

What is the Veterans Pre-Prosecution Diversion (V-PPD) Program?

V-PPD was developed to help veterans struggling to reintegrate into civilian life. V-PPD provides intensive evidence-based treatment and supervision for veterans charged with crimes specifically related to or intensified by their military experience.

V-PPD provides an opportunity for justice involved veterans to address the root causes of their criminal behavior by diverting them from the criminal justice system and linking them with the resources they need to help them return to civilian life.



VETERANS HELPING VETERANS

Mentors act as role models, coaches, and advocates providing support with a special understanding that only another veteran can provide.

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V-PPD MENTORSHIP MISSION

The mission of the 6th Judicial District Attorney's Office's V-PPD Mentorship program is to make certain to the best of our abilities that no veteran is left behind.



WHAT IS THE V-PPD MENTORSHIP PROGRAM?

The V-PPD Mentorship Program is a peer support program that allows participants to go through Pre-Prosecution Diversion with people who have common past experiences and understand the unique and distinctive needs that may arise because of their military service. Mentors are veterans who volunteer their time to assist and support V-PPD participants by providing guidance, advice, and sharing their personal experiences.

Why Have The V-PPD Mentorship Program?

Veterans respond more favorably to other veterans.

Veterans are better served by having a support system that includes those who have shared experiences and understand the different aspects of military service.

Mentors increase the likelihood that the participant will remain in treatment and successfully readjust to civilian life.



PEER MENTOR REQUIREMENTS

Be a United States Military Veteran, having served in any branch of the U.S. Armed Forces.

Be a law-abiding citizen.

Have a genuine concern for veterans involved in the criminal justice system.

Commit to program participation for a minimum of six (6) months.

Participate in the application and interview process.

Participate in mentorship training.

Adhere to all V-PPD policies and procedures.

Attend all scheduled meetings.

Be ready to answer the call when needed.