

**IN THE MATTER OF THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF A
MENTAL HEALTH COURT
IN THE DISTRICT COURT
FOR ALLEGANY COUNTY**

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**IN THE
SUPREME COURT
OF MARYLAND**

ORDER

Whereas, the Administrative Judge and the Problem-Solving Court Judge of the District Court for Allegany County submitted a detailed plan for the establishment of a Mental Health Court to the Judicial Council’s Committee on Specialty Courts and Dockets for its review and recommendation in compliance with Maryland Rule 16-207 and the Administrative Order on the Approval of Problem-Solving Court Programs in the Circuit and District Courts; and

Whereas, upon the recommendation of the Judicial Council’s Committee on Specialty Courts and Dockets, the State Court Administrator reviewed the plan and recommends its establishment,

Now, therefore, pursuant to the authority conferred by Article IV, § 18, of the Maryland Constitution, it is this 4th day of August 2023, effective immediately, ordered that the establishment of a Mental Health Court in the District Court for Allegany is approved.

/s/ Mathew J. Fader

Matthew J. Fader
Chief Justice

Filed: August 4, 2023

/s/ Gregory Hilton

Gregory Hilton
Clerk
Supreme Court of Maryland

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Gregory Hilton, Clerk