

Additional Orders for Juveniles and Their Parents

After finding that a child has committed an offense within its jurisdiction, the justice court may enter additional orders for the juvenile and/or their parents.

- CCP Article 45A.457 (b),(c),(d)

Applies to offenses the juvenile is convicted of or offenses where the juvenile gets deferred disposition.

The orders need to be **reasonable** and should be **related to the offense** the juvenile committed

1. Refer the child or parent(s) to Early Youth Intervention Services (Found in Family Code 264.302). Services Include:

Crisis Family
Intervention

Emergency short-term
residential care for children
10 years of age or older

Family
Counseling

Parent Skills
Training

Advocacy
Training

Mentoring

2. Require the child to attend a special program the court determines to be in the best interest of the child. Programs include:

Rehabilitation

Counseling

Self-Esteem and
Leadership

Work and Job
Skills Training

Interviewing
and Work
Preparation

Self -
Improvement

Parenting

Manners

Violence
Avoidance

Tutoring

Sensitivity
Training

Parental
Responsibility

Community
Service

Restitution

Advocacy

Mentoring

3. Require the child's parent(s) do any act or refrain from doing any act the court determines will increase the likelihood that the child will comply with the order of the court and that is reasonable and necessary for the welfare of the child, including:

Attend a parenting class or parental responsibility program

Attend the child's school classes or functions

4. Order the parent of a child required to attend a program to pay up to \$100 for the costs of the program.

5. Require the child and/or parent required to attend a program, class, or function to submit proof of attendance.

Additional Orders Allowed Could Include:

Lunch detention or require the juvenile to stay on campus during lunch.

Teen leadership program or other programs run by juvenile case managers in the county.

Order parents to remove TV's, cell phone, and video games from the juvenile's room.

Restrict times the juvenile can text or access the internet.

