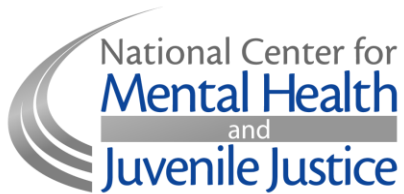


Improving Outcomes for Court-Involved Youth with Co-occurring Disorders

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Ask the Experts Schedule

- **Wednesday, November 12, 2014 2:00 PM ET – 3:30 PM ET**
Robert Kinscherff, Ph.D., J.D.
- **Friday, December 5, 2014 2:00 PM ET – 3:30 PM ET**
Holly Hills, Ph.D.
- **Wednesday, December 17, 2014 2:00 PM ET – 3:30 PM ET**
Richard Shepler, Ph.D., PCC-S

Reminder...

- ***The recording of this Ask the Expert session will be available at ncmhjj.com***

Technical Instructions

- **Please click the “Raise Hand” icon if you wish to ask a question – phone line will be unmuted for you to pose your question**
- **Please say your name and where you’re from before you ask your question**
- **After asking your question, you will remain unmuted during the response, and if a follow-up is necessary, you may ask**
- **After your question, you must click the same icon to “lower” your hand**
- **If you have another question that’s not a follow-up, please lower your hand and raise it again to be placed back in the queue.**

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New Directions to Effectively Address Co-occurring Mental Disorders

Holly Hills, Ph.D.

- **Evaluate the available service continuum and build relationships to fill needs**
- **Consider altering program policies and criteria**
- **Modify the content of screening and assessment tools**

Examples of Program Modifications

- **Summit County, OH: Crossroads Program**
- **Ouachita Parish, LA: 4th Judicial District Juvenile Drug Treatment Court**

Recognition of significant numbers of youth with CODs may require

- Modification of mission
- Review / expansion of Screening and Assessment Measures
- Adoption of Evidence-based Practices
- Expanding Access to Psychopharmacology
- Review of Outcome Measures

Ask the Expert...

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