



Alcohol Safety Action Program ASAP

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Alcohol Safety Action Program ASAP changes with SB91

- **Current AS 47.37.040(21)** states that the Department shall “develop and implement, or designate, in cooperation with other state or local agencies, an alcohol safety action program that provides services to persons who have been referred by a court under AS 28.35.028, 28.35.030, or 28.35.032, or referred by an agency of the state with the responsibility for administering motor vehicle laws in connection with a driver’s license action involving the use of alcohol or a controlled substance.”
- **AS 47.37.040(21) REDUCED THE NUMBER OF ASAP REFERRALS BY COURTS**
- Current **AS 47.37.130(h)(k)**, added by **SB 91**, requires ASAP to provide “screening of eligible persons to determine the risk of the person to reoffend and the criminal risk factors that are contributing to the risk,” and “monitoring of participants based on the risk to reoffend as determined by the screening.”
- **SB91 REQUIRED A RISK SCREENING AND INCREASED MONITORING**



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Proposed changes with SB54

Proposed AS 47.37.040(21), under duties of the department, states that **DHSS will** "develop and implement, or designate, in cooperation with other state or local agencies, an alcohol safety action program that provides alcohol and substance abuse screening, referral, and monitoring services to persons who have been referred by a court in connection with a charge or conviction of a misdemeanor involving the use of alcohol or a controlled substance or referred by an agency of the state with the responsibility for administering motor vehicle laws in connection with a driver's license action involving the use of alcohol or a controlled substance."

- **THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT IN SB54 INCREASES ASAP REFERRALS**
- **BUT CONTINUES TO REQUIRE THE RISK SCREENING AND INCREASED MONITORING REQUIRED BY SB91 FOR AN INCREASED NUMBER OF REFERRALS**

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Cases BEING MONITORED

- FY17: 3,554 New Admissions + 1,717 remaining cases = **5,271** (Post-SB91)
- FY16: 5,818 New Admissions + 2,229 remaining cases = **8,047** (Pre-SB91)
- FY15: 7,286 New Admissions + 1,618 remaining cases = **8,904** (Pre-SB91)



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How ASAP works

Orientation

- Release of Information
- Privacy Notice
- (HIPAA-CFR-42 & Case management fee)
- Your Rights & Responsibilities



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Information Gathering/Screening/Assessments

- Criminal History
- Treatment History
- Details of prior ASAP open case(s)
- Blood Alcohol Content (if known)
- Substance use screening
- Risk/Needs Screening (**NEW WITH SB91**)
 - Risk/Needs Assessment

Choosing an Treatment Agency & ASAP Referral

Choosing an Agency

- Best fit (using LSI-r results)
- Location
- Cost
- Philosophy

Monitoring Higher Risk

(NEW WITH SB91)

Based on the results of the LSI-r:

- **Low Risk – minimal monitoring** (ASAP clients can/do usually complete this level of effort without much assistance).
- **Medium Risk – moderate monitoring** [Probation Officer (PO) maintains contact with client to insure completion of the program]
- **High Risk – increased monitoring** (PO follows-up with client reminders of each appointment, immediate contact with client if there are missed appointments, immediate filings with (notification to) the court, possibly refers the client to other levels of care).

Levels of Treatment

Education

- Alcohol Drug Information School (ADIS)

Some Driving Related Cases

- Victim Impact Panel (VIP)

Treatment SA/MH/Other

- Outpatient (OP)
- Intensive Outpatient (IOP)
- Residential/Inpatient —Always followed by continuing care
- Other Behavioral Health needs
- Referral to other needs (primary care, housing, education, employment, etc.)

Second Opinion Evaluation

- Must be referred by ASAP

Agency reports

Compliance/Completion

Non-compliance

- Petition to Revoke (PTR)
- Bench Warrant (BW)
- Reassignment to ASAP (\$)
- Fast Track (more court oversight)
- Hearings
- Impose Suspended Fine/Time

DMV sign off

1st offense

- Alcohol/Drug Information School-ADIS/Treatment/VIP
- Compliance

2nd or more OUI in life

- Treatment Complete

Other Instances where completion is required

Case is Re-opened for DMV purposes

Out-of-State

ASAP BUDGET

FY2016 Actuals

Personal Services	\$1,361.9
Travel	.8
Services	617.2
Commodities	22.5
Grants, Benefits	946.3
Total	\$2,948.7

UGF	\$1,953.1
DGF	995.6
Other	0
Federal Funds	0
PFT Positions	13
Non-Perms	0

FY2017 Actuals

Personal Services	\$1,095.6
Travel	.4
Services	219.3
Commodities	30.0
Grants, Benefits	953.0
Total	\$2,298.3

UGF	\$1,624.7
DGF	673.6
Other	0
Federal Funds	0
PFT Positions	13
Non-Perms	0