

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE ELEVENTH
JUDICIAL CIRCUIT IN AND FOR DADE
COUNTY, FLORIDA

CASE NO. 80-1
(Court Administration)

IN RE: PSYCHIATRIC TREATMENT
OF INDIVIDUALS WITH PENDING
CRIMINAL CASES

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
NO. 80-12

PURSUANT TO the authority vested in me as Chief Judge of the Eleventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, the following procedures shall be followed as to the provision of psychiatric treatment of individuals with pending criminal charges:

1. All psychiatric treatment for individuals who are in custody shall be provided only in the medical facility located in the Dade County Jail, or Ward D when space is available, or in the forensic unit of South Florida State Hospital.

2. Psychiatric treatment for individuals otherwise under the jurisdiction of the Court may be obtained at the Jackson Memorial Hospital Mental Health Services Center, a nonsecure facility providing short-term treatment to civilly committed patients, under the following conditions:

- (a) If the individual has not been ordered detained in a secure facility or otherwise placed in custody, and
- (b) If there is no need for the Court to be apprised of the patient's whereabouts, either during treatment or upon discharge.

3. The procedure for transportation of defendants from the Department of Health and Rehabilitative Services for commitment status hearings, published in Administrative Order No. 80-7, Case No. 80-1, shall remain in full force and in effect.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Dade County, Florida, this 17th day of July, 1980.

EDWARD D. COWART, CHIEF JUDGE
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA