

Homicides/Predatory Sexual Abuse

What is the percentage of your practice that is devoted to Criminal Defense Law?

_____ %

Panel Applicants must have actual court experience in at least 30 criminal cases through disposition during the last 5 years, including at least 10 felony cases involving at least:

(1) Five felony trial which proceeded to verdict, of which at least 3 were jury trials.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement
a. Please provide captions of cases, dates and presiding judge.

(2) Ten hearing in criminal cases, in which at least 8 were felony cases, in which oral testimony was taken on the hearing was rendered and a decision.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

(3) Examination during trial of at least 4 on the following expert witnesses, please circle which of the following conform with your experience:

- a. Police Officers
- b. Police Officers working in an undercover capacity
- c. An expert offering opinions on fingerprints
- d. An expert offering opinions on ballistics and/or firearms
- e. Psychiatrists or Psychologists
- f. Other medical experts
- g. Experts from a laboratory, including, but not limited to, all people classified by the Courts as experts from the Monroe County Public Safety Laboratory

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

For the periods indicated, list the number of each of the following types of witnesses you have examined during litigated motions or trials in criminal cases.

	Past 5 Years	Past Year	Cross/Direct	Type of Case
Ballistics Experts				
FBI/DEA/ATF Agents				
Chemist/Lab Tech				
Fingerprint Experts				
Medical Examiners				
Medical Experts				

Police Officers				
Psychiatrists				
Psychologists				
Serologists				
Undercover Agents				
Other				

Check here if you are willing to help in training less experienced attorneys in criminal matters: _____

Check here if you are willing to be available for questions from, or be a mentor to a less experienced attorney in criminal matters: _____

Check here if you are willing to allow a less experienced attorney to "second chair" a trial or hearing that you do: _____ (non-compensatory to the "second chair")

Applicants must submit a post-indictment motion filed in an A, B, or C felony case.

A, B, C Felony

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(1) Ten hearings in criminal cases, in which at least 5 were felony cases, in which oral testimony was taken on the hearing was rendered and a decision.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

(2) Five criminal felony trials which proceeded to verdict, of which at least 3 were jury trials.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

a. Please provide captions of cases, dates and presiding judge.

(3) Cross examination during trial of at least 3 on the following, please circle which of the following conform with your experience:

a. Police Officers

b. Police Officers working in an undercover capacity

c. An expert offering opinions on fingerprints

d. An expert offering opinions on ballistics and/or firearms

e. Psychiatrists or Psychologists

f. Other medical experts

g. Experts from a laboratory, including, but not limited to, all people classified by the Courts as experts from the Monroe County Public Safety Laboratory

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Fingerprint Experts				
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Medical Experts				
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Psychiatrists				
Psychologists				
Serologists				
Undercover Agents				
Other				

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D, E Felony

What is the percentage of your practice that is devoted to Criminal Defense Law?

_____ %

Panel Applicants must have court experience in at least 20 criminal cases within the past five years through disposition involving at least:

(1) Two Felony jury trials which proceeded to verdict.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

(2) Five hearings in criminal cases, in which oral testimony was taken and a ruling on the hearing was rendered.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

(3) Panel Applicants must have attended/viewed the Nuts and Bolts of a Felony case program or equivalent program.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

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FBI/DEA/ATF Agents				
Chemist/Lab Tech				
Fingerprint Experts				
Medical Examiners				
Medical Experts				
Police Officers				
Psychiatrists				
Psychologists				
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Other				

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Misdemeanors

What is the percentage of your practice that is devoted to Criminal Defense Law?

 %

Panel Applicants must have conducted a minimum of:

(1) One jury trial OR two bench trials, one which must be a criminal misdemeanor or felony OR a civil trial and conducted or assisted in a criminal hearing or trial.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am not compliant with this requirement

(2) Panel Applicants must have attended/viewed the Nuts and Bolts of a Misdemeanor case program or equivalent program.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am not compliant with this requirement

Family Court

What Percentage of your practice dedicated to family law? _____ %

Panel Applicants must have the following general requirements within the 5 preceding years:

(1) At least two years experience in the practice of law OR significant experience in Family Court under a practice order of the Appellate Division or under Supervision of an experienced Family Court Practitioner.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

(2) Prior to joining the panel complete 3 hours of CLE training on topics relevant to Family Court practice within the past year OR complete AC Panel Family Court Basics CLE.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

Panel Applicants for representation of parents or respondents in **child neglect cases** or **voluntary placement cases** (including removal cases) (Social Services Law 358-a) requirements:

(1) Handled a child neglect case to completion and conducted one Family Court trial.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(2) Conducted a fact finding hearing and disposition in a child neglect case.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(3) Conducted an EWOC trial and handled a Family Court case.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(4) Assisted with a fact-finding hearing in a child neglect case or an EWOC trial and handled a Family Court hearing to completion.

I am compliant with this requirement
 I am **not** compliant with this requirement

Panel Applicants for **child abuse cases** requirements:

(1) Handled a child abuse case to completion and conducted a Family Court trial.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

(2) Conducted a fact-finding hearing and disposition in a child abuse case.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

Panel Applicants for **termination of parental rights** and representation of parents in **adoption proceedings** requirements:

(1) Has been the attorney for the parent in the specific case beginning with the neglect, abuse or voluntary placement proceeding and subsequent permanency hearing.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(2) Handled one neglect or abuse case and subsequent permanency hearing(s).

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(3) Represented a birth parent in an adoption proceeding involving revocation of surrender, allegations of abandonment or invalidity of a surrender.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

Panel Applicants for **violation of support and paternity** requirements:

(1) Conducted one support, violation of support or paternity hearing to completion.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(2) Assisted with a support, violation of support or paternity hearing and completed a hearing in a family court proceeding.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

Panel Applicants for **family offense, violation of order of protection and custody/visitation/guardianship** requirements:

(1) Completed a custody/visitation/guardianship, family offense or violation of order of protection hearing.

I am compliant with this requirement

I am **not** compliant with this requirement

OR

(2) Assist with a custody/visitation/guardianship, family offense or violation of order of protection hearing and completed a family court hearing.

(3) I am compliant with this requirement

(4) I am **not** compliant with this requirement

List the **total number** of cases you have handled in the past 3 years for the following types of cases:

Child Abuse _____

Child Neglect _____

Voluntary Placement _____

Termination of Parental Rights _____

Representation of Birth Parent in Adoption _____

Support _____

Paternity _____

Family Offense _____

Custody Visitation _____

Violation of Order of Protection _____

List the **total number** of cases you have handled at least through hearing in the past 3 years for the following types of cases:

Child Abuse _____

Child Neglect _____

Voluntary Placement _____

Termination of Parental Rights _____

Representation of Birth Parent in Adoption _____

Support _____

Paternity _____

Family Offense _____

Custody Visitation _____

Violation of Order of Protection _____

Check if you have second chaired in the past 3 years any of the following types of cases:

Child Abuse _____

Child Neglect _____

Voluntary Placement _____

Termination of Parental Rights _____

Representation of Birth Parent in Adoption _____

Support _____

Paternity _____

Family Offense _____

Custody Visitation _____

Violation of Order of Protection _____

Appeals

Percentage of your practice dedicated to appellate law: _____

In how many appellate cases, criminal and civil, have you been involved as sole or principal counsel?

Past 5 Years: Criminal _____ Family _____
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In how many of each of the following categories of cases did you personally author the brief or argue the appeal?

	Authored Brief		Argued Appeal		Type of Case	
	Past 5 Years	Past Year	Past 5 Years	Past Year	Criminal	Family
Appeal to County Ct.						
Appellate Division						
NY Court of Appeals						
US Court of Appeals						
US Supreme Court						

Have you attended a training in appellate practice presented by the Appellate Division, Fourth Department, for assigned attorneys within the past 5 years in the area of criminal appeals? _____ Yes _____ No

Have you attended training in appellate practice presented by the Appellate Division, Fourth Department, for assigned attorneys within the past 5 years in the area of Family Court appeals? _____ Yes _____ No

*** If you wish to be assigned to handle appeals, please submit with this application two appellate briefs which you have personally authored.**

Have you previously participated in this County's Assigned Counsel Program? _____
Last Year Active with Monroe County ACP? _____

Have you previously participate in any other County's Assigned Counsel Program? _____
If so, which county and when? _____

Have you ever been employed as an attorney with a public agency that has specialized in
Family Court Issues (give details)? _____

Have you ever been employed as an attorney with a Legal Aid Society, Public Defender's
Office, District Attorney's Office, or State or Federal Prosecutor's Office (give details)? _____

List any relevant Judicial Clerkships you have held (please include Court, Judge, Date
and responsibilities): _____

Any other relevant legal experience which would be helpful in evaluating your ability to
serve on the panels for which you have applied: _____

Have you ever been the subject of a complaint to a bar association or departmental
grievance committee which resulted in your admonition, reprimand, or censure, your
suspension from the practice of law or your disbarment or determined by a court to have
provided ineffective assistance of counsel? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please state particulars (attaching additional paper, if necessary): _____
