

PROTOCOL FOR SCRAM

- The Court orders the use of SCRAM and ensures the referral form is emailed to WCS
- The referral form will specify the type of order, specific conditions, the placement schedule, parties involved, attorney and court contact information, and the schedule for participants to download
- Participants must contact WCS to schedule an installation and must be sober at the appointment
 - A preliminary breath test is conducted at every install, and a positive test will be reported to all parties
- Installations take place at 414 W. Moreland Blvd. Suite 200, Waukesha, WI. 53188, (WCS also has locations in Milwaukee, Kenosha and Sheboygan)
- Participants are required to install a modem in their home (analog land-line recommended) and must download according to the predetermined schedule by the Court
- WCS provides immediate notification of drinking episodes to specified parties, a weekly status reports to the Guardian ad Litem, and a final report after de-installation from SCRAM
- Removal of the SCRAM bracelet takes place at WCS at a pre-determined time and location

RESPONSE TO DRINKING EPISODES

- WCS prepares a report as soon as alerts are confirmed drinking episodes, and submits the report to identified parties on the referral form
- The Family Court Judge or Commissioner will determine ramifications as a result of drinking episodes
- Drinking episodes may result in modifications to the placement order

COST

Two weeks advance payment is required.

- Referrals to SCRAM during placement schedule (up to 6 months)
 - Installation fee = \$100
 - Daily rate = \$15.00
- Referrals to SCRAM for a defined period (30 days or more)
 - Installation fee = \$50
 - Daily rate = \$12.50

*A sliding scale will be considered for those who provide copies of Financial Disclosure Statements to the Court. WCS may reduce fees based on review of the documents and determination of financial hardship.

***For consideration of reduced fees, contact Sara Carpenter**

***Participants are responsible for lost or damaged SCRAM equipment.**

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR REFERRALS

Please email the Family Court SCRAM referral form to: mbalda@wiscs.org

Monday through Friday 8:30am to 4:30 pm

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WAUKESHA COUNTY FAMILY COURT SCRAM PROGRAM



SCRAM™
Secure Continuous Remote Alcohol Monitoring

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SERVICES, INC. (WCS)
IS THE SCRAM DISTRIBUTOR
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SCRAM

SCRAM (Secure Continuous Remote Alcohol Monitor) is a tool which provides evidence based monitoring and data to ensure abstinence during the placement schedule. Because SCRAM continuously monitors for alcohol consumption – as often as every half hour around the clock – it is a much more effective and reliable alternative to random testing methods.

GOALS/BENEFITS OF SCRAM

- To maximize placement with parents and their children
- To enhance the safety of children during placement
- Evidence based monitoring and data to ensure abstinence during the placement schedule
- Allows for out of area travel with children
- Timely reporting of drinking episodes to ensure necessary follow-up action

TYPES OF CASES FOR SCRAM

- Paternity
- Divorce—pre and post judgment

PARAMETERS FOR THE USE OF SCRAM

WHO CAN REQUEST SCRAM

- Any party involved with the court case
- Counsel representing a party
- Guardian ad Litem
- Corporation Counsel
- Family Court Services

WHO CAN ORDER SCRAM

- Family Court Commissioner
- Family Court Judges

TYPES OF SCRAM REFERRALS

- Referral to SCRAM during the placement schedule
 - Intermittent use for up to six months with a review
- Referral to SCRAM for a defined period of time
 - 30 to 90 days of continuous wear

HOW DOES SCRAM WORK?

To understand how SCRAM works, you need to view it in its entirety as a total program.

The SCRAM Bracelet

- Samples insensible perspiration every 30 minutes
- Features industry-leading, anti-tamper technology using five sensors
- Automatically collects, stores, and transfers all data to the SCRAM Modem
 - Transmits on pre-determined schedule
 - Uses a wireless radio-frequency signal
 - Date- and time-stamps readings for easy reporting and analysis

The SCRAM Modem

- Plugs into a telephone line at the participant's home or office
- Uploads all available data from the SCRAM bracelet
- Stores and sends alcohol readings, tamper alerts, and diagnostic data to SCRAMnet
- Downloads monitoring and reporting schedules from SCRAMnet to the SCRAM bracelet



SCRAMnet

- Web-based application where participant data is stored, collected, and analyzed
- Can be accessed around-the-clock from any location using a standard and secure web browser
- Flags and graphically depicts incidents of: drinking events, tampering, removal attempts, equipment malfunction
- Allows easy customization of testing, synchronization, and reporting schedules for each participant
- Expertly-trained AMS Customer Support Managers (CSMs) analyze and interpret the data