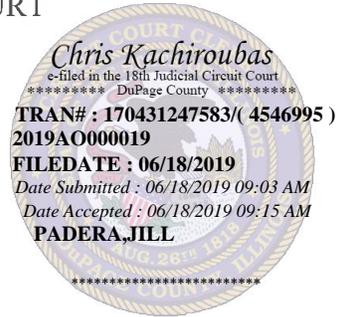


STATE OF ILLINOIS        )  
  ) SS  
COUNTY OF DUPAGE        )

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE 18<sup>TH</sup> JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT  
DUPAGE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN THE MATTER OF                                )        Administrative Order No. 19- 19  
RELEASING DATA FROM                        )  
PROBATION RECORDS TO                        )  
LOYOLA UNIVERSITY                             )



**WHEREAS**, the 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit’s Department of Probation and Court Services has received grant funds to evaluate the effectiveness of Trauma Treatment Programs in DuPage County; and

**WHEREAS**, the 18<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit’s Department of Probation and Court Services has partnered with other agencies to improve the identification of treatment needs for juveniles exposed to trauma; and

**WHEREAS**, research is needed to assess service delivery efforts; and

**WHEREAS**, research requires release of confidential probation records in order to identify the effectiveness of treatment, as related to recidivism; and

**WHEREAS**, juvenile participants and their parents/guardians have explicitly agreed to participate in this research program through informed assents and consents, respectively and using a method approved by Loyola University’s Independent Review Board (IRB); and

**WHEREAS**, confidential information specific to recidivism will be given to Loyola University for independent review and aggregated data will be compiled for review by the department and the agencies providing the treatment; and

**WHEREAS**, Loyola University is an institution in which research is frequently conducted and rights of human subjects, including confidentiality, is closely structured and monitored by their IRB; and

**WHEREAS**, Loyola University will ascertain the information will not be accessible to anyone outside of the project in any way where individuals could be identified; and

**WHEREAS**, the project will be for a time period that begins June 1, 2018 and ends on June 30, 2020, and the identifiable collected data will be destroyed at the conclusion of the study; and

**WHEREAS**, the Illinois Probation and Probation Officers Act (730 ILCS 110/12(4)) protects the confidentiality of probation records from public disclosure except by order of the court.

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED**, Loyola University is granted access to and the ability to receive data from the probation records of juveniles who have agreed to participate in this project for the purpose of conducting research on the effectiveness of trauma focused cognitive behavioral treatment service delivery and the impact of treatment on the rate of recidivism.

ENTER:

Dated: June 18, 2019  
Wheaton, Illinois

  
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Daniel P. Guerin  
CHIEF JUDGE