening tools is attached / assessments should be completed using the ASI or GAIN)



Due process considerations for attorneys - defendants can opt in at any point in the process.

P. (Plan)

Triage Process

Consider legal and clinical criteria for sorting defendants to appropriate track which takes into defendant's needs incl: treatment, supervision, risk to re-offend, housing, employment



C. (Coordinate)

Tracks

<u>Probation w/treatment</u>	<u>Treatment Court Dockets (APIC)</u> ~Mental Health/Co-Occurring ~Drug Treatment (Case management to be provided by the designated agency)*** (Court Coordination)	<u>Intermediate Sanctions (APIC)</u> Pre-approved Furlough/ ISAP	<u>Incarceration Assessment</u>	<u>Re-Entry Options***(APIC)</u> Conditional Re-entry Reintegration Furlough Parole IWI DETER Re-entry
<u>Probation w/o treatment</u>				

Additional community outpatient and intensive outpatient needed: 1FTE.

* The APIC Model: Assess needs, plan for treatment & services, identify programs responsible, coordinate the plan to ensure implementation. (APIC: A Best Practice Approach to Community Re-entry from Jails for Inmates with Co-Occurring Disorders; Osher, Steadman & Barr, 2002)

** Half-time dedicated to screening & assessment (scheduling) and half-time dedicated to providing additional treatment groups and outpatient treatment.

***The case manager for the treatment court also work with the DETER Project to support men as well as women coming back to the community from incarceration.

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