

Ramsey County Response Grid

1) To use grid, determine seriousness level of violation and locate on horizontal axis of grid. 2) Match youth's risk level to risk level on vertical axis. 3) Locate box at intersection of vertical and horizontal axes. The number within box corresponds to the highest sanctioning level for the violation. (*)= Require Court Action

Probation Violation Misbehavior Level by Intensiveness / Restrictiveness

		Minor: (Lapse in Judgment)	Moderate: (Lack of Motivation or New Crime -misdemeanor)	Serious: (Ongoing, Willful Disregard for Expectations)
		Fail to contact PO (1 missed contact) Fail to notify PO about police contact (1-2 instances) Violation of Conditions (1-2 instances) Curfew Violation (Parents notify) Occasional truancy (1- 3 instances) Violation of court ordered program Missed required programming or treatment/skill provider (10%) Failure to complete community service / restitution Used of alcohol / marijuana (parent/guardian report) Association w/ gang members (1-2 instances)	<i>Multiple minor violations w/ no apparent response to consequences</i> Fail to contact PO (2 missed contacts) Fail to notify PO about police contact (3 instances) Violation of Conditions (3 instances) Curfew Violation (law enforcement) Truancy (4 - 5) Violation of court ordered program (termination threatened) Missed required programming or treatment/skill provider (25%) Fail to complete community service/restitution (on-going/after PO) Used of alcohol / marijuana (1-3 dirty UA) / Use of narcotics Association w/ gang members (3-4 instances)	<i>Behavior that demonstrates extreme disregard of probation conditions; failure to respond to the authority of the Court; or unauthorized contact with the victim.)</i> Fail to contact PO (3 or more missed contacts) Fail to notify PO about police contact (4 or more instances) Violation of Conditions (4 or more instances) Curfew Violation (law enforcement results in new charge) Continued Truancy (6 or more) Violation of court ordered program (terminated) Missed required programming or treatment/ (26% or more) Used of alcohol / marijuana/ narcotics (repeated use) Association w/ gang members (5 or more instances)
Risk Level (YLSI Score)	Low (0-8)	School / Parents/ Guardian consequences (chores/ volunteer work) Community service work (max 8hrs) Confiscate contraband Increase contact and / or discussion w/ PO Essay / Homework Assignment w/PO Letter of Apology Community based agency referral (e.g., AA, Mentoring) Children's Crisis Response (Domestic Issues, MH) Restriction of contact (short term) Restriction of activity (short term) Restriction of curfew/grounding/house arrest (up to 3 days) Screening/Assessment (CD, MH, Education, etc.) School Monitoring Sheets	School / Parents/ Guardian consequences (chores/ volunteer work) Community service work (max 8hrs) Confiscate contraband Increase contact and / or discussion w/ PO Essay / Homework Assignment w/PO Letter of Apology Community based agency referral (e.g., AA, Mentoring) Children's Crisis Response (Domestic Issues, MH) Restriction of contact (short term) Restriction of activity (short term) Restriction of curfew/grounding/house arrest (up to 3 days) Screening/Assessment (CD, MH, Education, etc.) School Monitoring Sheets	Community Service (max 16 hrs) Increase frequency of drug/alcohol screening House Arrest (up to 1wk)/ PO Shelter Placement Require Special Programming (FFT) Outpatient MH Programming Intensive Truancy Program* Day Treatment School (RCHSD)* No Contact Order* Monetary Fine *
	Moderate (9-22)	School / Parents/ Guardian consequences (chores/ volunteer work) Community service work (max 8hrs) Confiscate contraband Increase contact and / or discussion w/ PO Essay / Homework Assignment w/PO Letter of Apology Community based agency referral (e.g., AA, Mentoring) Children's Crisis Response (Domestic Issues, MH) Restriction of contact (short term) Restriction of activity (short term) Restriction of curfew/grounding/house arrest (up to 3 days) Screening/Assessment (CD, MH, Education, etc.) School Monitoring Sheets	Community Service (max 16hrs) Increase frequency of drug/alcohol screening House Arrest (up to 1wk)/ PO Shelter Placement Require Special Programming (ART/FFT) Outpatient MH Programming STS Work Crew Day Treatment School (RCHSD)* No Contact Order* Monetary Fine * Intensive Supervision Program* Intensive Truancy Program*	Refer to Enhanced Probation CD Assessment Cooperate w/ drug treatment as recommended Community Based Programs including: <i>Coaches; Evening Reporting Center; Weekend Accountability (WCR)</i> Waivers (ISP & Enhanced Probation) Electronic Home Monitoring* Drug Court* Intensive Supervision* Out of Home Placement * EJJ Revocation *
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		1	2a	3
		2a	3	3

Use least restrictive response for desired behavioral change utilizing the principles of risk, need and responsivity.