



The South Carolina Alcohol and Drug Safety Action Program (ADSAP) is a statewide education and treatment program for:

- individuals who are **convicted of driving** under the influence (**DUI**);
- individuals who are referred by the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources for boating under the influence (BUI); and
- individuals whose licenses are suspended through the state's **Administrative License Revocation (ALR)** procedure. Drivers fall in this category if they are charged under the provisions known as "**zero tolerance**" (which targets drivers under age 21) or "**.15**" (which is in addition to a charge of DUI for drivers of any age who operate a vehicle with a blood alcohol concentration [BAC] of .15 percent or greater). An individual also is subject to ALR if he refuses to take a blood, breath or urine test for the presence of alcohol or other drugs.

Because thousands of South Carolinians are killed or injured each year in alcohol- or other drug-related crashes, ADSAP works with offenders to reduce the number of crashes that result in death, injury or property damage. ADSAP services are certified by the South Carolina Department of Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Services and are available in each of the state's 46 counties.

The following questions and answers provide some basic information about ADSAP.

Driving Under the Influence (DUI)

Q. Do I have to enroll in ADSAP if I am convicted of DUI?

A. Yes. If you want to get your driver's license back from the Division of Motor Vehicles (DMV) of the South

Carolina Department of Public Safety, you must enroll in and successfully complete this program.

Q. Where do I enroll in ADSAP?

A. You may enroll with any certified ADSAP provider in the state. A listing of certified ADSAP offices is included in this brochure. These county alcohol and drug abuse authorities also are listed in the telephone directory.

Q. When should I contact ADSAP?

A. It is important for you to contact an ADSAP representative immediately after you are notified that you must successfully complete this program.

Q. What happens if I don't enroll in ADSAP?

A. The DMV will not reinstate your driver's license until it is notified of your successful completion of ADSAP.

Q. What is involved in ADSAP?

A. When you enroll, you will be assessed to determine the problem areas that contributed to your DUI. Goals will be developed to address these problem areas. Education and/or treatment services will be provided to help you reduce your risk of committing another violation. Successful completion of the program is based on whether you have reduced your risk.

Q. How long will it take me to complete ADSAP?

A. Because you will receive services based on individual needs, the time period for ADSAP varies for each person. While most people complete the program by the end of their suspension period, it could take you up to 12 months.

Q. Is there a cost for ADSAP?

A. Yes. The fee for educational services provided through ADSAP is \$500. Treatment services required by the program can cost up to \$2,000. The total cost for all services – educational and treatment – will not exceed \$2,500.

Q. May I drive while I am participating in ADSAP?

A. If this is your first DUI and you meet certain requirements, you may obtain a provisional driver's license from the DMV. This provisional license will allow you to drive for six months from the date of issue, as long as you continue to successfully participate in

ADSAP. However, offenders who do not qualify for a provisional driver's license may not drive during their suspension period.

Q. What are the requirements for a provisional driver's license?

- A. There are several requirements:
- You must enroll in ADSAP.
 - You must have had a valid South Carolina driver's license at the time of your violation.
 - This must be your first DUI conviction in 10 years.
 - Your driver's license must not be suspended for any other reason.
 - You must provide proof of financial responsibility to the DMV (usually SR22 insurance).
 - You must pay the license fee to the DMV.

Q. What should I do if I move out of state after being convicted of DUI in South Carolina?

A. You must complete South Carolina's requirements for ADSAP if you want your driver's license reinstated in South Carolina or if you want to receive a driver's license from another state. You may complete the services in another state, but you must first contact the Interstate ADSAP Office at the Dorchester Alcohol and Drug Commission (see "Interstate ADSAP Office" in the directory included in this brochure).

Q. Am I required to complete ADSAP if I am convicted of DUI in South Carolina but have an out-of-state driver's license?

A. Many states will require you to meet South Carolina's DUI program requirements prior to being relicensed. To find out your state's requirements, you must contact the DMV in your home state. (The South Carolina Interstate ADSAP Office can assist you in identifying a program in your home state that will satisfy South Carolina's requirements.) If you would like to obtain a South Carolina driver's license, you must complete South Carolina's requirements.

Q. May I obtain a provisional driver's license if I have an out-of-state driver's license but live in South Carolina?

A. As an out-of-state licensed driver, you may be eligible for a South Carolina provisional permit if you enroll in ADSAP, meet the provisional driver's license requirements and maintain a valid out-of-state license.

Boating Under the Influence (BUI)

Q. Do I have to enroll in ADSAP if I am referred for BUI?

A. Yes. If you want to have your boating privileges reinstated by the South Carolina Department of Natural Resources (DNR), you must successfully complete this program.

Q. What happens if I don't enroll in ADSAP?

A. DNR will not reinstate your boating privileges until it is notified of your successful completion of ADSAP.

(For general information related to ADSAP fees and services, refer to the section on DUI.)

Administrative License Revocation (ALR)

Q. What are the requirements for enrolling in ADSAP if my license has been suspended through the state's ALR procedure?

- A. There are several requirements:
- To get your license back when the suspension period ends, you must enroll in ADSAP. If you fail to successfully complete ADSAP by the end of your suspension period, your license may be revoked until you have completed the program.
 - If you plan to contest the ALR, you will have 10 days from the notice of suspension to enroll in ADSAP and request an administrative hearing from the DMV. If you do not enroll in ADSAP within 10 days, the suspension remains in effect and an administrative hearing cannot be requested.
 - The DMV will hold an administrative hearing after receiving the hearing request.
 - If the suspension is upheld, you must remain in ADSAP to regain your license.
 - If the suspension is overturned, your license will be reinstated and any fees paid to ADSAP will be refunded to you.

(For general information related to ADSAP fees and services, refer to the section on DUI.)

Questions and Complaints

Q. What should I do if I have a question or complaint about ADSAP?

A. Call your county ADSAP office. If you still have questions, call the state office at (803) 896-1193.

Directory of County Alcohol And Drug Abuse Authority ADSAP Offices

ABBEVILLE

Comerstone
111 South Main Street
P.O. Box 921
Abbeville, S.C. 29620
(864) 459-9661

AIKEN

Aiken Center
1105 Gregg Highway
Aiken, S.C. 29801
(803) 649-1900, ext 321

ALLENDALE

New Life Center
571 Memorial Avenue
Allendale, S.C. 29810
(803) 584-4238

ANDERSON

Anderson/Oconee
Behavioral Health Services
226 McGee Road
Anderson, S.C. 29625
(864) 260-4168

BAMBERG

Dawn Center
608 North Main Street
Bamberg, S.C. 29003
(803) 245-4360

BEAUFORT

Beaufort County Alcohol and
Drug Abuse Department
1905 Duke Street
Beaufort, S.C. 29901
(843) 470-4545

Bluffton Satellite Office:

P.O. Box 1479
Bluffton, S.C. 29910
(843) 757-6515

BARNWELL

Axis I Center of Barnwell
1644 Jackson Street
Barnwell, S.C. 29812
(803) 541-1245

BERKELEY

Ernest E. Kennedy Center
306 Airport Drive
Monks Comer, S.C. 29461
(843) 761-8272
(843) 577-9181

CALHOUN

Dawn Center Industrial Park
St. Matthews, S.C. 29135
(803) 655-7963

CHARLESTON

Charleston Center
5 Charleston Center Drive
Charleston, S.C. 29401
(843) 958-3300

CHEROKEE

Cherokee County Commission
on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
201 West Montgomery Street
Gaffney, S.C. 29341
(864) 487-2721

CHESTER

Hazel Pittman Center
130 Hudson Street
Chester, S.C. 29706
(803) 377-8111

CHESTERFIELD

Alpha Center
1224 Chesterfield Highway
Cheraw, SC 29520
(843) 921-2002

CLARENDON

Clarendon County Commission
on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
14 North Church Street
P.O. Box 430
Manning, S.C. 29102
(803) 435-2121

COLLETON

Colleton County Commission
on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
1439 Thunderbolt Drive
Walterboro, S.C. 29488
(843) 538-4343

DARLINGTON

Rubicon Inc.
510 East Carolina Avenue
Hartsville, S.C. 29551
(843) 332-4156

DILLON

Marion/Dillon County
Commission on Alcohol
and Drug Abuse
204 Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard
Dillon, S.C. 29536
(843) 774-6591

DORCHESTER

Dorchester Alcohol and
Drug Commission
500 North Main Street, Suite 4
Summerville, S.C. 29483
(843) 871-4790

EDGEFIELD

Cornerstone
400 Church Street,
Edgefield, S.C. 29824
(803) 637-4050

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield County Substance
Abuse Commission
200 Calhoun Street
Winnsboro, S.C. 29180
(803) 635-2335

FLORENCE

Circle Park Behavioral
Health Services
McKenzie Park Building
601 Gregg Avenue (29501)
Florence, S.C. 29501
(843) 665-9349

GEORGETOWN

Georgetown County Alcohol
and Drug Abuse Commission
1423 Winyah Street
Georgetown, S.C. 29440
(843) 546-3141

GREENVILLE

Greenville County Commission on
Alcohol and Drug Abuse
730 South Pleasantburg
Drive Suite 205
Greenville, S.C. 29607
(864) 467-3076

GREENWOOD

Cornerstone
1420 Spring Street
Greenwood, S.C. 29646
(864) 227-1001

HAMPTON

New Life Center
West First Street
Courthouse Annex Building
Hampton, S.C. 29924
(803) 943-2800

HORRY

Shoreline Behavioral
Health Services
2404 Wise Road
Conway, S.C. 29526
(843) 365-8884 ext.227

JASPER

New Life Center
113 East Wilson Street
Ridgeland, S.C. 29936
(843) 726-5996

KERSHAW

Alpha Center
709 Mill Street
Camden, S.C. 29020
(803) 432-6902

LANCASTER

Counseling Services of
Lancaster
114 South Main Street
Lancaster, S.C. 29720
(803) 285-6911

LAURENS

GateWay Counseling
219 Human Services Road
Clinton, SC 29325
(864) 833-6500

LEE

Alpha Center
108 East Church Street
Bishopville, S.C. 29010
(803) 484-6025

LEXINGTON

LRADAC, The Behavioral Health
Center of the Midlands
1325 Harden Street
Columbia, S.C. 29204
(803) 256-3100, ext. 411

MARION

Marion/Dillon County
Commission on Alcohol
and Drug Abuse
103 Court Street
Marion, S.C. 29571
(843) 423-8292

MARLBORO

Marlboro Counseling and
Prevention Center
211 North Marlboro Street
Bennettsville, S.C. 29512
(843) 479-5661

McCORMICK

Comerstone
504 North Mine Street
McCormick, S.C. 29835
(864) 465-3306

NEWBERRY

Westview Behavioral Health
Services
800 Main Street
Newberry, S.C. 29108
(803) 276-5690

OCONEE

Anderson/Oconee
Behavioral Health Services
691 South Oak Street
Seneca, S.C. 29678
(864) 882-7563

ORANGEBURG

Dawn Center
910 Cook Road
Orangeburg, S.C. 29118
(803) 536-4900

PICKENS

Behavioral Health Services of
Pickens County
309 East Main Street
Pickens, S.C. 29671
(864) 898-5800

RICHLAND

LRADAC, The Behavioral Health
Center of the Midlands
1325 Harden Street
Columbia, S.C. 29204
(803) 256-3100, ext. 411

SALUDA

Saluda Counseling and
Intervention Center
204 Ramage Street
Saluda, S.C. 29138
(864) 445-2968

SPARTANBURG

Spartanburg Alcohol and
Drug Abuse Commission

187 West Broad Street, Suite 200
Spartanburg, S.C. 29304
(864) 582-7588

SUMTER

Sumter County Commission
on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
115 North Harvin Street
Sumter, S.C. 29151
(803) 775-6815

UNION

Union County Commission
on Alcohol and Drug Abuse
201 South Hemdon Street
Union, S.C. 29379
(864) 429-1656

WILLIAMSBURG

Williamsburg County
Department on Alcohol
and Drug Abuse
115 Short Street
Kingstree, S.C. 29556
(803) 354-9113


YORK

Keystone Substance Abuse
Services
199 South Herlong Avenue
Rock Hill, S.C. 29732
(803) 324-1800

INTERSTATE ADSAP OFFICE

Dorchester Alcohol and Drug
Commission
500 North Main Street, Suite 4
Summerville, SC 29483
(843)821-5412

South Carolina's Alcohol and Drug Safety Action Program



Education and Treatment Services for Individuals Charged With DUI, BUI and Related Offenses

South Carolina Department of Alcohol
and Other Drug Abuse Services
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Columbia, SC 29203-9498
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