**ADULT MISDEMEANOR ATTORNEY FEE SCHEDULE**

Effective November 1, 2021 for Services Rendered on or after that Date.

The goal of these guidelines is to insure quality representation for indigent persons charged with misdemeanor crimes in Guadalupe County.

Court appointed attorneys remain the attorney of record until final disposition of their cases unless a motion to withdraw or substitute is granted.

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| **REPRESENTATION** | **FEE** | **Mental Health Cases** | **FEE** |
| Writ of Habeas Corpus | $75 | $100 | Meet with Patient if patient is released or moved |
| 12:45, Declined Case or Release Prior to Disposition | $75 | Probable Cause Hearing | $500 |
| Plea and Sentence  (includes Discovery and Dismissal) | $250  $100 for additional cases | Court Ordered Temporary Mental Health Service Hearing | To be determined by the Judge |
| Pre-Trial Motions and Bench Trial | $250 |  |  |
| Jury Trial | $750 |  |  |
| Appeals | Up to $2,500 per case to be approved by the Judge |  |  |
| Jail Visit | $50 (max. per case) |  |  |

Caveat: In an unusual case, the considerations set forth in Texas Rules of Professional Conduct Rule 1.04(b) may dictate a fee that is less than or more than the one established by these guidelines. In such an event, an hourly rate of $50 to $75 may be used in calculating requested fees. Fees will be dependent upon the complexity of the case and the experience and ability of the appointed counsel. Claims for payment should reflect time expended to the nearest 1/10th of an hour.