



ALCOHOL-RELATED DEFERRED PROSECUTION INFORMATION SHEET

You may be interested in a deferred prosecution program offered by the court if you were cited for the following charges:

- Minor in Possession of Liquor
- Allowing Unlawful Alcohol Consumption on Private Premises
- Furnishing Liquor to a Minor

In order to participate in the program you must plead guilty, giving up your right to a trial. You are not eligible to participate if you previously participated in an alcohol deferred prosecution program through this court.

This program includes:

- Entering a guilty plea to the charge
- Payment of court costs of \$75.00 within **90 days**
- Attend and successfully complete an 8-hour educational program **within 90 days from the date of this petition.**
- Pay \$60.00 non-refundable fee to the program provider
- Commit no new alcohol-related offenses during the deferred prosecution period
- Present the **original** program completion certificate to the court prior to the end of your deferred prosecution period

The deferred prosecution time period is four months from the date you sign the agreement. If you comply with all of the conditions of the deferred prosecution agreement your case will be dismissed.

If you are interested in this program but are unable to attend a class in the Eugene area, please refer to the reverse side of this page for information on attending a class out of the area. If this is what you would like to do, complete the entire agreement. Thereafter, the judge will review the form and accept your guilty plea.

Failure to comply with the requirements of the entire deferred prosecution program including notifying the court of your class completion, and failing to appear at your sentencing date will result in a guilty plea being entered, imposition of a fine, fees, and a suspension of your driver's license and/or your right to drive in Oregon. Unpaid fines and fees will be turned over to an outside collection agency.



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OUT-OF-AREA CLASSES

If you are interested in the deferred prosecution program offered by the court but are unable to attend a class in the Eugene area, the following steps will walk you through the process of taking an out of area course:

- 1) Locate a class comparable to the one offered by Eugene Municipal Court. The Eugene class is eight hours that covers the following:
 - a) Alcohol & other drugs
 - b) Personal safety & survival decisions
 - c) Sex, STDs, STIs, and more
 - d) Parties, police & citations
 - e) Dating "rules" & laws
 - f) Parents, peers & roommates
 - g) Personal rights & responsibilities
- 2) When searching for a comparable class in your area you can contact mental health facilities, colleges, local courts and hospitals. On-line courses are not acceptable. Eugene Municipal Court staff are not able to assist you in locating a class.
- 3) Once you have located a class, please submit the syllabus to the Judge for approval. You must give yourself adequate time for the Judge to make a decision before the class is scheduled.
- 4) It is your responsibility to provide the court the course providers' written documentation of successful completion prior to your sentencing date. Failure to comply with the requirements of the entire deferred prosecution program including notifying the court of your class completion, and failing to appear at your sentencing date will result in a guilty plea being entered, imposition of a fine, fees, and a suspension of your driver's license and/or your right to drive in Oregon. Unpaid fines and fees will be turned over to an outside collection agency.