

Comparison of DORA and Drug Court

DORA	DRUG COURT
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Focus on treating the offender's substance abuse problem. 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not voluntary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Voluntary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> LSI-score within range of 16-35 (moderate to high risk offenders) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Individual court eligibility criteria for high risk/high need offenders
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Traditional, adversarial court proceedings 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Non-adversarial, specialized courtroom process
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Collaborative, multidisciplinary team approach to support the offender and enhance probability of successful completion of substance abuse treatment/supervision 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intensive supervision/monitoring of offenders, including random, frequent and observed drug testing 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eight Local Substance Abuse Authority Areas 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Statewide
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adult offenders convicted of a felony offense on or after July 1, 2007 (probationers only) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adult and juvenile offenders, parents involved in child welfare cases in juvenile court
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drug treatment provided to offenders post-sentence 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Allows offenders the opportunity to receive treatment after entering a plea in abeyance, with charges to be dismissed upon successful completion of the drug treatment program