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Felony Pretrial Services Program

Pretrial Services Program

The Felony Pretrial Services Program (or PTS Program) supports community safety and helps improve court appearance for individuals with felony-level charges who are released from custody during the pretrial period of their adjudication.

The PTS Program performs a thorough background investigation and provides the Court an accurate assessment of an individual's likelihood to appear in court and their likelihood of not being charged with new criminal activity. This assessment is just part of the information used by a Judge when making a release or hold-in-custody decision.

When an individual is ordered to the PTS Program by a Judge, the program completes an intake and sets up a supervision plan with the individual. The PTS Program also offers information and assistance with finding and connecting to community supports and services.

Details

Ages: Adults

Intake Process: Walk-In Call

Payment Options: Free No one is refused service due to inability to pay

Special Needs: Behavioral health or substance abuse Persons involved in judicial system

Contact Email: albd-jsdp@nmcourts.gov

Services

Criminal Justice & Legal Services

Locations

Public Safety Center building

401 Roma Av NW, 6th Floor

Albuquerque, NM 87102

Mailing:

400 Lomas Blv NW

Albuquerque, NM 87102

Phone: (505) 841-5479

Hours: 7:00am - 4:30pm, M-F, except court holidays

Services Limited By Geography: For individuals ordered by a 2nd District Court Judge to pretrial

supervision

Geographic Area Served: Bernalillo County

Parent Organization

2nd Judicial District Court: Felony Pretrial Services Program & Treatment Court Programs

The Felony Pretrial Services Program and Treatment Court Programs are formally organized as the *Judicial Supervision & Diversion Programs (JSDP)* division within the Second Judicial District Court.

The JSDP division administers the following court programs:

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Specialty/Treatment Court Programs:

- [Young Adult Court \(YAC\)](#)
- [Mental Health Court \(MHC\)](#)
- [Felony Repeat Offender DWI Court](#) (DWIC)

Program Missions

JSDP Pretrial Services Program 1) assists the Second Judicial District Court in pretrial release decision-making through research-informed, empirically-based assessment; and 2) provides appropriate pretrial supervision and services that promote community safety and maximize court appearance.

JSDP Specialty/Treatment Court Programs work collaboratively with stakeholders and participants to follow best-practice standards to address and improve individuals' life outcomes through specialized supervision, treatment engagement, linkage to community resources and supportive practices.

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