

Assisted Outpatient Treatment



What is Assisted Outpatient Treatment?

Assisted Outpatient Treatment (AOT) in Michigan refers to a legal mechanism that provides court-ordered mental health treatment for individuals with severe mental illness, whose non-engagement in treatment places them at risk for negative outcomes.

The goal of AOT is to support individuals in managing their mental health conditions effectively in the community, reducing the need for more intensive interventions like hospitalization, and improving overall quality of life.

Who is Eligible?

- Individuals, who are 18 years and older
- Individuals with a serious mental illness, who are at risk of harm, unable to meet basic needs, display a lack of judgment and/or refuse treatment
- A resident of Oakland County or can be found in Oakland County

What are the Next Steps?

- A Petition for Assisted Outpatient Treatment (PCM 201) must be completed and submitted. This form is available online or at the Oakland County Probate Court.
- The person will be assessed to determine their service needs.
- If necessary, a hearing will be held.

Managing the Process and Ensuring Success

The OCHN AOT Team provides support by:

- Assisting with obtaining or renewing an AOT Order
- Connecting individuals to the right treatment provider after being placed on an AOT Order
- Overseeing all AOT Orders in Oakland County
- Providing case management for individuals who meet certain criteria
- Providing education and support to the community and treatment providers

Additional Resources

Oakland Community Health Network

Address: 5505 Corporate Drive, Troy, MI 48098

Phone: 248-858-1210

OCHN's Resource & Crisis Center

Address: 1200 Telegraph Rd. Bldg 32E, Pontiac, MI 48341

Phone: 248-464-6363 (Access)

Oakland County Probate Court

Address: 1200 N Telegraph Road,

Pontiac, MI 48341

Phone: 248-858-0260

Fax: 248-858-1578

Email: probatemi@oakgov.com

Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



Crisis Phone Numbers

Suicide & Crisis Lifeline: 988

Michigan Peer Warm-line: 888-733-7753

Common Ground: 800-231-1127

National Domestic Violence Hotline: 800-799-7233

National Substance Abuse Hotline: 866-210-1303

For questions, please contact the AOT Team at AOT@oaklandchn.org

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OCHN's AOT webpage



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