

DIDS Attorney Observation Report		Reviewer	
Date		County	
Court		Judge	
Defense Attorney		Prosecutor(s)	
Attorney Present	In Person / Virtual / w/Client	Number of Clients	
Defendants Present	In Person / Virtual / Off-Site	Custodial Status	IC / OOC / Blend
Hearing Types			
Attorney's Preparedness			
Did the Attorney appear for court?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney have the file?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney appear to have had a substantive, confidential meeting with each client before court?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney appear prepared to handle their clients' cases?		Yes / No / N/A	
How prepared did the Attorney appear?			
How knowledgeable was the Attorney about their cases?			
The Attorney's courtroom advocacy skills were:			
How was the Attorney/client communication?			
Case Stage-Specific Issues			
Did the Attorney argue for pretrial release/OR, or for reasonable bail?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney counsel each client to refrain from waiving trial rights until the attorney completed investigation of the case?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney appear to have counseled clients to refrain from waiving any rights at arraignment?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney appear to adequately advise clients of the consequences of accepting a plea or going to trial, including any collateral consequences?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney present mitigating evidence and provide argument at sentencing?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the Attorney address the Presentence Investigation Report (PSI) and/or Psychosexual Evaluation/Risk Assessment appropriately?		Yes / No / N/A	
Did the court require defendant(s) to reimburse the entity for representation?		Yes / No / N/A	
Overall Assessments			
Does the Attorney appear to have a sustainable workload?		Yes / No / N/A	
Overall, does the Attorney appear to be providing effective representation to their clients?		Yes / No / N/A	
<b>Remarks/Recommendations/Notes (continue on reverse):</b>			

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