

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHINGTON

In the Matter of the
ORDER ESTABLISHING QUALIFICATIONS
AND STANDARDS FOR COURT VISITORS

GENERAL ORDER 276

Pursuant to ORS 125.165, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

Court Visitor Qualifications

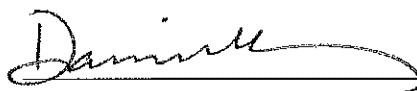
1. Visitors must comply with the requirements of Oregon Revised Statutes Chapter 125 and have the appropriate education, training and experience to comply with Oregon laws and make recommendations to the court regarding protected persons.
2. The presiding judge or his or her designee has the sole and absolute discretion to determine whether the proposed visitor's experience is sufficient and whether to add or remove a person from the approved visitor's list.

Standards and Procedures

1. Assignment of a court visitor is in the sole discretion of the judge presiding over the case or his or her designee.
2. Visitors must be familiar with and comply with all laws and requirements applicable to court visitors.
3. Upon discovery of any conflict, the visitor must disclose it immediately to the judge presiding over the case or his or her designee.
4. Visitors must attend all trainings required by the court. If additional requirements are imposed by the court, the visitor must comply with them.
5. Visitors must use the local visitor's report form adopted in General Order 226.

This order supersedes General Order 239.

DATED: November 4th, 2019



Presiding Circuit Court Judge
Danielle J. Hunsaker