

**SENTENCING OPTIONS UNDER THE
COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS ACT FOR LOCAL-RESPONSIBLE OFFENDERS**

GENERAL DISTRICT, JUVENILE & DOMESTIC RELATIONS & CIRCUIT COURTS

Purpose: To allow local units of government to establish and operate a system of local community-based probation services for their judicial system.

<p align="center">ENABLING LEGISLATION <i>Code of Virginia</i> §§ 9.1-173 through 9.1-183 & § 19.2-303.3</p>

General District Court – Criminal Division
Juvenile & Domestic Relations Court/Family Court
Circuit Court



Adult Cases
As defined in §19.2-303.3



Misdemeanants

Felons

As defined in §19.2-297.1: Any offender convicted of any felony not an act of violence



§§19.2-303.3, 9.1-173 & 9.1-174
FOR WHICH THE COURT IMPOSES A SENTENCE OF 12 MONTHS OR LESS



for Class 1 & 2 Criminal and Traffic Misdemeanors & Felonies



<p align="center"><u>Sentencing Options</u> <i>Convicted & Sentenced/Sentence Suspended & Probation §19.2-303.3 Deferred Proceeding & Probation in Lieu of Conviction §19.2-303.2 for Class 1 & 2 Misdemeanor Offenses §§ 4.1-305, 18.2-57.3 & 18.2-251 for Class 1 & 2 misdemeanors</i></p>	<p align="center"><u>Mandated Services</u> §9.1-173 as defined by §9.1-176 Local Probation Supervision with: 1. Community Service 2. Electronic Monitoring 3. Home Incarceration 4. Substance abuse testing 5. Substance abuse treatment</p>	<p align="center"><u>Mandated Services</u> § 19.2-299.2 Alcohol & Substance Abuse: 1. Screening 2. Assessment</p> <p align="center"><u>Confidentiality of Records</u> Progress reports and records confidential</p>	<p align="center"><u>Length of Supervision</u> Recommended Average Length of Supervision: Misdemeanants: 6 months Felons: 12 months</p>
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