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CITRUS, HERNANDO, LAKE, MARION AND SUMTER COUNTIES



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**MARION COUNTY  
NATIONAL DRUG COURT MONTH**

**MAY 10, 2012**

National Drug Court Month is coordinated on a national level by The National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP), which assists in planning, implementing and operating drug courts in cities nationwide. The NADCP has proclaimed May as National Drug Court Month.

On Tuesday, May 1, 2012, the Marion County Board of County Commissioners recognized the contributions of Drug Courts and proclaimed May as Drug Court Month.

Marion County Drug Court combines intensive judicial supervision, mandatory substance abuse treatment and drug testing along with escalating sanctions and incentives in order to break the cycle of drug addiction and its associated crimes. Since its inception on April 14, 1997, Marion County Drug Court has been focused on restoring lives, reuniting families and making the community safer and as a result has graduated in excess of 250 clients.

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