

MONTGOMERY COUNTY OPIOID COURT LAW ENFORCEMENT REFERRAL PROCEDURE

The primary focus of the Montgomery County Opioid Court is to connect chemically dependent individuals who are arrested with misdemeanor and nonviolent felonies to treatment. The goal of the Montgomery County Opioid Court is to connect potential participants with treatment interventions as immediately as possible.

If someone is arrested for a drug offense, appears to be under the influence of alcohol or other drugs and/or admits to being under the influence or having a substance use issue please make a referral to the Montgomery County Opioid Court.

Please note- referrals are not limited to only those found to be in possession of opioids and/or using opioids. All arrestees with a substance use issue are eligible to be assessed for opioid court.

Please provide all arrestees with Montgomery County Opioid Court resource card

To make a referral:

Laura Smith – Opioid Court Coordinator

Cell Phone: 518-424-2500 (call or text) Please leave a message

Email: lasmith@nycourts.gov

Office Phone: 518 853-8267

During Court business hours Monday through Friday 8am-4pm:

If possible, please hold the individual for Opioid Court staff to complete an assessment and contact Laura Smith

If you are issuing an appearance ticket- please email or text the name of the defendant and date of next appearance to Laura Smith