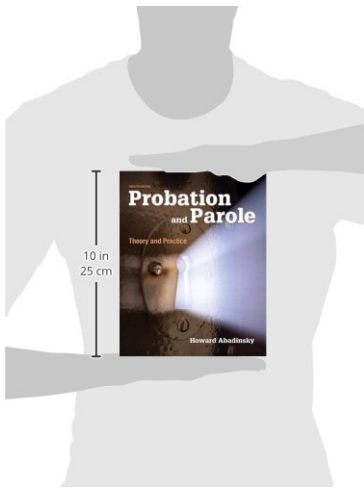


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For courses in Probation/Parole and Community Corrections. Written by a former community corrections professional, PROBATION AND PAROLE, 11/e provides an insider's view of probation and parole. Featuring a two-color design, it addresses both juvenile and adult populations and includes authentic reports, forms and narrative from agencies throughout the country.Â Enables students to integrate important theories with probation and parole practice. Gives students a practitioner's view of the relevant psychological theories and counseling techniques as they are used in probation and parole. New to This Edition. New! Examines state-of-the-art probation and parole practice, including material on: Rehabilitation and restorative justice. Parole vs Probation Probation and parole represent two important terms in law where the difference between the two terms 'parole' and 'probation' is clear.Â However, collectively, Parole and Probation constitute certain concessions granted to persons convicted of crimes. So, given that the general concept surrounding both terms is relatively similar, there is a tendency for layperson to confuse the two and accordingly use them interchangeably. However, this is incorrect as there is a notable distinction between them. Keep in mind that the objectives of Parole and Probation are similar in that they rehabilitate offenders and ensure their smooth reintegration into society. The ultimate goal is to avoid the repetition of a crime or ensure the prevent When, in 1951, I wrote Probation and Parole, it was intended as a rationale of the field and not as a textbook. Since then, as was to be expected, my thinking has changed somewhat. In part, this is due to the fact that, farther removed from the field, I am able to view it more objectively, from the vantage point of a college campus.Â I have tried, in this volume, to see trees and forest. I may not have succeeded but I have attempted to survey both practice and theory and to place them in perspective. This is not, however, a rewrite of the earlier book. BJS definition of probation and parole. Probation is a court-ordered period of correctional supervision in the community, generally as an alternative to incarceration. In some cases, it may be a combined sentence involving incarceration followed by a period of community supervision.Â Estimating change in population counts In theory, the change in probation and parole populations from the beginning to end of the year should equal the difference between entries and exits during the year. In practice, those numbers may not be equal. Some probation and parole information systems track the number of cases that enter and exit community supervision, not the number of offenders, while the beginning and year-end populations represent individuals. Probation and parole are privilegesâ€”rather than rightsâ€”that allow convicted criminals to avoid going to prison or serve only a portion of their sentences. Both are conditional on good behavior, and both have the goal of rehabilitating offenders in a way that prepares them for life in society, thus reducing the likelihood that they will recommit or commit new crimes. Key Takeaways: Probation and Parole. Probation and parole allow Americans convicted of crimes to avoid serving time in prison. The goal of probation and parole is the rehabilitation of offenders in a way that will reduce the likeli...Â â€œProbation and Parole: Theory and Practice.â€ Englewood Cliffs, N.J. Prentice Hall, 1991. Boland, Barbara; Mahanna, Paul; and Stones, Ronald.