

RENEWAL APPLICATION FOR PIERCE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
TITLE 26 PARENTING INVESTIGATOR/GUARDIAN AD
LITEM CERTIFIED REGISTRY

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ADMINISTRATION

This application is for Guardians ad Litem currently serving on the Pierce County Superior Court Title 26 Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem Certified Registry.

THIS IS PUBLIC INFORMATION

This is my renewal application to serve as a Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem in Pierce County, State of Washington, as required under Title 26. I hereby certify under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that my renewal application is true and correct. Please check each box where contact information has changed since last year's application was submitted.

Date Signed: 3/18/2009 Signature: Rebecca Albright

WSBA # and Year Admitted: #22601, 1993

Printed Name: Rebecca Albright

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Bilingual: No If so, in what language(s): _____

Please list all trainings attended during the past year: (include Date, Sponsor, and Topic)

10/16/2008 - Child Abuse and Neglect, Pierce County
Showed bad roads prevented my attendance at the December
and January trainings and I was recovering from double
pneumonia in February so could not make it to the training.

NOTE: Only this application may be utilized. Late applications shall not be accepted for any reason. All questions must be answered in the order in which they are given. Answers that only refer to a resume or vitae are not acceptable although a resume is required and you may attach supporting materials. Please return completed application, resume and any materials by March 20, 2009 4:30 PM to:

Pierce County Superior Court Administrator
Room 334, County City Building
930 Tacoma Ave South
Tacoma, WA 98402-2108

THIS PART OF THE APPLICATION IS PUBLIC INFORMATION

A. Please report the first year you served on the RCW 26.09 Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem Certified Registry in **Pierce County**. Please list any years where there was a break in service: 2008

B. Number of appointments you have received as a Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem and all counties eligible for appointment during the last year, 1/1/08 to 12/31/08: Pierce, King, Kitsap, Snohomish
20 total cases

C. Percentage of your total case load that RCW 26 Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem work represents overall: 80%

D. Criminal history, as defined in RCW 9.94A.030: A current and completed Washington State Patrol Conviction Criminal History Record must be received by the Court. If not attached, the expected date the Court will have the record:

E. Have you ever been accused of, found guilty of, or been a victim of **either** domestic violence or an anti-harassment action? Yes ___ No X. If **yes**, please explain.

F. The number of times you have been removed for failure to adequately perform duties as Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem or for any other cause. For each removal, give a brief explanation, with the county, case name and cause number, and attach all relevant documents from the court file along with a copy of the court order. None

I also certify the following:

G. I am presently not serving, nor have I recently applied to serve, as a Judge or Commissioner pro tempore in Pierce County Superior Court. I understand that I am not permitted to serve in both capacities.

AGREE X DISAGREE _____

POLICY 2

**PIERCE COUNTY SUPERIOR COURT
RCW 26.09.220 AND RCW 26.12.175
PARENTING INVESTIGATOR/GUARDIAN AD LITEM CODE OF CONDUCT**

All Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem's shall fully comply with this Code of Conduct and the requirements of Superior Court GALR, effective 11/01:

1. The appointed Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall decline the appointment if they are not qualified, competent, or able to complete the matter in a timely manner.
2. The Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall maintain the ethical principles of their own profession in addition to compliance with this Code of Conduct.
3. The Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall promptly advise the court of any grounds for disqualification or unavailability to serve.
4. The Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall avoid self-dealing or association from which the Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem might directly or indirectly benefit, other than from compensation as a Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem.
5. The Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall not guarantee or create the impression that any portion of the investigation will remain confidential, and shall inform all witnesses that the information gathered by the Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem must be reported to the court.
6. All records, including contemporaneously maintained time and expense records, of the Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall promptly be made available to the parties and their attorneys for review upon request, without formal discovery request(s) being made. Copies of the records may be made by the parties and their attorneys under circumstances that assure that the file remains complete, organized and intact.
7. The Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem shall be available to testify if called by a party.
8. Once admitted to the RCW 26.09 Certified Registry, all Parenting Investigator/Guardian ad Litem's shall fully comply with all continuing education requirements established under Pierce County Local Rules and GALR, as amended.

The undersigned acknowledges receipt of the foregoing, has read the same and GALR, and agrees to be governed by all.

3/18/2009
Date

Rebecca Allen
Signature

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EXPERIENCE: 2005 to Present: Forty-two appointments as a Title 26 Family Law Guardian ad Litem and twenty appointments as a Title 11 Guardianship Guardian ad Litem.

Part-time Family Law and Guardianship practice.

CERTIFICATES: Title 26 Family Law Guardian ad Litem. Training sponsored by King County Bar Association and completed February of 2005.

Title 11 Guardianship Guardian ad Litem. Training sponsored by King County Bar Association and completed May 2005. Re-certified in May of 2006, 2007, 2008, and scheduled for 4/24/09.

Settlement Guardian ad Litem Training sponsored by King county Bar Association, December 2008.

TRAINING: 10/18/2008, Pierce County Superior Court, Child Abuse and Neglect.

Settlement Guardian ad Litem Training sponsored by KCBA, December 2008.

10/2007-10/2008: Attendance of Pierce County Superior Court Title 26 monthly in-house trainings.

December 21, 2006: .191 Limitations in Parenting Plans sponsored by Pierce County Superior Court Guardian ad Litem Committee.

Advanced Title 26 Family Law Guardian ad Litem Issues sponsored by King County Bar Association on October 25, 2006.

Advanced Title 26 Family Law Guardian ad Litem Issues sponsored by King County Bar Association in October of 2005.

EDUCATION: 1993-Admitted to Washington State Bar Association.
1992-J.D., Gonzaga Law School, Spokane, WA, cum laude.
1988-B.A. Business Administration, Northwest Nazarene College, Nampa, ID.