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# Tools for Safe and Smart Bail System Changes: Pretrial Support

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Support	Example	Outcome to Improve
<b>Court notifications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Postcards, text messages or phone call court reminders</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Court appearance</li></ul>
<b>Behavioral health</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Drug and/or alcohol testing</li><li>• Drug and/or alcohol treatment</li><li>• Mental health therapy</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Court appearance, law-abiding</li></ul>
<b>Basic needs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Transportation</li><li>• Child care</li><li>• Public benefits</li><li>• Housing</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Court appearance, law-abiding</li></ul>
<b>Pretrial supervision</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Check-ins</li><li>• Case management</li><li>• Electronic monitoring</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Court appearance, law-abiding</li></ul>