

**PART B
DISPOSITIONAL HEARING AND AIDS**

- 510. Prompt Dispositional Hearing
- 512. Dispositional Hearing
- 513. Aids in Disposition
- 515. Dispositional Order
- 516. Service of the Dispositional Order

RULE 510. PROMPT DISPOSITIONAL HEARING

A. General rule.

1) Juvenile is detained. If the juvenile is detained, the dispositional hearing shall be held no later than twenty days after the ruling on the offenses under Rule 408.

2) Juvenile not detained. If the juvenile is not detained, the dispositional hearing shall be held no later than sixty days after ruling on the offenses pursuant to Rule 408.

B. Continuances. The dispositional hearing may be continued, if necessary. If the juvenile is detained, each continuance shall not exceed twenty days.

COMMENT

Under paragraph (B), if there is a continuance, the court should review the juvenile's case every twenty days until there is a final dispositional order.

[See 42 Pa.C.S. §6341(b).]

Official Note: Rule 510 adopted April 1, 2005, effective October 1, 2005. **Amended May 30, 2008, effective January 1, 2009.**

Committee Explanatory Reports:

Final Report explaining the amendments to Rule 510 published with the Court's Order at 38 Pa.B. -(-, 2008).