

Administrative Office of the Courts Career Opportunity

STATE-FUNDED POSITION

Posting Date: October 1, 2025 Closing Date: Until Filled

POSITION TITLE: Court Program Specialist II /

Domestic Relations Case Manager

ANNUAL SALARY: \$48,040.08 + \$112.75mo. CAD*

FLSA STATUS: Excluded

DEPARTMENT: Domestic Relations Case Management Division PAY GRADE: 30 POSITION # 009091

SUMMARY: Perform administrative and case management functions for the domestic relations divisions involving self-represented litigants. Work is performed under the supervision of the Unified Family Court Manager.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- EXPERIENCE: Three years of professional, administrative and/or analytical related experience. Knowledge of court processes and procedures preferred.
- EDUCATION: Bachelor degree in public or business administration, criminal justice, psychology, sociology or a closely related social science field.
- SUBSTITUTIONS: Additional relevant experience may substitute for the recommended educational level on a year-for-year basis. Additional relevant education may substitute for the recommended experience on a year-for-year basis (A Juris Doctorate degree from an accredited law school may substitute for two years of the recommended experience.)

ESSENTIAL DUTIES:

- Work within existing guidelines in support of a uniform case management system for self-represented litigants.
- Assist judges in family law divisions by performing case management functions, such as reviewing all new self-represented litigant cases prior to scheduled hearing, validating the related filings, informing parties of deficiencies, and scheduling matters accordingly.
- Manage a high volume caseload while maintaining a standardized case management system to monitor case status and progress.
- Work closely with self-represented litigants to move cases towards final hearing by corresponding with litigants via telephone, e-mail, and walk-ins.
- Utilize knowledge of Chapters 39 and 61 of Florida Statutes, the Rules of Civil Procedure, and Florida Supreme Court approved forms.
- Identify cases that 'crossover' between differing divisions of the Unified Family Court (UFC), such as Dependency, Delinquency and Domestic Relations (i.e. dissolution of marriage, paternity, child support, name changes, etc.)
- Attend court hearings and provide court record information to the presiding judge. Maintain and update reports.
- Work independently and collaborate with division judge, judicial assistant and be a team player among fellow Court Program Specialists.
- Prepare miscellaneous notices, court orders, dockets and final judgments.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Ability to conduct research and compose technical reports.
- Ability to communicate clearly, concisely and logically.
- Ability to deal tactfully with the public.
- Ability to plan, organize, and coordinate work assignments

- Ability to use a personal computer and word processing applications such as Microsoft Outlook, Word and Excel
- Ability to use discretion when handling confidential information.
- Incumbent must be professional in all regards.

<u>BENEFITS PACKAGE:</u> Paid vacation, sick leave and holidays, comprehensive health insurance and life insurance with accidental death and dismemberment benefits, supplemental dental, vision, life, disability and hospitalization insurance, promotional opportunities, tuition-free college courses, Florida Retirement System (FRS) eligibility, and 457 Tax Deferred Retirement Plan.

<u>TO APPLY</u>: Submit 1) cover letter, 2) resume, 3) current <u>State of Florida Application and Addendum</u> (located only at <u>www.fljud13.org</u>) in (1) PDF file via email to <u>recruiting@fljud13.org</u>. **APPLICATION PACKETS MUST INCLUDE THE 3 REQUIREMENTS ABOVE TO BE SCREENED FOR POTENTIAL INTERVIEW.**

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