

ELDERCARE MEDIATOR QUESTIONNAIRE

A. BASIC INFORMATION:

LOCATION(S):

"I WILL MEDIATE IN THE FOLLOWING LOCATION(S)":

LIST AT LEAST ONE STATE, AND UP TO 2 ADDITIONAL STATES OR METROPOLITAN AREAS OUTSIDE OF THE FIRST STATE LISTED (MAXIMUM 3).

New York, Vermont

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LANGUAGES SPOKEN FLUENTLY:

English, French

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

Sliding scale

DO YOU HAVE MEDIATOR MALPRACTICE INSURANCE? Yes

B. BACKGROUND:

OVERVIEW OF BACKGROUND

(PRIMARY PROFESSION, ETC. MAXIMUM 50 WORDS):

15 years as a family and divorce mediator, with a psychotherapy background. LCSW in New York, with an emphasis on couples and family.

GENERAL MEDIATION EXPERIENCE (MAX 30 WORDS):

15 years as a mediator. Prior to mediation practice, partnership in a small family-owned construction company.

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

over 300

NUMBER OF MEDIATED DISPUTES INVOLVING HIGH-CONFLICT FAMILY

MEDIATION:

51-100

ELDERCARE MEDIATION EXPERIENCE: NUMBER OF EM DISPUTES MEDIATED:

5 or More

NUMBER OF YEARS YOU HAVE MEDIATED: 15

GERIATRIC EXPERIENCE (MAX 30 WORDS):

I have had the opportunity on several occasions to work with large families facilitating issues of caring for an elderly parent.

OTHER

(EG. PERSONAL EXPERIENCE WITH FAMILY DECISIONMAKING REGARDING PARENTS, ETC. MAX 30 WORDS):

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

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

BA, University of Colorado, Major in French, Minor in Russian
Universite de Geneve (Switzerland), School of Interpreters, French, Russian, Spanish

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS: MEDIATION

(IF ASSOCIATION FOR CONFLICT RESOLUTION (ACR), INCLUDE WHETHER PRACTITIONER MEMBER), GERIATRIC, THERAPIST, LEGAL, ETC. (MAX 30 WORDS):

-Association for Conflict Resolution: Member of Board of Directors, Advanced Practitioner for Family and Workplace Sections
-New York Council on Divorce Mediation: Member of Board of Directors, Accredited Member
-Family and Divorce Mediation Council of Greater New York: Former Board Member, Accredited Member
-CPR Institute: Panel of Distinguished Neutrals

MEDIATOR REGISTRIES/CERTIFICATION/LICENSES

(NOTE IF YOU RECEIVED ANY DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS) (MAX 30 WORDS):

EEOC (Public and Private Sectors)
USPS REDRESS Blue Ribbon Panel

**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
Housing	Housing
Car Keys, Driving, Transportation	Caregiving
Caregiving	Financial Decisions
Financial Decisions	Working through Family Fights
Working through Family Fights	Wills, Trusts, Estates
Wills, Trusts, Estates	Division or Sale of Farms, Businesses, Property
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Other (List):	
None Listed	None Listed

**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)
(MAX 30 WORDS):**

I have received over 300 hundred in-class hours in mediation training, starting with the basic 40 hour family and divorce training. Other trainings in Divorce, family, civil, employment, system design, etc.

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

none

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

2 hours at basic training. Multiple workshops

**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? Yes
IF SO, LIST HOURS:**

Basic Mediation Training, 30 hours, Westchester Mediation Center

Family and Divorce Mediation Center, Coach for role play
EEOC, Assistant.

F.
MODELS AND PROCEDURES USED AS A MEDIATOR:

MODEL(S) OF MEDIATION USED PRIMARILY:

FACILITATIVE
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	IN-PERSON WITH SOME PARTICIPATION BY CONFERENCE CALL
LOW	MEDIATION BY CONFERENCE CALL
NONE	ONLINE DISPUTE RESOLUTION (MEDIATION WITH VIDEO COMPONENT)