

# St. Mary's County Substance Abuse Recovery Court Candidate Application

All individuals seeking admission to the St. Mary's County Substance Abuse Recovery Court program must complete the application in its entirety to be considered by the Recovery Court Team for eligibility and acceptance

1. Please list your full name, date of birth contact number and current case number.

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2. All participants must be full time residents of St. Mary's County. Please list your physical address where you will reside and all occupants of this residence.

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3. Please list "all" prior convictions including the year and jurisdiction. Applicants with prior convictions for Violent Crimes (as defined by Federal and State Guidelines), Sexual Offenses, or Drug Distribution are generally not eligible for this program, but you are encouraged to complete the application process so the Recovery Court Team can consider any exceptions to this policy.

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4. Applicants must resolve all active criminal andailable traffic cases prior to entry into the Recovery Court program. Please list all active criminal/traffic cases including case number(s), upcoming court dates and jurisdiction.

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5. All applicants must be determined to need substance abuse counseling/treatment. Please indicate if you have received an assessment for substance abuse treatment and list all previous substance abuse counseling/treatment that you have participated in. Include outpatient and inpatient, the provider and approximate date of services.

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Once the completed application is received by the Recovery Court Coordinator, the applicant will be placed on the candidate list to be reviewed by the Recovery Court team. Counsel for the applicant will be notified by the Coordinator of a date and time to appear for this review. At the review, the candidate's application will be reviewed for eligibility and acceptance into the program. No candidate will be accepted into the program until all pending criminal/traffic cases are resolved with a Recovery Court eligible disposition, a current substance abuse assessment is completed which recommends counseling/treatment and a home study is completed.

When a candidate is accepted, he or she will be notified of a date and time to appear in Court for entry into the program. If at the time of acceptance there is a waiting list, then the candidate will be notified of the approximate length of time for admittance and his/her name will be placed on the waiting list in order of acceptance.

We the undersigned have read this application in its entirety and all information submitted is true and accurate. We request review by the Recovery Court team to be considered for entry into the program.

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Applicant's Signature

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Attorney's Signature

Attorney's Address and Contact Number:

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\*\* To submit:

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Mail to St. Mary's Circuit Courthouse, 41605 Courthouse Drive, PO Box 859, Leonardtown, MD. 20650