

# MACOMB CIRCUIT COURT CASE EVALUATOR APPLICATION

(Not to be used by ADR Mediator Applicants)

To serve as a case evaluator in Macomb County Circuit Court, an applicant must meet the following minimum qualifications:

- An applicant must have been a practicing lawyer for at least five years.
- An applicant must be a member in good standing of the State Bar of Michigan.
- An applicant must reside, maintain an office, or have an active practice (litigation and/or mediation) in Macomb County.
- An applicant must demonstrate that a substantial portion of his/her practice for the last 5 years has been devoted to civil litigation matters including investigation, discovery, motion practice, case evaluation, settlement, trial preparation, and/or trial.
- An applicant must demonstrate an active practice for the last three years in the area of personal injury/negligence, medical malpractice, labor and employment, or commercial law and business disputes to qualify for those specialized sublists.

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This form must be filled out completely and attachments included to be considered by the Case Evaluation Committee.

_____	P# _____
Full name	
_____	_____
Residence address	Home Telephone No.
_____	_____
Business address (if different from residence address)	Business Telephone No.
_____	_____
Current Employer's Name	Number of years with employer
_____	_____
Previous Employer's Name	Number of years with employer
Fax: _____	E-Mail address: _____

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## PART A: General Information

New Applicant

Renewal Application

1. When were you admitted to the practice of law (month/day/year)? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Are you a member in good standing of the State Bar of Michigan?      Yes      No



4. How many cases on average have you participated in **case evaluation, facilitation, or mediation as counsel** for a party over the last three years? \_\_\_\_\_ .
5. Have you previously served as a case evaluator, mediator, facilitator, or arbitrator in the past three years? \_\_\_\_\_ .
6. If so, please identify the forum, location and nature of case(s) heard, frequency of service, and whether you served as plaintiff, defendant, or neutral position.

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7. How many cases did you resolve by way of settlement over the past three years on an annual basis? \_\_\_\_\_ Please specify the type of case.

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8. Indicate the percent of your current practice:

Mediation \_\_\_\_\_ %

Litigation \_\_\_\_\_ %

## CASE EVALUATOR ELIGIBILITY CERTIFICATION

I certify, pursuant to MCR 2.404(B)(1), that I meet the requirements for service under the Macomb County Circuit Court's selection plan and that I will not discriminate against parties, attorneys, or other case evaluators on the basis of race, ethnic origin, gender, or other protected personal characteristics.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

**GENDER/RACE/ETHNICITY INFORMATION – OPTIONAL**

In order to evaluate our efforts to provide bias free case evaluators and diversity, we ask you to voluntarily identify your gender/race/ethnicity. This information will be maintained separately from the other pages of the application.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name (first, middle initial, last) (print or type)

      
P  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Bar no.

Please check the appropriate box:

**Gender**

Male

Female

**Race/Ethnicity**

American Indian or Alaskan Native

Asian or Pacific Islander

Black/African American (non-Hispanic)

Caucasian (non-Hispanic)

Hispanic

Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Please specify

Return this application to:

Macomb County Circuit Court  
ADR Clerk  
40 N. Main, 6th Floor  
Mt. Clemens, MI 48043

case.evaluation@macombgov.org