



WICOMICO COUNTY DISTRICT COURT

201 Baptist Street
Salisbury, Md. 21801
Clerk's Office 410-713-3500

Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Pursuant to Chief Judge Barbera's Administrative Order regarding Phase IV expansion of the judiciary operations beginning March 15, 2021 the following case types will be heard, in addition to the previous three phases, of the five-phase operational structure, unless otherwise notified.

Courts are open to the public and social distancing and face mask wearing are required in addition to the COVID 19, District Court Initial Screening Questionnaire that will be administered by the bailiff on duty and depending on e answers, you may be subject to a no-contact temperature check.

Currently the courtroom capacity is twenty-one citizens for Courtroom # 1 and Courtroom # 2 & 3, have a 22 maximum capacity each.

Case Types: All

Criminal and Traffic - maximum of ten cases per docket, beginning at 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Municipal Infractions, twenty-five cases, once a month, first Wednesday of each month.

Bail Reviews

Guilty and Non-guilty plea, five case maximum on the 10:30 a.m., docket.

Preliminary Hearings – fifteen maximum per session.

Preliminary Inquiry – ten maximum per session.

Petitions on competency to stand trial and mental health evaluations and status reviews of MDH cases.

Emergency Evaluation Petition

Domestic Violence, Peace Orders and Extreme Risk Protective Orders

Affidavit and contested civil cases/motion hearings.

Failure to Pay Rent/Special Proceedings

Self Help Center open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

For more information, kindly contact the Wicomico County Clerk's Office at 410-713-3500