

## **Probation Service Definition**

## ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS & PROBATION

Service Name	Continuous Alcohol Monitoring (CAM) ⊠ Adult ☐ Juvenile
Category	Supportive Service (non-clinical, non-treatment)
Setting	Community-based
Facility License	Licensure is not required for this service
Service Description	Continuous Alcohol Monitoring (CAM) device is a tamper-resistant ankle bracelet that measures the individual's perspiration for the presence of alcohol excreted through the skin. This supervision tool is appropriate when the individual:  • Is involved in substance use treatment  • Has an extensive history of alcohol-related incidents  • Demonstrates continued use of alcohol despite undesired consequences and shows an unwillingness/inability to
	discontinue its use  • Is unable/unwilling to maintain a substantial period of abstinence despite current legal involvement/supervision
Service Expectations	Provider shall be able to effectively provide landline, cellular or Ethernet monitoring. The probation/problem-solving court staff member shall determine the type of communication to use: landline, cellular or Ethernet.
	<ul> <li>Provider shall submit a list of the CAM monitors it uses for each type of communication (landline, cellular or Ethernet) and adhere to the following guidelines:</li> <li>When service is requested, the Provider will respond to the identified location within two (2) business days.</li> <li>Provider is required at all times to provide active, direct and effective monitoring of any probationer/problem-solving court participant placed on CAM, as well as timely response to alerts.</li> <li>All events/alerts will be addressed and documented and the supervising probation/problem-solving court staff member should be notified the next business day.</li> <li>Termination of services/monitor removal is to occur as instructed by the supervising probation/problem-solving court staff member.</li> <li>Maintain all equipment, including replacing batteries, as necessary.</li> </ul>
	Probation requires the use of current technologies and techniques to maximize the efficiency and effectiveness of monitoring for individuals under probation supervision or participating in problem-solving court.  Program plan required   Yes  No

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Service Frequency	Service is provided continuously while authorized by probation/problem-solving court.
Length of Service	As per the order of the sentencing judge or as sanctioned by the supervising probation/problem-solving court staff member.
Staffing	Staff must have experience, knowledge and education on all CAM devices being used. Staff must be affiliated with an agency registered as a service provider.  This service requires Criminogenic Continuing Education Hours   Yes   No
Staff to Client Ratio	No specific ratios outlined.
Hours of Operation	Monitoring 24 hours per day, 365 days per year.
Service Desired Outcomes	The desired outcome for this service is reduction in alcohol use during monitoring with a goal of achieving and maintaining abstinence.
Unit and Rate	See rate sheet.

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