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## **Passaic Vicinage to Celebrate Drug Court Graduates**

The Passaic Vicinage will hold a graduation ceremony for 34 drug court participants on Monday, Nov. 18 at 10 a.m. at Passaic County Community College, 1 College Blvd., Paterson.

A former graduate and two current graduates will address the group.

The vicinage's drug court program has more than 600 participants.

The Judiciary's drug court program operates within the Superior Court to address nonviolent drug addicted offenders. The program requires completion of four phases of intensive drug and alcohol treatment and recovery. This level of supervision permits the program to support the recovery process but also allows the team to react swiftly to impose appropriate therapeutic interventions or to reinstate criminal proceedings when participants do not comply with the program.

To learn more about the vicinage's drug court program or the graduation ceremony, contact vicinage Drug Court Coordinator Adrien Byrd at 973-653-2910, ext. 24377

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