



NATIONAL PARTNERSHIP ON ALCOHOL MISUSE AND CRIME

June 2010 Meeting

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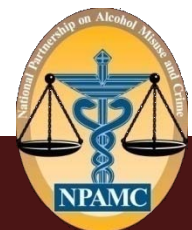
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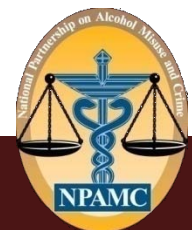
Offenders and Alcohol

- A significant portion of offenders misuse alcohol
- A significant percentage of offenders commit crimes while under the influence of alcohol
- Traditional sanctions don't work well
- We can't afford to continue trying to incarcerate our way past the problem



A Lack of National Standards

- With the exception of drug and DWI courts, there are no national standards for:
 - Identifying offenders with alcohol misuse issues (no standards for screening, assessment and evaluation)
 - Providing necessary and adequate treatment for offenders
 - Appropriately sanctioning offenders, particularly with regard to relapse



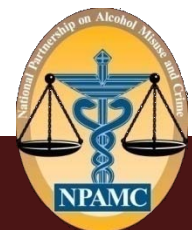
NPAMC

- Started in June 2008
- Public-private partnership
 - Diversity of interests
- Board
 - APPA
 - NADCP
 - NDAA
 - NJC
 - Representatives from:
 - Alcohol industry
 - Correctional company
 - Pharmaceutical
- Focus on evidence and consensus based solutions



NPAMC Participants

- Over 150 participants representing more than 100 agencies (including 10 Federal agencies), organizations and companies



NPAMC Vision

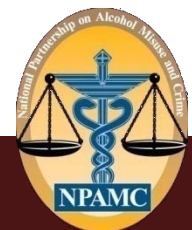
- A criminal justice system where:
 - We identify and address offender needs
 - We systematically address contributing causes of their behaviors, rather than simply their actions
 - We better protect our friends, families and communities
 - We maximize limited public resources

.....and we do so simultaneously

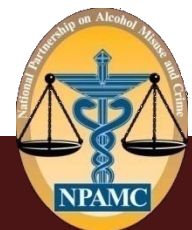


Laying the Foundation

- NPAMC meetings 1-4
 - Nature and extent of the problem
 - Screening and assessments
 - Treatment
 - Monitoring and sanctions
- Articles on alcohol misuse and crime
- NPAMC video on alcohol misuse and crime
- Technical assistance
- Education and legislative support (including webpage)



SMART JUSTICE



Today's Agenda

- Introduction to Smart Justice concept
- Presentations on four model programs
 - Hawaii's Opportunity Probation with Enforcement (HOPE)
 - Problem Solving Courts
 - 24-7 Sobriety Program
 - IBH DUI Model
- Drafting the Call for Smart Justice

