

COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEY APPLICATION
(FOR THE PERIOD COMMENCING JULY 1, 2008)

Instructions: This application must be filled out in its entirety if you wish to be considered for appointment as a Court Appointed Attorney for the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit. Please print legibly or type. A copy of your Florida Bar Card and supporting documentation must also be included with the original and all copies of the application.

You must return the original with one (1) copy and supporting documentation in one (1) envelope addressed to:

Chief Judge Victor Tobin
c/o Court Administration – Office of the General Counsel
Broward County Courthouse
201 S.E. Sixth Street, Room 880
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

NAME: _____ FLORIDA BAR NO. _____

Principle Business Address: _____

Business Address (in Broward County, Florida to meet with clients if not Principle Business Address):

Business Phone: _____ (must be a Broward County area code or 800 number)

Business Fax: _____ Cell Phone: _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS: _____

(An email address is required)

Please check all the following mandatory qualifications that apply:

- I am a member in good standing with the Florida Bar.
- I have familiarized myself with the Administrative Order(s) relating to the Court Appointed Attorneys in the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit located on the website, www.17th.flcourts.org.
- I have completed the required number of CLE hours within the past 12 months. You must attach proof of completion of your CLE courses printout from The Florida Bar.
- I have met the Seventeenth Circuit's requirement on Criminal practice percentage.
- I am familiar with and experienced in the utilization of expert witnesses and evidence, including but not limited to psychiatric and forensic evidence.
- I have reviewed and understand the agreement for attorney services documents on the JAC website at www.JusticeAdmin.org and agree to comply with the JAC's requirements for billing.

- I have reviewed and understand the fee structure for Court Appointed Attorneys as set forth in § 27.5304, Fla. Stat.
- I will not solicit compensation from the defendant or family member or other clients on cases for which I serve as Court Appointed Counsel.
- I will notify the Chief Judge of any formal complaint filed by The Florida Bar against me and any non-confidential consent agreements entered into between me and The Florida Bar.

JUVENILE DIVISION CASES:

Please check all case types for which you are seeking appointment.

- Juvenile Delinquency - 1st Degree and Life Felony
- Juvenile Delinquency - 2nd Degree Felony
- Juvenile Delinquency - 3rd Degree Felony
- Juvenile Delinquency - Misdemeanor
- Appeals

Violation of Probation [VOCC] Juvenile Delinquency is included with the above categories.

Please list your **TRIAL** experience as follows for qualification for **trial court** appointments:
 Example: State v. J.R. (Please do not indicate the name of the minor.)

	Case Number Style of Case Circuit	Case Type Misdemeanor (M) Felony (F) Sentencing (ST)	State (S) Federal (FED)	Jury (J) Non Jury (NJ) Adjudicatory (A)	Degree of Severest Charge
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Please list your experience as follows for qualification for **appellate** appointments:

Example: J.R. v State. (Please do not indicate the name of the minor.)

You must also complete the section with regard to trial experience if seeking appellate appointments.

	Style of Case Case Number DCA/ Appellate Circuit	Case Type Misdemeanor (M) Felony (F)	State (S) Federal (FED)	Degree of Severest Charge on Appeal
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I certify that the information contained herein is true and correct, I meet any minimum requirements established by general law, and I am available to represent indigent individuals, and will comply with any and all terms or contract for services with the Justice Administrative Commission.

Signature

Date Signed