

WHAT IS THE 24/7 SOBRIETY PROGRAM?

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WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?

As a participant you will report to the testing facility twice each day, including weekends and holidays. Once during a designated testing period in the morning and once during a designated testing period in the evening. During that time, you will take a portable breath test to determine if you have consumed alcohol.

You may also be required to take a random drug test.

WHERE IS THE TESTING FACILITY?

Programs are established in Clallam County (testing at Clallam County Jail) and the City of Centralia (testing at the Centralia Police Department).

WHAT DOES IT COST?

You will be required to pay a \$30 enrollment fee. The cost for portable breath tests is \$2/test. Drug test fees are \$10/test.

WHY SHOULD I DO THIS?

Depending on your situation, the 24/7 Sobriety Program may be used to decrease jail time, decrease the length of license suspension, and/or in lieu of pretrial ignition interlock. The 24/7 Sobriety Program may be used both pretrial and post-conviction.

Please see the following statutes for additional information.

- **Jail Time** ([RCW 46.61.5055](#))
- **License Suspension** ([RCW 46.61.5055](#))
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WHAT'S IN IT FOR ME?

The 24/7 Sobriety Program was designed to help you hold yourself accountable. By participating in the 24/7 Sobriety Program you may:

- maintain/search for employment
- maintain your family and personal relationships
- continue to live a productive life

Really, we want to keep you out of jail, see you safely and legally driving and contribute to your sobriety.

WHERE CAN I GET ADDITIONAL INFORMATION?

The [Washington State 24/7 Sobriety Program](#) is administered by the [Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs](#) (WASPC).

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INFORMATION FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE PROFESSIONALS

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WHY SHOULD DUI OFFENDERS CONSIDER THIS PROGRAM?

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WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS TO THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM?

The goal of the 24/7 Sobriety Program is to combat the role that alcohol and drug abuse play in crime and criminal recidivism, particularly for drunk driving and drugged driving—and to reduce the number of DUIs and related costs by motivating offenders to change their behaviors. The 24/7 Sobriety Program aims to:

- Provide a cost efficient program to hold DUI offenders accountable
- Reduce jail populations
- Enhance public safety
- Enable offenders to change their behavior

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