

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.

California

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LANGUAGES SPOKEN FLUENTLY: English

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

\$350, with sliding scale for low income

DO YOU HAVE MEDIATOR MALPRACTICE INSURANCE? No

B. BACKGROUND:

OVERVIEW OF BACKGROUND

(PRIMARY PROFESSION, ETC. MAXIMUM 50 WORDS):

Attorney for 30 years. Litigation and trial background, primarily personal injury and elder neglect.

GENERAL MEDIATION EXPERIENCE (MAX 30 WORDS):

Mediation of disputed conservatorships, probate litigation, personal injury, fee disputes, elder housing issues, elder family issues, sibling conflicts, school and parent disputes, real estate, and general negligence issues.

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

over 25

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:

5

GERIATRIC EXPERIENCE (MAX 30 WORDS):

Public health nurse and geriatric nursing experience covering 10 years. I worked as a nurse's aide, staff nurse, and charge nurse in nursing homes, and hospitals, visited thousands of elders.

OTHER:

I work as a collaborative mediator with a licensed clinical psychologist doing family mediation and elder mediation. I also have a consulting practice in which we deal with the same issues.

C.

EDUCATION, ASSOCIATIONS, AND LICENSES/MEDIATOR REGISTRIES:

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

O'Connor Hospital School of Nursing, Diploma, Nursing
B.S.N., Nursing, Univ. of San Francisco
J.D. University of San Francisco School of Law

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS:

Marin County Bar Assn., ADR section
ABA Dispute Resolution Section

MEDIATOR REGISTRIES/CERTIFICATION/LICENSES:

(not applicable in California)

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)	
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)
Wills, Trusts & Estates (planning, distribution of assets, & resolution of family disputes)	Wills, Trusts & Estates (planning, distribution of assets, & resolution of family disputes)
Division or Sale of Farms, Businesses & Property	Division or Sale of Farms, Businesses & Property
Powers of Attorney & Avoiding Guardianship	
Health Care Decisions	
Emergency Decisions	
Planning Ahead for End of Life Decisions (funeral planning & Advanced Directives (Living Wills/Life Prolongation, organ donation preference, appointment of health care representatives)	
Resident Injury; level of care; Wrongful Death	Resident Injury; level of care; Wrongful Death

WILL_MEDIATE_OTHER:

Capacity issues of any kind. mental illness issues. disabled caregiver.

elder abuse, elder neglect, caregiver agency-consumer, assisted living facility-consumer and assisted living-resident-resident disputes, disputed conservatorship, nursing home

HAVE_MEDIATED_OTHER:

All of the above except mediated nursing home disputes, though I have been an advocate at mediation of these disputes.

**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)**

Teresa Carey, general mediation training, 40 hours
Marin Mediation Center, community mediation, 40 hours
Debra Gerardi, healthcare mediation, 40 hours
Strauss Institute, general mediation, 16 hours

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

American Bar Assn., 2 hours, elder mediation seminar

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

Marin Abused Womens' Services, 2 hour presentation

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

Strauss Institute, general mediation, 16 hours
Marin County Bar Assn., numerous 1 hr. CLE programs on mediation

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

Yes. Collaborative mediation in elder mediation, 1.5 hr.

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

**MODEL(S) OF MEDIATION USED PRIMARILY:
FACILITATIVE**

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
MEDIUM	WITH SOME PARTICIPATION BY CONFERENCE CALL
Low	MEDIATION BY CONFERENCE CALL
NONE	ONLINE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (MEDIATION WITH VIDEO COMPONENT)