

DAYTON MEDIATION CENTER MEDIATION RESPONSE UNIT (MRU)



Summary

Serving: Dayton, Ohio (pop. 135,512)

Operating Since: May 2022

Current Budget: \$1.02M

Alternative Response Model: The MRU is contained within the Dayton Mediation Center, a city entity.

Website: <https://www.daytonmediationcenter.org/copy-of-mediation-response-unit-mru>

Team Composition: The Mediation Response Unit is composed of 6 Mediation Response specialists and supervised by an external coordinator and an internal Mediation Response supervisor.

Call types:	noise complaints, neighbor/roommate disputes, barking dogs, loitering, unruly juvenile complaints, party complaints, welfare checks
Staff:	5 to 10 employees
Training:	Two weeks of field-based training, including situational awareness, defensive tactics, de-escalation, resilience/self-care, mental health first aid, and other practical trainings
Calls responded to per month:	
Dispatch Process:	Responder units are dispatched via 911 Emergency Call Center, and can also be reached through a direct line, 8 am - 8 pm, Monday - Friday.

Photos

