



State of Florida  
 Fourteenth Judicial Circuit  
**Court Appointed  
 Attorney Application 1/2016**

**Return to:**  
 Court Administration  
 P.O. Box 1089  
 301 McKenzie Avenue  
 Panama City, FL 32402  
 850-747-5327

**COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEY REGISTRY** **Page 1**

Florida Statute 27.40 provides that private counsel shall be appointed to represent persons in those cases in which provision is made for court-appointed counsel but the office of criminal conflict and civil regional counsel is unable to provide representation due to conflict of interest. The Chief Judge is required to compile a list of attorneys in private practice by county and category from which appointments are made. Attorneys seeking to be placed on the appointment registry must complete and submit this application for approval by the Chief Judge to Court Administration.

**APPLICANT INFORMATION** **Date:**

Last Name	First	M.I.
Address as listed with The Florida Bar:		
City	State	ZIP
Email Address:		Florida Bar#
Business Phone#	Cell Phone#	

**PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

<b>Have you ever been convicted of a felony?</b>	Yes	No	If yes, attach an explanation
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**EDUCATION**

<b>Colleges Attended:</b>			
<b>Degrees Earned</b>			
<b>Licenses Held:</b>			

**PROFESSIONAL REQUIREMENTS (Please check the following if true)**

I am a member in <b>good standing</b> with the Florida Bar and have completed all required CLE requirements.		I will not solicit compensation from the client I am appointed to represent	
I have read or will read prior to accepting any appointment Professionalism in the 14th Judicial Circuit (at <a href="http://jud14.flcourts.org">jud14.flcourts.org</a> ) and agree to abide by it and administrative orders of the 14th Circuit.			
I have reviewed and understand the attorney services agreement on the JAC website at <a href="http://www.JusticeAdmin.org">www.JusticeAdmin.org</a> and agree to comply with the JAC's requirements for billings.			
I will notify the chief judge of any formal complaint filed by the Florida Bar, any non-confidential agreements entered into between myself and The Florida Bar; and any order of ineffective of assistance of counsel that has been set for hearing.			
I have read the qualifications included in this application and I am qualified to be a court appointed attorney for the type of cases I am seeking appointment.			

## REGISTRY CASE CATEGORIES

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PLEASE CHECK COUNTIES WHERE APPLICANT WILL ACCEPT COURT APPOINTMENTS AND ALL CASE TYPES FOR WHICH YOU ARE QUALIFIED AND SEEKING APPOINTMENT

CASE CATEGORIES	BAY	CALHOUN	GULF	HOLMES	JACKSON	WASHINGTON
<b>CRIMINAL</b>						
Capital Murder						
Felonies-1st, Life & Capital Sexual						
Felonies-2nd & 3rd degree						
Misdemeanors						
Post-Convictions- 3.850, 3.800						
Jimmy Ryce- civil commitment						
<b>JUVENILE</b>						
Delinquency						
Dependency & TPR						
Parental Notice of Abortion Act						
<b>CIVIL &amp; OTHERS</b>						
Guardianship						
Baker & Marchman Act Cases						
Other Civil Cases						
<b>APPEALS</b>						
Capital Appeals						
Criminal Appeals						
Civil Appeals						
Juvenile Appeals						

## QUALIFICATIONS FOR CASE APPOINTMENT

### CRIMINAL

<b>Capital Murder</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.112 .
<b>Felonies-1st, Life &amp; Capital Sexual, Post Convictions and Jimmy Ryce</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least five years and tried no fewer than five state or federal jury trials.
<b>Felonies-2nd &amp; 3rd degree</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least two years and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials.
<b>Misdemeanors</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials.

# QUALIFICATIONS FOR CASE APPOINTMENT

## JUVENILE CASES

<b>Delinquency</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials, or three delinquency dispositions.
<b>Dependency &amp; TPR</b>	The Attorney shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and shall have observed a shelter hearing, a dependency hearing, and a termination of parental rights hearing, and shall have completed at least six hours of approved CLE within The Florida Bar reporting cycle in the area of dependency law. In addition for TPR cases, the attorney shall have tried at least five adjudicatory hearings on petitions of dependency.
<b>Parental Notice of Abortion Act Cases</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials, or three delinquency dispositions.

## CIVIL & OTHER CASES

<b>Guardianship</b>	The Attorney shall be familiar with the practice and procedure of guardianship proceedings and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and represented a party in no fewer than three guardianships and must have completed eight hours of education in guardianship as required by statute.
<b>Baker &amp; Marchman Act Cases</b>	The Attorney shall be familiar with Baker Act & Marchman Act proceedings and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and represented a party in no fewer than three mental health proceedings and must have completed eight hours of CLE relating to mental health proceedings.
<b>Other Civil Cases</b>	The Attorney shall be familiar with civil practice and procedure and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least one year and represented a party in no fewer than three civil proceedings and must have completed eight hours of CLE relating to civil proceedings.

## APPEALS

<b>Capital Appeals</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.112
<b>Criminal Appeals</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least three years and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials and be familiar with the Rules of Appellate Procedure.
<b>Civil Appeals</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least three years and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials and be familiar with the Rules of Appellate Procedure.
<b>Juvenile Appeals</b>	The Attorney shall meet the qualifications outlined in Fla. R. Crim. P. 3.113 and shall have been a member of the Florida Bar for at least three years and tried no fewer than three state or federal jury trials and be familiar with the Rules of Appellate Procedure.

## CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Chief Judge reserves the right to approve or remove any attorney from the court appointed attorney registry of the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit.

**Signature**

Date