

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 16TH  
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF THE STATE OF  
FLORIDA IN AND FOR MONROE  
COUNTY

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 4.007/24-1  
**AMENDED**

IN RE:

DRUG COURT  
COSTS ASSESSMENT  
\_\_\_\_\_:

**WHEREAS**, the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in conjunction with the State Attorney and Public Defender, has recognized addiction as a treatable disease since 1993; and

**WHEREAS**, the purpose of an adult drug court is to provide an alternative to prosecution for eligible defendants identified as having a substance use disorder by providing treatment and rehabilitation, while also requiring offender accountability; and

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Supreme Court has adopted the *Florida Adult Drug Court Best Practice Standards*, which clearly define the evidence-based practices adult drug courts should implement; and

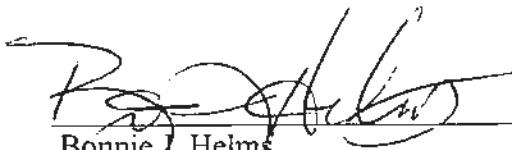
**WHEREAS**, it has been agreed upon by all concerned that clients who receive treatment and services through the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit's Adult Diversion Drug Court Program should share the costs involved according to their abilities;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, it is hereby **ORDERED**:

1. All adult defendants who receive case management services as a participant in the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit's Adult Diversion Drug Court Program be assessed by the Court reasonable costs to defray the expense of case management services based upon each individual's ability to pay, and pursuant to the recommended schedule attached, effective October 1, 2024.
2. These costs shall be payable to Monroe County, Florida, and be deposited into the General Fund of Monroe County, Florida.

Administrative Orders 4.007 and 4.007/02-1, *In Re: Drug Court Costs Assessment* are rescinded effective October 1, 2024.

**DONE AND SIGNED** in Chambers, at Key West, Monroe County, Florida, this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024.

  
Bonnie J. Hejms  
Chief Judge

ADULT DRUG COURT DIVERSION PROGRAM  
RECOMMENDED SUPERVISION FEE SCHEDULE

<u>Household Adjusted Gross Monthly Income*</u>	<u>Monthly Fee</u>
Below \$1255 (FPL)**	\$40.00
\$1,255-\$2000	\$50.00
\$2,000-\$3000	\$65.00
\$3,000-\$4,000	\$100.00
\$4,000-\$5,000	\$115.00
\$5,000 and up	\$165.00

\*Client's Monthly Gross Household income minus \$250.00 for each eligible dependent equals client's adjusted monthly gross household income.

\*\*FPL: The Federal Poverty Level income figure is \$1,255/month or \$15,060/year