

ELDERCARE MEDIATOR QUESTIONNAIRE

A. BASIC INFORMATION:

LOCATION(S):
"I WILL MEDIATE IN THE FOLLOWING LOCATION(S)":
LIST AT LEAST ONE STATE, THE STATE WHERE YOUR OFFICE IS LOCATED,
AND ANY ADDITIONAL STATES OR METROPOLITAN AREAS OUTSIDE OF
THE FIRST STATE LISTED. NOTE YOUR TRAVEL COSTS.

PA - Montgomery County and its neighboring communities.

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LANGUAGES SPOKEN FLUENTLY: English

FEES PER HOUR & OTHER FEES (EG. TRAVEL):

\$75 per hour

DO YOU HAVE MEDIATOR MALPRACTICE INSURANCE? Yes

B. BACKGROUND:

OVERVIEW OF BACKGROUND
(PRIMARY PROFESSION, ETC. MAXIMUM 50 WORDS):

The Montgomery County Mediation Center is a non-profit organization that serves the many communities of Montgomery County and beyond through mediation services and training.

GENERAL MEDIATION EXPERIENCE (MAX 30 WORDS):

NUMBER OF MEDIATED DISPUTES (ANY KIND--MINIMUM 5 TO BE LISTED):

over 26

NUMBER OF MEDIATED DISPUTES INVOLVING HIGH-CONFLICT FAMILY MEDIATION:

More 10

ELDERCARE MEDIATION EXPERIENCE: NUMBER OF EM DISPUTES MEDIATED:

More 5

NUMBER OF YEARS YOU HAVE MEDIATED:

Over 20 years

GERIATRIC EXPERIENCE (MAX 30 WORDS):

OTHER:

**C.
EDUCATION, ASSOCIATIONS, AND LICENSES/MEDIATOR REGISTRIES:**

EDUCATIONAL DEGREE(S), MAJOR(S), & INSTITUTION(S):

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

MEDIATOR REGISTRIES/CERTIFICATION/LICENSES:

CERTIFICATION AND TRAINING:

**D.
TYPES OF ELDERCARE MEDIATION DISPUTES THAT YOU WILL MEDIATE:**

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY & CHECK TYPES OF EM DISPUTES THAT YOU HAVE ALREADY MEDIATED:

WILL	HAVE
Quality of Life	Quality of Life
Housing	Housing
Car Keys, Driving & Transportation (limitations on driving, testing, transportation to medical appointments, friends, social events & church)	Car Keys, Driving & Transportation (limitations on driving, testing, transportation to medical appointments, friends, social events & church)

Caregiving (division of duties, relief for caregivers, level of care needed, planning vacations for parents & caregivers)	Caregiving (division of duties, relief for caregivers, level of care needed, planning vacations for parents & caregivers)
Financial Decisions	Financial Decisions
Geriatric Assessment	Geriatric Assessment
Working through Family Fights (improving sibling relationships, learning communication skills, & working as a team)	Working through Family Fights (improving sibling relationships, learning communication skills, & working as a team)
Division or Sale of Farms; Businesses; Property	Division or Sale of Farms; Businesses; Property
Emergency Decisions	Emergency Decisions
Powers of Attorney; Avoiding Guardianship	Powers of Attorney; Avoiding Guardianship
Health Care Decisions	Health Care Decisions
Planning Ahead for End of Life Decisions (funeral planning & Advanced Directives (Living Wills/Life Prolongation, organ donation preference, appointment of health care representatives)	Planning Ahead for End of Life Decisions (funeral planning & Advanced Directives (Living Wills/Life Prolongation, organ donation preference, appointment of health care representatives)
WILL_MEDIATE_OTHER:	
HAVE_MEDIATED_OTHER:	

**E.
MEDIATION TRAINING:**

**TRAINING IN BASIC MEDIATION (MINIMUM 40 HOURS OF GENERAL MEDIATION TRAINING):
NOTE TYPE (FAMILY, CIVIL, COMMUNITY MEDIATION OR OTHER, TITLE(S), TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS, TRAINERS)**

Individuals who practice Elder Mediation with MCMC have undergone 40 hours of mediation training including ethical and other substantive practice issues and have met the standards of practice as set forth by the Montgomery County Office of Aging Collaborative.

**TRAINING RECEIVED IN ELDERCARE MEDIATION:
NOTE TITLES, TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS & TRAINERS (MAX 30 WORDS):**

TRAINING IN DOMESTIC VIOLENCE: NOTE TITLE(S), TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS & TRAINERS (MAX 30 WORDS):

**SUMMARY OF OTHER ADVANCED MEDIATION TRAINING:
NOTE TITLE(S), TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS & TRAINERS (MAX 30 WORDS):**

**WERE YOU A TRAINER FOR ANY NOTED ABOVE?
IF SO, LIST HOURS:**

Yes - In collaboration with the Montgomery County Office of Aging, MCMC has developed and provides a 40 hour Elder Mediation Training which can be replicated across the state of Pennsylvania.

**F.
MODELS AND PROCEDURES USED AS A MEDIATOR:**

MODEL(S) OF MEDIATION USED PRIMARILY:
TRANSFORMATIVE

TYPE(S) OF MEDIATION SESSION USED (NOTE ALL YOU USE, THEN FOR EACH CATEGORY, LIST YOUR LEVEL OF EXPERIENCE: LOW, MEDIUM, HIGH):

EXPERIENCE	
HIGH	IN-PERSON ONLY
Low	WITH SOME PARTICIPATION BY CONFERENCE CALL
Low	MEDIATION BY CONFERENCE CALL
NONE	ONLINE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (MEDIATION WITH VIDEO COMPONENT)