## Juristic Triad

## Vectors of Comprehensive Law

The juristic aspect of the program focuses on the interactive dimensions of the social, emotional, psychological, and behavioral functioning of the defendant within the dynamics of the legal arena and shapes the experience of accountability and criminal justice as a therapeutic endeavor.

Therapeutic jurisprudence represents the study of the role of law as a therapeutic agent, although it is not only concerned with measuring the therapeutic impact of legal rules and procedures, but also the way they are applied by various legal actors and that such actors are in essence therapeutic agents with power and potential to significantly affect the psychological health of those they encounter in the legal setting.

 Therapeutic aspects of law and criminal justice

Therapeutic Justice

## Restorative Justice

 Social and community reintegration of offenders

Restorative justice emphasizes repairing the narm caused or revealed by criminal behavior. It is a framework which involves victims and community more broadly in the criminal justice system. In addition to offender accountability restorative justice seeks to address victim needs, offender competencies, and community participation in repairing the social injury resulting from crime.

Restorative favors the goal of strengthening the offender's motivation toward increased commitment for social responsibility and community involvement. In part, focusing on the participant's experiential perception of the case disposition process, procedural justice attends to the issue of perceived fairness or equity relative to the factors of being heard, and retaining respect and dignity from legal authority.

Equity and voice in legal process

Procedural Justice