

Court Appointed Attorney, Probate Department  
San Francisco Superior Court (San Francisco, CA)

The San Francisco Superior Court is seeking qualified attorneys to add to the Court Appointed Attorney List. Responsibilities include informing the Court of the conservatee or ward's wishes, concerns, and objections, and if asked by the Court, to provide an opinion as to what would be in the best interests of the conservatee or ward. Additional information regarding the role of the Court Appointed Attorney can be found in San Francisco Local Rule 14.78.Q.

Attorneys who wish to be considered for Court appointment must submit a completed Certification of Attorney Concerning Qualifications for Court Appointment (Judicial Council form GC-010), current resume, and proof of professional liability insurance coverage.

Applications will be reviewed by the Probate bench officer who will determine whether the attorney is qualified to be a Court Appointed Attorney. Applications will be accepted on an ongoing basis. All applications must be submitted in hard copy. Faxed or emailed applications will not be accepted.

The Court currently has separate Court Appointed Attorney lists for conservatorships and guardianships, so when applying, please make sure the Judicial Council form indicates your preference. If your application is approved, then the Annual Certification of Court-Appointed Attorney (Judicial Council form GC-011) must be filed annually in order to remain eligible for appointment.

Please address your application to:

San Francisco Superior Court  
Attention: Jessica Moorer, Assistant Director of Probate  
400 McAllister Street  
Department 202  
San Francisco, CA 94102