



REYNOLDS DEFENSE FIRM

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Prescription DUI in the news...

In our March newsletter, we shared information about DUI arrests that occur when driving after taking prescription medicine prescribed by your doctor. This month it's relevant in the news with Tiger Wood's recent DUI arrest. I discussed this topic in an interview for KXL News Radio with Brett Reckamp. Visit our Reynolds Defense Firm YouTube Channel if you'd like to hear the full interview.

To sum things up, I think there are two categories of folks that are arrested for prescribed drug DUI's. Some are like Tiger and don't realize that their medicine will affect them drastically. The other are those who regularly take medicine to improve their quality of life and have never had to prove their sobriety.

We wish Tiger the best and understand that even though unfavorable reactions to prescribed medicine isn't a valid defense for a DUI arrest, it does happen. We represent good people facing these types of criminal charges on a regular basis.

I hope you never need to call us, but if you or someone you care about has been arrested for a DUI, please call us right away.



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Thank you, PBJ!

What is it about the number "101" that makes it stand out? Think about it:

- It's not 100 Dalmatians, it's 101 Dalmatians.
- It's the 101st Airborne, nobody's heard of the 100th.

It's the extra "1" that makes things interesting! We're happy to be Portland Business Journal's 101st fastest growing company across all industries **and** the 2nd fastest growing law firm in Oregon and SW Washington.

In many ways, there's growth that happened that can't be captured on a list. We've grown as a team, grown into a new space, and we're growing the Blue Binder Project program. At the end of the day, our growth is just an effect- it's a byproduct of the cause. We're doing the right things for each other and our clients daily. That kind of growth is invaluable,

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Staff Profile— Susan Moriyama



As our team is growing, we are happy to introduce our Operations Assistant, Susan! We all come from a variety of backgrounds, and each month, we'll introduce someone. Here are some fun facts about Susan:

- **Unique Fact About Hometown:** Zoar, OH has under 200 residents and was a "Utopian Community" until 1853.
- **Favorite Meal:** When my husband cooks *anything* Japanese!
- **Last Movie Watched:** Guardians of Galaxy 2 at the Bagdad Theatre.
- **Hidden Talents:** Fluent in Japanese and can tap dance.



Fixed Mindset vs. Growth Mindset

Written by Mark McKee, RDF Firm Liaison

Sometimes we help clients who really want to believe in themselves, but can't seem to figure out how. Our team understands that it's easy to find yourself in a mental slump after a DUI arrest. An important part of how we help the good people who need us is to remind them how powerful their mindset is.

Author Carol Dweck describes the two types of mindsets, fixed and growth, in her book, *Mindset*. In a fixed mindset, "It is what it is." - your intelligence and skills are what they are supposed to be. Growth mindset doesn't accept limitations, and success is only determined by effort, passion, and persistence. Whether you have a fixed or growth mindset, Dweck emphasizes that true success happens when you have the right mindset for success.

In the Blue Binder Project, our clients get the opportunity to really look at their own mindset. It's a chance to evaluate whether they are holding themselves back with a fixed mindset, and then get the guidance to take control of their success.



- ♦ *"Reynolds Defense Firm, for lack of a better analogy, was like the one kid on the playground who stood up on behalf when everyone else shunned me and turned away... This process can be demoralizing, but Reynolds can give you peace of mind and more importantly hope."* -N.P.

What's new with the RDF Community

Each month, we take the time out to celebrate our team's hard work by hosting a community lunch. We have a lunch committee that picks out each month's theme, and it's a fun way for us to bond and take a "brain break".

So far, we've had a Soup Kitchen Lunch, a St. Patty's Day Celebration, a Mexican Fiesta, and a Pizza Party! Sometimes we dress up, sometimes we have a photo booth with silly props, but it's all in good fun. To learn more about what happens at RDF behind the scenes, follow us on Instagram @reynoldsdefensefirm.



The Reynolds Defense Firm—we're solid, we're here if you need us, and we're very good at what we do.