

DJJS Graduated Sanctions Matrix for VOP

An assessment and classification strategy designed to standardize and improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the system's response to behavior violations and continued delinquency.

| Violation Severity | Risk of Re-offending | | |
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| | Low | Medium | High |
| Minor truancy curfew dirty UAs/alch. use missed office appts failure to initiate services | Warning Problem Solving Comm. Service-(approx 1-2 days) Court Watch 2-4 hours Increased Office Reporting 1-2X Community Resource Providers Written Assignment | Problem Solving/Counseling Written Assignment Comm. Service-(approx 1-3 days) Court Watch 2-4 hours Increased Office Reporting 2-3X Day Programming | Problem Solving/ Counseling Comm. Service-(approx 1-3 days) Day Programming Court Watch 2-4 hours Increased Office Reporting 3-5X Alternate Living |
| Moderate/Repeat repeated minor violations runaway misd. Citations failure to abide by additional terms and Court Orders | Problem Solving Comm. Service-(approx 1-3 days) Court Watch 2-4 hours Increased Office Reporting 2-3X House Arrest Written Assignment File Petition | Problem Solving/Counseling Comm. Service-(approx 1-5 days) Increased Office Reporting 3-5X House Arrest Home Management- CCP assist Alternate Living | Problem Solving/Counseling Day Programming GPS File Petition Extend Probation CCP Alternate Living Suspended Commitment |
| Severe repeated moderate violations complete failure to cooperate with terms/Orders | Problem Solving/Counseling Comm. Service-(approx 1-5 days) House Arrest Written Assignment Day Programming GPS File Petition Extend Probation (File MOCO) | Problem Solving/Counseling 1-6 Days Community Service Day Programming Home Management-CCP assist GPS File Petition Extend Probation (File MOCO) CCP Alternate Living | Problem Solving/Counseling 1-6 Days Community Service Day Programming Home Management-CCP assist GPS File Petition Extend Probation (File MOCO) CCP Alternate Living Commitment |

Guiding Principles for an effective and relevant GSM:

- 1. ACCOUNTABILITY:** The requirement that juvenile offenders receive sanctions for their offenses and that they make amends to the victim and the community for harm caused.
- 2. COMPETENCY DEVELOPMENT:** Youth who enter the system should exit more capable of being productive, responsible citizens.
- 3. COMMUNITY PROTECTION:** Requires that the system ensures public safety.