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600.1099hh Family treatment court program; required services; confidentiality of information contained while participating in the program; exempt from disclosure.

Sec. 1099hh.

- (1) A family treatment court shall provide a family treatment court participant with all of the following:
- (a) Consistent, continual, and close monitoring of the participant and interaction among the court, treatment providers, department, and participant.
- (b) Mandatory periodic and random testing for the presence of any controlled substance, alcohol, or other abused substance in a participant's blood, urine, saliva, or breath, using to the extent practicable the best available, accepted, and scientifically valid methods.
 - (c) Periodic evaluation assessments of the participant's circumstances and progress in the program.
- (d) A regimen or strategy of appropriate and graduated but immediate rewards for compliance and sanctions for noncompliance, including, but not limited to, the possibility of incarceration or confinement.
- (e) Substance abuse treatment services, including, but not limited to, family-centered treatment, relapse prevention services, mental health treatment services, education, and vocational opportunities as appropriate and practicable.
- (2) Any statement or other information obtained as a result of participating in an assessment, evaluation, treatment, or testing while in a family treatment court is confidential and is exempt from disclosure under the freedom of information act, 1976 PA 442, MCL 15.231 to 15.246, and must not be used in a criminal prosecution, unless it reveals criminal acts other than, or inconsistent with, personal drug use.

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