

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

Pima County Juvenile Court
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An Organization committed to:
*Community Protection
*Restoring Victims
*Successful Youth and Families

Domestic Violence Program

**Memorandum of Agreement between Pima County Juvenile Court Center,
the undersigned Police Agencies in Pima County, Pima County Defender's Office,
Pima County Attorneys Office and Open-Inn, Inc.**

The undersigned Agencies hereby agree that youth, when charged with a domestic violence related offense or where Probable Cause exists that the offense was committed, may be taken to the Domestic Violence Alternative Center based on specific offenses identified in this memorandum.

Youth appropriate for the Domestic Violence Alternative Center:

- Under the age of 18 years old
- Youth who are cooperative with the arresting Officers, Alternative Center staff and other professional staff assisting with the processing of the case.
- Youth arrested for one of the following domestic violence offenses:
 - 13-1202 Threats and Intimidation (no mention of a weapon or gang involvement)
 - 13-1203 Assault (no injury)
 - 13-1502 Criminal Trespassing (3rd degree)
 - 13-1503 Criminal Trespassing (2nd degree)
 - 13-1602 Criminal Damage (Misdemeanors only)
 - 13-2904A1 Disorderly Conduct / Fighting (no injury)
 - 13-2904A2 Disorderly Conduct / Unreasonable Noise
 - 13-2904A3 Disorderly Conduct / Abusive Language
 - 13-2921 Harassment

Youth not appropriate for the Domestic Violence Alternative Center:

- Youth charged with felony Domestic Violence offenses
- Youth 18 years or older
- Youth who, at the scene of the domestic violence incident, continue to be potentially violent or pose a threat to themselves and others based on the judgment of the arresting Officer
- Youth who refuse to cooperate with the arresting Officer, Alternative Center staff or other professional staff assisting with the processing of the case

- Youth found to have an outstanding Juvenile Warrant
- Youth arrested for one of the following domestic violence offenses:
 - 13-604.01 Dangerous Crimes Against Children
 - 13-1201 Endangerment
 - 13-1203 Assault (with injury)
 - 13-1204 Aggravated Assault
 - 13-1302 Custodial Interference
 - 13-1303 Unlawful Imprisonment
 - 13-1304 Kidnapping
 - 13-1504 Criminal Trespassing (1st degree)
 - 13-1602 Criminal Damage (charged as a Felony)
 - 13-2810 Interfering with Judicial Proceeding
 - 13-2904A1 Disorderly Conduct / Fighting (with injury)
 - 13-2904A6 Disorderly Conduct /Recklessly handles,displays or discharges deadly
weapon or dangerous instrument
 - 13-2916 Use of Telephone to terrify
 - 13-2921.01 Aggravated Harassment
 - 13-2923 Stalking
 - 13-1301Surreptitious Photos / Videos
 - 13-3601.02 Aggravated DV
 - 13-3623 Vulnerable Child / Adult Abuse

Youth charged with criminal offenses, in addition to the domestic violence charge, are not eligible for diversion to the Alternative Center. Youth with medical issues, injuries or under the influence of alcohol or drugs should be medically cleared prior to referring to the Alternative Center. With cases found to be eligible for diversion to the Alternative Center, Law Enforcement Officers may chose to not divert and may transport to PCJCC as they determine necessary.

Participating Agencies:

- Pima County Juvenile Court Center
- Tucson Police Department
- Oro Valley Police Department
- Marana Police Department
- South Tucson Police Department
- Public Defenders Office
- Pima County Attorney's Office
- Pima County Sheriff's Department
- Sahuarita Police Department

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Nancy Panico, Executive Director of Open-Inn, Inc.

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Rik Schmidt, Director of Pima County Juvenile Court

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