



California  
Human Development

*Creating opportunities for Change*

# EDUCATIONAL SENTENCING PROGRAM

## Reduce or Eliminate Jail Time!

**FACT:** California has the nation's worst re-incarceration rate - now at 67%

**FACT:** Every study shows that crime is driven by social and economical ills

**FACT:** CHDC's Educational Sentencing Program addresses the issues that lead to criminal behavior

Educational Sentencing Program (ESP) provides the following services for those referred to the program: Needs assessment, individual case planning, on-site education, training and referrals to appropriate community resources. Community resources included: substance abuse treatment, employment assistance, mental health services, vocational training, adult education, social services, parenting classes, anger management, affordable housing and others. ESP's objective is to give participants knowledge, skills and practical tools to help lead law-abiding lives.

### **Cost:**

\$540 total fee; (\$60 screening fee, six \$80 monthly payments)

### **Focus:**

Human Services for long-term behavior change

### **Duration:**

Six months

### **Eligibility:**

Will accept all criminal violations (Misdemeanor & Felony) as a condition of sentencing

### **Minute Sheet Code:**

Refer ESP1, Accepted ESP2

# CALL: (707) 523-2242

The Educational Sentencing Program is part of CHD's  
Criminal Justice Diversion Services division.