

## **Sample Conditions of Offender Community Supervision Relevant to Crime Victims<sup>1</sup>**

*(These conditions can be adapted for  
bail release, pre-adjudication, diversion or incarceration)*

- Release of information relevant to conditions of supervision and/or violations of such conditions to the victim, upon request from the victim.
- Obey all laws.
- Cannot possess weapons.
- Seek or maintain employment (i.e., so that fines, fees, orders of restitution, and child support can be paid).
- Upon request from the victim, no contact with the victim, his or her family, and others designated by the victim (for a specified period of time, or permanently) in person, by telephone, fax or e-mail, or through a third party.
- Upon request from the victim, submit to geographical restrictions that preclude living or working within a designated distance from the victim's home or place of employment.
- Agree that offender status and progress information can be shared for the purposes of case management by (supervising officer/treatment provider(s)/victim advocate/others).
- Restrictions on movement and location (specifically those that involve contact with potentially vulnerable populations, such as children [at home, schools or day care centers], elderly persons, or persons with disabilities).
- Participate in any offense-specific treatment program deemed appropriate by the supervising agency, with victim input (i.e., substance abuse treatment, sex offender treatment, etc.)
- Participate in victim/offender programming that reinforces offender accountability, such as victim impact panels or victim awareness classes.
- Make full restitution to the victim(s), with the ability to travel out-of-state or end community supervision dependent upon full payment.
- If there is no restitution order, be provided with the opportunity to make voluntary restitution to the victim(s) or a victim assistance program designated by the victim.

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<sup>1</sup> Adapted from: Seymour, A. (2000). Washington, D.C.: Justice Solutions

- Pay fines and fees that support victim assistance programs, including victim compensation.
- Submit to warrantless search and seizure.
- Do not use alcohol and/or other drugs.
- Submit to random alcohol and other drug tests.
- Pay for the cost of urinalysis.
- Submit to polygraphs.
- Perform restorative community service as recommended by the victim or victim surrogate (such as a victim assistance agency).
- Must attend education or awareness programs, such as alcohol/drunken driving education, victim impact panels, or victim awareness classes.
- Electronic monitoring.
- Intensive supervision.
- In cases involving drunk driving, restrictions on ability to drive, and/or agreement to have an alcohol ignition interlock device placed on their vehicles that detects alcohol use, and prevents the offender from driving if he or she has been drinking.
- In cases involving sex offenders and/or computer crimes, no access to computers or the Internet.
- Notification to the victim if there is any hearing related to the violation by the offender of the conditions of supervision.

### **Additional Conditions for Inter-familial/Family Violence Cases<sup>2</sup>**

- No further abuse.
- Pay child support and restitution.
- Pay attorney fees for victims.
- Abide by all court restrictions and directives.

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<sup>2</sup> APPA. (1996). Intervening in Family Violence. Page 204. Lexington, KY: American Probation and Parole Association.

- Supervised child visitation and/or public drop-off/pick-up point.
- Cooperation with child/adult protective services.
- Release of information to third parties, as appropriate.

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