



MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF TREATMENT COURT PROFESSIONALS

2026 U.P. Training: Friday, September 11, 2026

Terrace Bay Hotel, 7146 P Road, Gladstone, MI 49837

Agenda

Agenda Subject to Change

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<i>Continental Breakfast available</i> Check-In, Welcome, Overview of Agenda, Group Introductions 2 Questions: i) Is there a topic or issue you would like to see addressed in today's training? ii) Submit 1 challenging case for which you wish you had an expert panel at your disposal to help with Introduction of Case Study <i>Facilitators: Sheila Day, 61st District Court Clinical Liaison; David Wallace, Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Huron County</i>
9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Eligible for up to 0.75 CEUs	Neurobiology of Addiction Addiction is a chronic, treatable brain disease that profoundly impacts decision-making, impulse control, and stress regulation. Learn more about how persistent drug use alters the brain, explaining why craving and relapse occur, how executive dysfunction affects participant compliance, and how the brain heals in recovery, gaining science-backed insights to better inform court responses, incentives, sanctions, and participant management. <i>Speaker: Dr. David McGreaham, MD, Contracted Medical Director, Northern Michigan Opioid Response Consortium</i>
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	Break (15 Minutes)

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Eligible for up to 0.5 CEUs	Aligning All Rise Best Practice Standards Updates with Michigan Rural Courts An overview of essential updates in the 2nd Edition All Rise Best Practice Standards and how they compare to current Michigan standards, offering practical insights into maintaining evidence-based fidelity amid rural resource constraints. <i>Speaker: David Wallace, Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Huron County</i>
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Eligible for up to 1.0 CEUs	Changes Ahead: Is Your Court Ready for ASAM 4? The release of the ASAM Criteria, 4th Edition introduces significant updates to how substance use and co-occurring disorders are assessed, level-of-care decisions are made, and treatment plans are structured. Together we will translate the clinical changes in ASAM 4 into courtroom operations for a better understanding of how these clinical shifts impact court eligibility, phase progression, and participant treatment matching. <i>Speaker: Sheila Day, 61st District Court Clinical Liaison</i>
12:00 p.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Break – visit Exhibitors & pick up Lunch (15 Minutes)
12:15 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Eligible for up to 0.75 CEUs	Working Lunch The Treatment Court Ignition Interlock Process An open forum to discuss the treatment court ignition interlock process. Attendees will also learn some useful tips to help treatment courts prepare their participants for a successful driver's license reinstatement post-graduation. <i>Speaker: Josh Nucian, Nationwide Interlock</i>
1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Break (15 Minutes)
1:15 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Eligible for up to 0.75 CEUs	ASAM 4: The Six Updated Core Dimensions for Justice-Involved Individuals A deeper dive into the Six Updated Core Dimensions: Intoxication, Withdrawal, and Addiction Medications, Biomedical Conditions, Psychiatric and Cognitive Conditions, Substance Use-Related Risk, Recovery Environmental Interactions, and Person-Centered Considerations. Courts will consider how to use ASAM 4 criteria to make informed decisions regarding court incentives,

	sanctions, adjustments, phase transitions, and community supervision plans. <i>Speaker: Sheila Day, 61st District Court Clinical Liaison</i>
2:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.	Break (15 Minutes)
2:15 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Eligible for up to 0.75 CEUs	New Medicaid Work Requirements: Impact on Treatment Court Participants As state and federal Medicaid policy shifts to mandated work reporting and community engagement requirements this fall, treatment court participants face a heightened risk of losing vital healthcare coverage. Loss of Medicaid coverage directly jeopardizes participant access to MOUD, residential care, and outpatient behavioral health services essential to court compliance and recovery. Learn about the new Medicaid work requirements, available exemptions (including SUD treatment enrollment), and strategies for courts and participants navigating compliance, securing exemptions, and preventing gaps in care that could disrupt court progression. <i>Speaker: Sheila Day, 61st District Court Clinical Liaison</i>
3:00 p.m. – 3:10 p.m.	Break (10 Minutes)
3:10 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Challenging Case Discussions: Problem-Solving Real-World Court Scenarios Part 1: Using a MATCP-provided case study, attendees will collaborate in small groups to analyze a case study of a challenging participant, focusing on strategies for initial risk/need assessments, readiness for phase transitions, targeted incentives, sanctions, and adjustments, and using motivational interviewing techniques. Part 2: This section opens the floor to real-world challenging cases submitted by attendees in advance. The larger group will engage in feedback, and offer judicial insight and practical solutions, so all attendees leave with actionable strategies to help resolve the toughest cases. <i>Facilitators: Sheila Day, 61st District Court Clinical Liaison; David Wallace, Chief Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, Huron County</i>
4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Wrap-up & Final Thoughts & Discussion

Total Eligible Continuing Education Credits = 4.5 for SW, MCBAP, MCJE, MIDC, and MCOLES (subject to approval by granting organizations)