



Probation Service Definition

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS AND PROBATION

Service Name	Remote Alcohol Testing <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adult <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Juvenile
Category	Supportive Service (non-clinical, non-treatment)
Setting	Community-based
Facility License	N/A
Service Description	<p>Remote Alcohol Testing monitors an individual's Breath Alcohol Concentration (BrAC) through utilization of a portable, handheld breathalyzer. The electronic device verifies client identification through built in facial recognition and captures location when transmitting real-time test results to the monitoring agency and supervising officer. Monitoring and notification include a report of any alcohol events, missed tests, and attempted circumventions during the random, scheduled, and on-demand testing period. This approach to alcohol monitoring supports individuals with court-mandated or sanctioned alcohol testing conditions when other forms of testing are not optimal, or a less restrictive option is appropriate.</p> <p>Target population are individuals identified as high risk in the Substance Use domain, high risk to relapse, and who have been unable/unwilling to abstain from alcohol use despite undesired consequences, and/or current legal involvement/supervision.</p>
Service Expectations	<p>Provider shall program the remote alcohol testing device for scheduled, random and/or on-demand testing and provide the monitoring service as requested by the Probation/Problem-Solving Officer.</p> <p>Provider shall identify the type of remote alcohol testing devices that will be utilized and adhere to the following guidelines:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Upon referral from the Supervising Officer, Provider will initiate service within two (2) business days.• Provider will communicate any delays in service initiation to the Supervising Officer.• Provider will contact the Supervising Officer for any needed assistance with service initiation or ongoing monitoring concerns.• Assess the individual for ability to pay in accordance with the approved sliding fee scale.• Provide active, direct and effective monitoring of any individual placed on the monitoring service, as well as timely response to alerts.• Terminate alcohol testing service as instructed by the supervising probation/problem solving court staff member.• Maintain all equipment, including replacing batteries, as necessary.



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	Probation requires the use of the newest technologies and techniques within each type of monitoring in order to maximize the efficiency and effectiveness of monitoring clients. Program plan required <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Service Frequency	Service is provided continuously while authorized by probation/problem-solving court.
Length of Service	As per the order of the sentencing judge or as sanctioned by the supervising probation/problem-solving court staff member.
Staffing	Staff must have experience, knowledge and education of the alcohol monitoring device being used. Staff must be affiliated with an agency registered as a service provider. This service requires Criminogenic Continuing Education Hours <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Staff to Client Ratio	No specific ratios outlined.
Hours of Operation	Monitoring 24 hours per day, 365 days per year.
Service Desired Outcomes	The desired outcome for this service is abstinence from alcohol during the period of monitoring.
Unit and Rate	See rate sheet.