

Schuyler County Probation Department

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What you need to know if you are Ordered/Directed to Install an Ignition Interlock Device (IID):

- YOU **CANNOT** operate a motor vehicle without a valid license; to do so is an Unclassified Misdemeanor.
- You **CANNOT** operate any motor vehicle without the IID installed; to do so is a class A Misdemeanor.
- You **MUST** install an IID within **10 days** from the date you are sentenced in any vehicles which are:
 - Titled to you
 - Registered to you
 - Operated by you
 - Registered or titled to a business in which you have an interest or stake
- You **MUST** install an approved class 3 Ignition Interlock Device (IID) that provides all of the following features:
 - Has real-time monitoring
 - Is equipped with a camera
 - Is equipped with a GPS receiver
 - Is equipped with cellular or satellite communications
 - Has real time 911 reporting
- If you do not own or plan to operate any motor vehicles for the term of monitoring you must notify the Court of this, sign a statement to this effect, and provide the statement on the record of the Court under penalty of perjury.
- It is **YOUR RESPONSIBILITY** to install the IID within 10 Days; to do this you must:
 - Contact the Schuyler County Probation Department at the above address following sentencing.⁽¹⁾
 - Contact an installer from the below listed **Approved Companies**.
 - Set up an appointment at an installation location to have the IID installed; and go to said appointment.
 - Pay all applicable fees.⁽²⁾
 - You **CANNOT** drive yourself to the installation appointment.
- You **MUST** notify the Probation Department no more than 3 business days following the Installation of the IID.
- You **CANNOT** Install an IID on a motorcycle; if you own a motorcycle you **MUST** transfer it to another person.
- You **MUST** install, have monitored, and maintain the IID for a minimum period of 12 Months.
- If you are sentenced to Probation; Probation and the Court must grant approval before the IID may be removed.

(1) If you are granted a Financial Responsibility Waiver; you must first contact the Schuyler County Probation Department on the first business day following your date of sentence to ensure the proper paperwork gets forwarded to the approved installation company. After contacting the Schuyler County Probation Department you must then contact the approved installation company to set up an installation appointment.

(2) If you have been granted a Financial Responsibility Waiver, the Court has waived in part or in whole the financial responsibilities you have to pay for the installation and or the monitoring of the IID. If a partial waiver has been granted you are responsible to pay the balance of all applicable fees.

APPROVED COMPANIES (Class 3 device)	PHONE #	FAX #
Intoxalock Ignition Interlocks (CST)	1-877-777-5020	515-564-2020
Smart Start	1-800-880-3394	972-929-6638

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Tips for Using an Ignition Interlock Device

- Do not consume any alcohol before operating the motor vehicle. Even alcohol consumed the night before may register on the Ignition Interlock Device possibly restricting use of the motor vehicle and/or resulting in a violation.
 - On average, an alcoholic beverage can stay in your system for one hour; during this period your ability to operate a motor vehicle can be impacted and may register on the Ignition Interlock Device.
 - An alcoholic beverage typically is categorized as 12 ounces of beer, 5 ounces of wine, 1 ½ ounces of 80 proof liquor, or a combination thereof.
 - Therefore, for every alcoholic beverage you consume, wait at least one hour before attempting to use the Ignition Interlock Device to start your motor vehicle.
 - For example: If you consume 3 alcoholic beverages, wait at least 3-Hours.
- Do not keep anything in your vehicle which contains alcohol.
- Do not brush your teeth, use mouth wash, chew tobacco, use mouth spray, or ingest any alcohol products within 15 minutes of attempting to use the Ignition Interlock Device to start your motor vehicle. Any product ingested which may have contained alcohol could demonstrate a positive result.
 - If the unit detects a Positive result it will initiate a second test; do not consume anything during this period (you may if you so choose rinse your mouth out with water, though this is not required); any passive alcohol originally detected will dissipate during the waiting period.
- The camera **MUST** always be pointed at the driver. Whoever is the operator of the motor vehicle must provide the breath sample for the Ignition Interlock Device; if anyone other than the operator provides a breath sample for the Ignition Interlock Device both the operator of the motor vehicle and the individual who provided the breath sample could be charged with a Class-A Misdemeanor.
- The Ignition Interlock Device draws power from the battery; this can be especially noticeable in colder months. In colder months, you should run your motor vehicle often to ensure your battery maintains an adequate charge.
- If you have any issues with an initial test, rolling test, or rolling re-test, you should immediately notify your supervising Probation Officer or the Probation Department holding jurisdiction over your case.
- Under the Child Passenger Protection Act, the following violations **REQUIRE** a formal violation to be filed in court;
 1. Failure to install an approved ignition interlock device within 10 Business days from the date of sentence.
 2. Any tampering with or circumventing of the Ignition Interlock Device (May also result in new Criminal Charges).
 3. Any missed calibration or missed service visit requirement.
 4. Any failed startup test, Missed Start up re-test, failed rolling re-test or missed rolling re-test.
 - A Formal Violation filed with the Court can result in your being Resentenced to Probation or Incarceration.