

**WHARTON COUNTY
INDIGENT DEFENSE ATTORNEY'S FEE SCHEDULE**

COMPENSATION FOR MISDEMEANOR CASE	PRIMA FACIE AMOUNT	2nd Case
Guilty Plea-Misdemeanor (Probation)	\$300	\$100
Guilty Plea-Misdemeanor (Jail)	\$250	\$100
Preparation, Pre-Trial & Trial— Non-Jury Trial OR Jury Trial (Not Guilty)	\$60 - \$90 hourly	
Initial Appeal: Non-Jury Trial OR Jury Trial	\$60 - \$90 hourly	

COMPENSATION FOR FELONY CASE	PRIMA FACIE AMOUNT	2nd Case
Guilty Plea-Felony Probation (includes first MTR)		
1 st Degree	\$750	\$100
2 nd Degree	\$675	\$100
3 rd Degree	\$625	\$100
State Jail Felony	\$600	\$100
Guilty Plea-Felony (straight time)	\$500	\$100
In court hearings: Pre-Trial & Trial— Non-Jury Trial OR Jury Trial (Not Guilty)	\$100 - \$150 hourly	
Appellate counsel	\$100 - \$200 hourly	
Appointed To Case-Case Never Filed- Dismissed/Plead on other case-Felony or Misdemeanor	\$250	
Out of court preparation and research time	\$80-\$120	

COMPENSATION FOR JUVENILE CASE	PRIMA FACIE AMOUNT	
Adjudication and Disposition	\$400	
Modification	\$200	
Deferred Probation	\$300	
Detention Hearing (each hearing)	\$100	
Preparation, Pre-Trial, Trial— Non-Jury Trial OR Jury Trial	\$80 - \$120 hourly	

COMPENSATION FOR CPS CASES	PRIMA FACIE AMOUNT	
Preparation, Pre-Trial, Trial & Appeal	\$80 - \$120 hourly	

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

- Statement for any additional funds shall be submitted in an itemized bill using the voucher.
- Expenses for investigation and expert witnesses are reimbursable only with prior approval of the Court and must be submitted using the voucher.

APPROVED BY WHARTON COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS COURT IN
SESSION ON 02-13-2023