

NCAOC Implementation Update

School Justice Partnerships, Forms, and IT Systems

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What is a School Just ic e Partnership?

- Collaboration among local stakeholders to help students succeed in school and prevent negative outcomes for youth and communities.
- Main Goal = keeping kids in school and out of court for minor misconduct.



SJP Law Enforcement Working Group

January 8, 2019

March 2019

July 2019

• SJP Law Enforcement Working Group was established following JJAC meeting

• SJP Law Enforcement Working Group approved revised "Model SJP MOU"

- Revised "Model SJP MOU" and Toolkit approved by law enforcement stakeholders
 - NC Conference of District Attorneys
 - NC Sheriffs Association
 - NC Association of Chiefs of Police



SJP Toolkit "Official" Release



- Release Date: <u>August 12, 2019</u>
- Rollout events include:
 - Press Conference August 12th
 - School Safety Summit August 12th
 - Promotional videos Date TBD
- Toolkit will be available at <u>SJP.nccourts.gov</u>



NCAOC Juvenile Forms - Amen d ed

- Juvenile Forms Subcommittee will meet on August 16, 2019
- Amended Juvenile Forms:
 - AOC-J-240A (Notice of Hearing)
 - AOC-J-251 (Juvenile Disposition Undisciplined)
 - AOC-J-310, et al. (Juvenile Petition Delinquent)
 - AOC-J-343 (Probable Cause Order)
 - AOC-J-410 (Transcript of Admission)
 - AOC-J-442 (Transfer Order)
 - AOC-J-461 (Level 1 Disposition Order)
 - AOC-J-462, AOC-J-467, AOC-J-468 (Level 3 Disposition Orders)
 - AOC-J-469 (Delinquency History Level Worksheet)
 - AOC-J-475 (Level 2 Disposition Order)

NCAOC Juvenile Forms -*New*

- Two new forms are being proposed to comply with G.S. 7B-2200.5(a)(1) to be used following the return of a bill of indictment charging a 16 or 17-year-old with a Class A-G felony:
 - AOC-J-443 (Notice of Indictment)
 - AOC-J-444 (Juvenile Order Transfer After Bill of Indictment)



NCAOC System Changes

- eCitation
- NCAWARE
- ACIS
- JWise
- CCIS-PD





eCitation

- eCitation will continue to prohibit a citation with a juvenile under the age of 16 on the date of offense.
- eCitation will be changed to also prohibit a citation with a combination of
 - a date of offense on or after 12/1/2019, and
 - o a juvenile either 16 or 17 years old on the date of offense, and
 - o a non-Chapter 20 offense.
- eCitation will also prohibit transferring these citations to NCAWARE.



NCAWARE

- NCAWARE will continue to prohibit issuing a process with an unemancipated juvenile under the age of 16 on the date of offense.
- NCAWARE will be changed to also prohibit issuing processes with a combination of
 - o an offense date on or after 12/1/2019, and
 - o an unemancipated juvenile either 16 or 17 years old on the date of offense, and
 - o a non-Chapter 20 offense.

Fugitive processes will be exempt from this restriction.

• NCAWARE will be changed to require an age or date of birth at the latest, upon initial arrest.



Juveniles with Prior Criminal Convictions

- Neither eCitation nor NCAWARE will offer an exception to allow juvenile defendants with prior criminal convictions to be entered.
- If a Juvenile Court Counselor determines that a juvenile should be prosecuted as an adult due to a prior conviction in District or Superior Court, the process must be filed on paper rather than electronically.





ACIS

- ACIS will be changed to allow the clerk to record a case with a defendant of any age to accommodate cases with emancipated and "once an adult, always an adult" juveniles.
- ACIS will be changed to warn the user if the defendant being entered is younger than 18 years old on the date of offense.



JWise and CCIS -PD

 JWise and CCIS-PD will be changed to implement forms changes expected to be approved at the Juvenile Forms Subcommittee meeting on August 16, 2019.





