

# **Colorado Licensed Legal Paraprofessional – Family Law Application**

## <u>Section A – Applicant Information</u>

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#### <u>Section B — Applicant Qualifications</u>

Educational and Work Experience Requirements for Eligibility 1. **PATH A: Education and Experience 1.A.1.** Do you meet one or more of the following educational degree categories?  $\square$  NO – If NO, go to question 1.B.  $\square$  YES – If **YES**, answer the following: ☐ Earned a J.D. from an ABA-accredited law school OR a state-accredited law school. ☐ Earned an associate's degree in paralegal studies from an accredited school. ☐ Earned a bachelor's degree in paralegal studies from an accredited school. ☐ Earned a bachelor's degree in any subject from an accredited school that includes: ☐ a paralegal certificate, **OR** ☐ 15 hours of paralegal studies from an accredited school. ☐ Earned a first professional law degree from a law school in a country other than the United States AND an LLM degree that meets the curricular requirements of C.R.C.P. 203.4(6) at an ABA-accredited U.S. law school. ☐ I have included my official school transcripts which are required to confirm my eligibility. ☐ I have requested my official school transcripts from my school(s) which I know are required to confirm my eligibility and will provide such transcripts to the Office of LLP Admissions. I understand that without my transcripts, I will not be cleared to sit for the LLP exam. 1.A.2. An applicant under "Path A" also must demonstrate the following work experience, totaling at least 1,500 work hours (not necessarily "billable hours") that satisfy both of the following requirements. a. Substantive Law Experience: ☐ I have completed at least 1,500 work hours of substantive law-related practice experience within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of my application. ☐ I have not completed at least 1,500 work hours of substantive law-related practice experience within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of my application, but will meet this requirement by Click here to enter a date. b. Colorado Family Law Practice Experience: ☐ I have completed at least 500 work hours of **Colorado family law practice experience** within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of application submission. ☐ I have not completed at least 500 work hours of **Colorado family law practice experience** within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of application submission, but will meet this requirement by Click here to enter a date.

	I understand that all LLP applicants must have their substantive law practice experience verified by an Active-licensed attorney in a U.S. jurisdiction and their Colorado family law practice experience verified by an Active-licensed Colorado attorney. The verifications can be completed by the same licensed attorney if the hours for both requirements were completed under their supervision. (See Verification Form <a href="here">here</a> . Please provide this form to the verifying attorney(s), have them complete it and include with this application.) I understand that I cannot self-verify my work experience.
A," yea	PATH B: Work Experience and Employment addition to demonstrating the same quantity of qualifying work experience as applicants under "Path an applicant seeking eligibility under "Path B" must have worked the equivalent of three full-time ars in employment constituting substantive law-related practice experience within the five years mediately preceding the date of application.
a.	Substantive Law Experience:  ☐ I have completed at least 4,500 work hours of substantive law-related practice experience within the five years (60 months) immediately preceding the date of my application, of which at least 1,500 work hours have been within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of my application submission.  ☐ I have not completed at least 1,500 work hours of substantive law-related practice experience within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of my application, but will meet this requirement by Click here to enter a date.
b.	Colorado Family Law Practice Experience:
	☐ I have completed at least 1,500 work hours of <b>Colorado family law practice experience</b> within the five years (60 months) immediately preceding the date of application submission, <b>of which</b> at least 500 work hours have been within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of my application submission.
	☐ I have not completed at least 500 work hours of <b>Colorado family law practice experience</b> within the three years (36 months) immediately preceding the date of application submission, but will meet this requirement by Click here to enter a date.
	I understand that all LLP applicants must have their substantive law practice experience verified by an Active-licensed attorney in a U.S. jurisdiction and their Colorado family law practice experience verified by an Active-licensed Colorado attorney. The verifications can be completed by the same licensed attorney if the hours for both requirements were completed under their supervision. (See Verification Form <a href="here">here</a> . Please provide this form to the verifying attorney(s), have them complete is and include with this application.) I understand that I cannot self-verify my work experience.

### <u>Section C — Applicant Professional and Personal History</u>

Question No.	Question			Yes	No	
Bar Admis	sions and I	Professional Licensure	:			
2.A	Are you o licensed le in-house e examinat non-U.S. t authoriza					
	<b>If YES</b> , ple	ease provide the follow	ving information:			
Jurisdiction		Admission Type	Date Admitted	Registration/Bar Number	License Status	

All applicants must provide a Certificate of Good Standing from each jurisdiction where admitted, the date of which must not be greater than 60-days prior to the date of application submission. If you have resigned from any jurisdiction you will need to provide evidence that you resigned in good standing. Applicants who are administratively suspended or otherwise not in good standing in one or more jurisdictions where currently admitted will not be approved.

All applicants must also submit a Discipline History (a.k.a Certificate of Discipline, Complaint Check, Grievance Letter, etc.) from every jurisdiction where you have ever been admitted, regardless of your current standing. The Disciplinary History must address both public and private complaints or discipline and should affirmatively state whether or not there have ever been complaints filed against you at any time.

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
2.B	Has your license to practice law in any jurisdiction ever been limited, restricted, suspended, or revoked (include periods of inactive or nonresident status and any period of administrative suspension or transfer to disability status) since the date of your admission?		
	If <b>YES</b> , provide the jurisdiction, dates during which it has been limited, the nature of the limitation, suspension or revocation, and the facts related to the matter.		

Question			Question		Yes	No
No.	Question					
3.	Are there any jurisdictions (U.S. state/federal court or agency, territory, or foreign) in which you have applied for a license to practice law, including any jurisdiction in which you have taken the bar exam or legal paraprofessional exam (regardless of title), but were not admitted to practice law? Include all previously filed applications in Colorado, if applicable.  If YES, please provide the following information:					
Jurisdiction	n	Application Type	Date Filed	Result: (Pass, Pending /	Admission	ı, Fail)
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Question No.			Question		Yes	No
4.	Have you ever been denied admission to the practice of law in any jurisdiction (U.S. state/federal court or agency, territory, or foreign) (other than for failure of the bar or legal paraprofessional exam), been denied access to take the bar exam or legal paraprofessional exam (regardless of title) of any jurisdiction, been accused of misconduct during the administration of any bar or legal paraprofessional exam, or had an exam score nullified or embargoed?  If YES, identify the jurisdiction, agency and a detailed explanation of the reason(s). Provide substantiating documentation from the applicable agencies.					
	agencies.					

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
5.	Have you ever had your fitness to practice law questioned through an informal interview, formal hearing, or through any other means?		
	If <b>YES</b> , provide a detailed explanation of each instance including the jurisdiction, dates, the reason(s) for inquiry, nature of inquiry, and final outcome. Provide substantiating documentation from the applicable agency(ies).		

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
6.	Have you ever applied for a professional, state or local license in order to pursue a career in a field, other than law, requiring licensure?		
	If <b>YES</b> , provide for each application the date of the application, name and address of the licensing agency, type of license, whether an examination was required, whether proof of good character was required, and the date the license was issued. If no license was issued upon application, state the full reason.		
	Date of application:		
	Licensing Agency:		
	Name and address of the licensing agency:		
	Type of license:	1	
	Examination required?   Yes   No		
	Proof of good character required? ☐ Yes ☐ No Date the license was issued:		
	If licensure is Pending or Denied, provide a detailed written explanation:		
	Date of application:		
	Licensing Agency:		
	Name and address of the licensing agency:  Type of license:		
	Examination required?   Yes		
	Proof of good character required? ☐ Yes ☐ No Date the license was issued — Date, Pending, Denied		
	If Pending or Denied, provide a detailed written explanation:		

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
Profession	al/Employment History:		
7.	Have you ever held any public or judicial office? If YES, provide the location, dates, and title of the office held, including the reason for leaving.		
	Location:		
	Dates:		
	Title of Office Held:		
	Reason for Termination/Ending of Office:		
	Location:		
	Dates:		
	Title of Office Held:		
	Reason for Termination/Ending of Office:		
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	Title of Office Held:		
	Reason for Termination/Ending of Office:		
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Question	Complete an Employment Information Form here for each position.
No.	See notes below for directions.

8. EMPLOYMENT: Beginning with your current or most recent employment, list in chronological order all periods of employment or self-employment within the ten years preceding the date of this application or since the age of 18, whichever is shorter. There can be no gaps in employment for the preceding ten years (or shorter period if you turned 18 within ten years of application). Include all law-related and non-law-related employment, part-time and full-time, including self-employment, externships, internships (paid and unpaid), clerkships, military service, volunteer work and temporary employment. Use additional pages if necessary.

Provide a list of all employers within the prior 10-year period, together with dates of employment, location, company name, job title, supervisor name, supervisor email and phone number, and general description of your job functions. If using the employment as qualification for LLP licensure, provide the name and email of your supervising attorney. Employers and supervising attorneys will be contacted by email or by mail by this office.

For periods of self-employment or unemployment (including due to COVID or going to school fulltime), you must add a new employer and type "Unemployment" or "Self-Employment" into the "Employer Name" field. Type "N/A" in the subsequent fields until you get to "Date From" field, which must state the same month and year as the employment immediately preceding the period of unemployment, and the "Date To" field, which must be the same as the date and year as the employer who employed you immediately following the period of unemployment. For periods of **self-employment**, provide a detailed narrative of the exact nature of the business in which you were engaged; and, provide the name and complete mailing address and email address of the supervising attorney for whom services were rendered if including the hours as qualification for LLP licensure.

**Legal and paralegal internships** should be included under Legal Employment, even though you may not have been monetarily compensated for your activities. If you received course credit for an internship, you should so state. Internships for course credit will not be included as qualifying hours for LLP licensure.

**Do not** list your own name or the name of someone to whom you are related by blood or marriage as a confirming reference. If you cannot recall the name of your supervisor, so state.

If you are or were self-employed or employed by a relative, provide a reference (preferably someone associated with the business) to whom you are not related by blood or marriage who can verify the nature and length of your employment or practice. For periods of **self-employment**, provide a detailed narrative of the exact nature of the business in which you were engaged and provide the name and complete mailing address and email address of all supervising attorneys for whom services were rendered if including the hours as qualification for LLP licensure.

If an employer is no longer in business, provide the address as it was when you were employed there; instead of a phone number, include a note that it no longer exists.

**Reason for Leaving**: If your reason for leaving was the result of being terminated, discipline or resignation in lieu of termination, complete a separate FORM 26 as part of your response to Question 26 for EACH incident.

Question No.	Question
Reference	s:
9.	Provide the names and contact information of three attorneys, LLPs, or other legal professionals who know you. If you do not know three attorneys, LLPs, or other legal professionals, substitute law school professors or other legal professionals. DO NOT include yourself, anyone who is related to you by blood or marriage, anyone under your supervision, anyone who resides at your current residential address or anyone listed in your answers to Questions 8 or 10.
	Name:
	Profession:
	Organization or Firm Name:
	Mailing Address:
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	Organization or Firm Name:
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	Phone Number:
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10.	Provide the names and contact information for four people over the age of 18, preferably persons who have known you for at least five years, with whom you are personally acquainted. DO NOT include yourself, anyone who is related to you by blood or marriage, anyone under your supervision, anyone who resides at your current residential address or anyone listed in your answers to Questions 8 or 9.
	Name:
	Profession:
	Organization or Firm Name:
	Mailing Address:

	Email:				
	Phone Numb	er:			
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	Profession:				
	Organization	or Firm Name	:		
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Question No.					
Education					
11.	Provide the name(s) and complete mailing address(es), including zip code(s) for every college and university attended including dates of attendance and degree earned. If you attended a college or university from which you did not graduate or from which you received no credit, provide an explanation of why no credit was granted.				
Name of Sc	hool:				
Accredited whom?	and by	□ Yes	□ No		
Address:					
City:				State/Province	:
Postal/Zip (	Code:			Country	

Start Date:		End Date:
Graduation Date:		
Degree Type: JD, LLB, LLN	Л, Masters, Bachelors, Associates,	, Certificate:
Major:		
Completed Course of Stu If NO, why?	dy? □ Yes □ No	
Name of School:		
Accredited and by whom?	☐ Yes ☐ No	
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City:		State/Province:
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Accredited and by whom?	☐ Yes ☐ No			
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Name of School:				
Accredited and by whom?	☐ Yes ☐ No			
Address:				
City:		State/Province:		
Postal/Zip Code:		Country		
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Question No.	Question	Yes	No
Residentia	I/Personal History Information:		
12.	Are you a U.S. citizen?		
12.a.	If you are not a U.S. citizen, are you authorized by the United States government to work in the United States?		
13.	Have you been issued a United States driver's license within the past five years?		
	If <b>YES</b> , provide the following information:		
	State:		
	Date Issued:		
	License Status:		
	State:		
	Date Issued:		
	License Status:		
	State: Date Issued: License Status:		
	Applicants must provide an official driving record from the Department of Mot Public Safety in each jurisdiction where you have been licensed to drive or you the last five years. Driving records CANNOT be dated more than 30 days prior to application is filed if obtained prior to filing your application. Driving records of internet sources will only be accepted if they were obtained directly from the jofficial website. Driving records DO NOT need to be submitted at the time you application; records must be received prior to an applicant being approved to tadmission.	have resi o the dat otained th urisdictio submit yo	ded in e your nrough n's- our
14.	<b>Residential History</b> : Please complete the Residential History Form here and list residences where you have lived for 90 days or longer in the past ten years.	all the	
15.	What is your current marital status (married, single, divorced, separated)?		
15.a.	If currently married, provide the following information:		
	Marriage Date:		
	Marriage Location:		
	Spouse Full Name:		
16.	Have you ever been a named party to a civil union, divorce, marital separation, annulment or had a marriage set aside?  If YES, complete a FORM 16. Provide copies of all court documents, to include		

	petitions, complaints, separation agreements, parenting time/custody (if applicable), decrees, or final orders, and any other documentation relating to each termination of marriage or civil union. Supporting documents DO NOT need to be submitted at the time you submit your application; records must be received prior to an applicant being approved to take the oath of admission.		
17.	Have you ever been required or currently required to pay spousal support, alimony, maintenance or child support as a result of a termination of a civil union, divorce, annulment or other court proceeding?		
	If <b>YES</b> , complete a FORM 17. You will need to provide the name, last known address of your former spouse and/or child's(ren's) parent(s), and provide a notarized statement from the person to whom payments are made of your compliance with support payments, or a record of payment from the court/family registry through which payments are made, or final court order showing support has concluded.		
18.	Are you now or have you ever been a member of the armed forces of the United States including the National Guard or any of the reserve components, or of any foreign country? If YES, complete a FORM 18.		
19.	Have you ever had your name changed by marriage or civil union, divorce, court order, or been known by any other than a nickname or that which you entered in the application Profile Section of this application? If YES, state in full each name used and the dates that name was used. Provide a copy of the petition of name change and the final court order for the change. If no such court order exists, provide an explanation of what transpired.		
	Name used:	1	
	Date name used:		
	Court Ordered: ?   Yes  No  If not Court Ordered, reason for name change?		
	Name used:		
	Date name used:		
	Court Ordered: ? ☐ Yes ☐ No If not Court Ordered, reason for name change?		
	Name used:		
	Date name used:		
	Court Ordered: ?   Yes   No  If not Court Ordered, reason for name change?		
20.	Provide the following parent information (if deceased, so state and no addition would be required other than their name):	nal informa	ation
Parent 1 N	ame		
Designate	maiden name, if applicable in ()		

parenthese	es .		
Deceased		☐ Yes ☐ No	
Parent 1 A	ddress		
Parent 1 Ci	ty		
Parent 1 St	ate or Province		
Parent 1 Co	ountry		
Parent 1 Zi	p/Postal Code		
Parent 2 N	ame		
Designate	maiden name, if applicable in ()		
parentheses			
Deceased [		☐ Yes ☐ No	
Parent 2 Address			7
Parent 2 City			
Parent 2 St	ate or Province		
Parent 2 Country			
Parent 2 Zip/Postal Code			
Question		Question	
No.			
21.	Reserved		
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### <u>Section D — Applicant Character and Fitness</u>

It is proper for a state to require high standards of qualification, as long as the qualifications have a rational connection with the applicant's fitness or capacity to practice law. "Good moral character" entails honesty, respect for the rights of others and for the law, trustworthiness, reliability, and commitment to judicial process and to the efficient administration of justice. The character and fitness investigation process is the method by which the Colorado Supreme Court attempts to ensure that an applicant seeking full licensure meets minimum standards for admission to the bar.

Colorado LLPs and attorneys should be individuals whose records of conduct justify the trust of clients, adversaries, courts, and others with respect to the professional responsibilities owed to them. A license to practice law proclaims to the public that the holder has been found qualified to practice law in accordance with standards imposed by the Colorado Supreme Court, and that potential clients may therefore entrust their legal problems to the licensed individual. Every attorney and LLP applicant must undergo a thorough Character and Fitness Investigation.

If you answer "YES" to any of the questions, please complete the referenced Form related to the question and provide a detailed explanation of the underlying circumstances, consequences, and resolution. Information contained on applications for a license to practice law as an LLP in Colorado is confidential and may be released only under the conditions for release of confidential information established by C.R.C.P. 211. *See* C.R.C.P. 207.7(2). Lack of candor in responses may provide a basis for the Office of LLP Admissions to recommend the applicant appear for an inquiry panel interview with the Colorado Supreme Court Character and Fitness Committee. More information is available online <a href="here">here</a> about the Character and Fitness process.

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
22.	Are you currently the subject of any allegations, charges, complaints, disciplinary or grievance actions (formal or informal) and/or have you ever been suspended, censured, reprimanded, publicly or privately, or disqualified as an attorney, LLP, a member of any other profession, or as a holder of public office?  If YES, complete a separate FORM 22 for each incident. Duplicate FORM 22 as needed. Provide copies of the charge, complaint, or grievance and final		
	disposition from the appropriate disciplinary authority.		
23.	Have you ever been the subject of any formal allegations, charges, complaints or grievances (formal or informal) alleging that you engaged in the unauthorized practice of law, including any pending matters?		
	If <b>YES</b> , complete a separate FORM 23 for each allegation. Duplicate FORM 23 as needed. Provide copies of original charge, complaint or grievance and final disposition from the appropriate disciplinary authority.		

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
24.	Have you ever been accused of a violation of an honor code or student conduct code, warned or advised of any misconduct, accused of and/or investigated for any misconduct, placed on scholastic or disciplinary or any other form of probation, sanctioned, suspended, requested or advised to discontinue your studies, dropped, expelled or requested to resign or otherwise subjected to discipline by any college, law school or other post-secondary institution? If YES, complete a separate FORM 24 for each violation. Duplicate FORM 24 as needed. Provide copies of any and all relevant documentation contained in your student file.		
25.	Regardless of whether the record has been expunged, canceled, or annulled, or whether no record was made, have you ever been accused of cheating, plagiarism, or other academic dishonesty at any college, university, law school, or postsecondary institution you attended? If YES, complete a separate FORM 25 for each accusation. Duplicate FORM 25 as needed. Provide copies of any and all relevant documentation contained in your student file.		
26.	Have you ever been terminated, suspended, disciplined, or permitted to resign in lieu of termination from any job? If YES, complete a separate FORM 26 for each incident. Duplicate FORM 26 as needed. (If the employment was not previously listed, please add it to Question 8).		
27.	Have any decrees, judgments, liens, or orders (including child support, maintenance, alimony, or tax liens) ever been entered against you in favor of a creditor or other entity? If YES, complete a separate FORM 27 for each judgment, lien, decree or order. Duplicate FORM 27 as needed. Provide copies of judgment(s), and if satisfied, satisfaction(s) of judgment(s).		
28.	Within the past seven (7) years, have you been delinquent by more than 90 days in the payment of any debt, including student loans, had a credit card involuntarily revoked or canceled, a credit account involuntarily closed or any debt referred to a collection agency or "charged off" as not collectible? If YES, complete a separate FORM 28 for each incident. Duplicate FORM 28 as needed. Provide documentation substantiating any repayment arrangements, including verification of current pay status or satisfaction.		
29.	Do you currently have any outstanding tax liabilities (i.e. tax liens, distraint warrants, etc.) and/or have you ever failed to file federal, state, and/or local income tax returns since first becoming obligated to do so by law, excluding years not required to file based upon lack of income? If YES, complete a separate FORM 29 for each tax year you were delinquent. Duplicate FORM 29 as needed. Provide documentation substantiating any repayment arrangements, including verification of current pay status or satisfaction.		

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
30.	Have you ever filed for bankruptcy or for establishment of a wage earners plan? If YES, complete a separate FORM 30 for each bankruptcy petition filed. Duplicate FORM 30 as needed. Provide the petition for bankruptcy, schedule(s) of indebtedness, and order of discharge from the bankruptcy court.		
31.	Have you ever had a complaint or action (including but not limited to, allegations of fraud, deceit, misrepresentation, forgery, workplace misconduct, or malpractice) initiated against you in any administrative forum? If YES, complete a separate FORM 31 for each occurrence. Duplicate FORM 31 as needed. Provide a copy of the administrative record.		
32.	Have you ever been named a party to any civil action? If YES, complete a separate FORM 32 for each civil action. Duplicate FORM 32 as needed. Provide a copy of the original complaint, pleadings, judgments, and/or final orders. DO NOT INCLUDE DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS disclosed in Question 16.		
33.	Have you ever been held in contempt of court for any reason, have sanctions ever been entered against you or have you ever been disqualified from participating in any case? If YES, complete a separate FORM 33 for each occurrence. Duplicate FORM 33 as needed. Provide a copy of the order of contempt, sanction or disqualification.		
34.	Regardless of whether the record has been sealed, expunged, canceled or annulled have you ever been investigated, detained, arrested, cited for, charged with, or convicted, imprisoned, placed on probation or parole or forfeited collateral for any offense against the law or ordinance? Include matters that have been dismissed, expunged, sealed, subject to a diversion or a deferred prosecution program or otherwise set aside. You must report any incident you failed to appear for court. You must report any incident in which you were in violation of a court order (i.e. bond or probation violation, protection order). If YES, complete a separate FORM 34 for each offense/criminal case. Duplicate FORM 34 as needed. Provide a copy of the arresting agency's report; a copy of the charging document, complaint, indictment, citation, or information; disposition or sentencing order; appeal, if any; and substantiating documentation reflecting completion of court orders (i.e. community service, treatment, monitored sobriety). Matters involving alcohol- or drug-related traffic violations should be reported in response to Question 35 and on FORM 35.		

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
35.	Have you ever been cited for, arrested for, charged with, or convicted of any alcohol- or drug-related traffic violation? You must report any failure-to-appear charges resulting from the offense(s). Include matters that have been dismissed, expunged, sealed, subject to a diversion or a deferred prosecution program or otherwise set aside. You must report any incident you failed to appear for court. You must report any incident in which you were in violation of a court order (i.e. bond or probation violation, protection order). If YES, complete a separate FORM 35 for each DUI/DWAI/DWI case. Duplicate FORM 35 as needed. Provide a copy of the arresting agency's report; a copy of the charging document, complaint, indictment, citation, or information; disposition or sentencing order; appeal, if any; and substantiating documentation reflecting completion of court orders (i.e. community service, treatment, monitored sobriety).		
36.	Have you been cited for, charged with, or convicted of any traffic violations during the past five (5) years, excluding parking violations? You must report any incident you failed to appear for court. If YES, complete a separate FORM 36 for each violation. Duplicate FORM 36 as needed. Traffic violations involving alcohol or drugs should be reported in response to Question 35 and on FORM 35.		

The following questions address recent mental health and chemical or psychological dependency matters. The purpose of these questions is to determine the current fitness of an applicant to practice law. Each applicant is considered on an individualized basis. The mere fact that an applicant is receiving support or treatment for their mental health or for chemical or psychological dependency is not, it itself, a basis on which an applicant is ordinarily denied admission to the Colorado bar. The Office of Attorney/LLP Admissions regularly recommends licensing of individuals who have demonstrated personal responsibility and maturity in dealing with mental health and chemical or psychological dependency matters.

The Office encourages applicants who may benefit from treatment to seek it. As indicated in the Rules Governing Admission to the Bar, all proceedings conducted pursuant to the Rules are confidential, with certain limited and enumerated exceptions. *See* Rule 211.1.

On occasion a license may be denied when an applicant's ability to function is impaired in a manner relevant to the practice of law at the time that the licensing decision is made, or when an applicant demonstrates a lack of candor by their responses. Protection of the public that will receive legal services underlies the licensing responsibilities assigned to the Office of LLP Admissions. Furthermore, each applicant is responsible for demonstrating that they possess the qualifications necessary to practice law. Your response may include information as to why, in your opinion or that of your treatment provider, your condition will not affect your ability to practice law in a competent and professional manner.

The Office of LLP Admissions does not, by its questions, seek information that is characterized as situational counseling, such as stress counseling, domestic counseling, and grief counseling. Generally, these types of counseling are not viewed as germane to the issue of whether an applicant is qualified to practice law.

Question No.	Question	Yes	No
37.	Have you ever been declared incompetent or had a conservator appointed to help to conduct your affairs?		
38.	Within the past five (5) years, have you exhibited any conduct or behavior that could call into question your ability to practice law in a competent, ethical, and professional manner? If YES, complete FORM 38. Duplicate FORM 38 as needed.		
39.	Do you currently have any condition or impairment (including, but not limited to, substance abuse, alcohol abuse, or a mental, emotional, or nervous disorder or condition) that in any way affects your ability to practice law in a competent, ethical and professional manner? As used in Question 39, "currently" means recently enough so that the condition or impairment could reasonably have an impact on your ability to function as an LLP. If YES, complete a FORM 39. Duplicate FORM 39 as needed.		
40.	If you answer to Question 39 is YES, are the limitations caused by your condition or impairment reduced or ameliorated because you receive ongoing treatment or because you participate in a monitoring or support program? If YES, complete a separate FORM 40 for each service provider. Duplicate FORM 40 as needed.		
41.	Within the past five (5) years, have you asserted any condition or impairment as a defense, in mitigation, or as an explanation for your conduct in the course of any inquiry, any investigation, or any administrative or judicial proceeding, by an educational institution, government agency, professional organization, or licensing authority; or in connection with an employment or termination procedure? If YES, complete FORM 41. Duplicate FORM 41 as needed.		
42.	Is there any additional information with respect to possible misconduct or lack of moral qualifications on your part, which is not otherwise disclosed by your answers in this application? If YES, describe in detail any such information on FORM 42. This is not meant to be used to supplement any information related to specifically asked application questions. That information should be included in the detailed explanation related to the specific question or as an Application Amendment once your application has been submitted.		

Applicant Name:	
Period of Employment:	Job Title:
From: To:	
Business Name and Mailing Address:	
Supervisor's Name and Title:	Supervisor's Phone Number:
Supervisor's Email:	
Employment Type:	☐ Current Employment
Full-Time □	
Part-Time □	If not current employment, reason for leaving:
Self-Employed $\square$	☐ Resigned
Internship/Externship	☐ Terminated
Course Credit Received? □Yes □ No	☐ Resigned in Lieu of Termination
Average Number of Hours per Week:	☐ Contract Period Ended
Using this time for LLP Exam Eligiblity? ☐ Yes	□ No
If YES, please provide a detailed description of respor	sibilities (please note that a Certification by the
Supervising Attorney will be required to verify Substa	

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#### AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE

I, (Applicant's Name)	, born on (date of birth)
at (City, State and Country of birth)	
following: I authorize and give my representatives, to conduct an investig make inquiries of third parties as the such information in the course of the C	a Licensed Legal Paraprofessional (LLP) in Colorado, hereby authorize, release, and consent to the consent to the Colorado Supreme Court Office of LLP Admissions, its agents, employees, and ation as to my character and fitness for LLP practice of law, and to request such information and Office of LLP Admissions deems necessary in its sole discretion. I further authorize the use of any ffice of LLP Admissions' investigation and evaluation of my character and fitness. I understand that see investigation are confidential and that I will not receive, and am not entitled to, a copy of the
educational and /or other institution h Office of LLP Admissions any such ir against me, formal or informal, pendi agents or representatives to inspect a response to any inquiry from any agen	on, firm, company, corporation, governmental agency, law enforcement agency, court, association, aving control of any documents, records, and other information pertaining to me, to furnish to the formation, including documents, records, bar association files regarding charges or complaints filed ag or closed, or any other pertinent data. I also permit the Office of LLP Admissions or any of its and make copies of such documents, records or other information, and on its own volition or in cy of the Colorado Supreme Court or of any other jurisdiction at any time in the future, to furnish to or records contained in my file. The records, however, will not include any information with respect otherwise authorized for release.
voluntary. The Office of LLP Admiss admission's investigation. I consent to	ursuant to the Federal Privacy Act of 1974, disclosure of my Social Security Number (SSN) is ions will use my SSN as necessary to avoid errors of identity and to expedite completion of the the disclosure by the Office of LLP Admissions of my SSN to such entities, agencies, and persons mation, including credit and tax records that require my SSN in order to identify me.
conduct and communications occurring character and fitness qualification, and and other information regarding an application.	ons, and its members, employees, and agents shall be immune from all civil liability for damages for g in the performance of and within the scope of their official duties relating to the examination, licensing of persons seeking to be admitted to the practice of law. Records, statements of opinion licent for admission to practice as an LLP communicated by an entity, including any person, firm or ce of LLP Admissions, or to its members, employees or agents, are privileged, and civil suits for instituted. Rule 202.5 C.R.C.P.
	ords Center, St. Louis, Missouri, or other custodian of my military record to release to the Office of copies from my military personnel and related medical records. This could include a photocopy of .
I authorize and direct any consumer-re Admissions for the purpose of conduct	porting agency to furnish a copy of my credit report to the Colorado Supreme Court Office of LLP ing a character and fitness investigation.
For the purpose of this release, the und	ersigned gives permission to use a photocopy of their signature on this form as an original signature.
	Signature of Applicant
State of ) ss.	
County of)	
On this day of	, in the year ofbefore me, (Notary's Name)
	e) personally known to me
or $\square$ proved to me on the basis of satisfies	factory evidence, to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and
acknowledged to me that they executed	the same in their authorized capacity, and that by their signature on the instrument the person
executed the instrument.	
	WITNESS my hand and official seal.
	Notary's Signature:
(SEAL)	Notary's Address:
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Applicant Name:	
Period of Employment:	Job Title:
From: To:	
Business Name and Mailing Address:	
Supervisor's Name and Title:	Supervisor's Phone Number:
Supervisor's Email:	
Employment Type:	☐ Current Employment
Full-Time □	
Part-Time □	If not current employment, reason for leaving:
Self-Employed $\square$	☐ Resigned
Internship/Externship □	☐ Terminated
Course Credit Received? □Yes □ No	☐ Resigned in Lieu of Termination
Average Number of Hours per Week:	☐ Contract Period Ended
Using this time for LLP Exam Eligibility? $\Box$ Yes	□ No
If YES, please provide a detailed description of respon	sibilities (please note that a Certification by the
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Question 14: Residential History Form for LLP Applicat	Question 14: Residential History Form for LLP Applications (duplicate as needed)				
Applicant Name:					
List all residential addresses where you have lived for the there are no gaps in time between residences in the proupon which the prior residence ended, the following marketidence. If you were without home or shelter for a peraddress and typing "Without Residence" in the address	evious ten years. This means that the month and year onth and year should be the starting point of the next eriod of time, you may indicate this by adding a new				
Please include this form with your completed LLP App	lication.				
Address, State, and Zip Code	Dates of Residence (mm/yy – mm/yy)				

#### Certification of Substantive Law-Related Employment Colorado Licensed Legal Paraprofessional

As proof of employment for each position, an applicant must provide a **Certification of Substantive Law-Related Employment** signed and certified by a work-supervising lawyer in support of an applicant's eligibility to sit for the Colorado Licensed Legal Paraprofessional licensure examination. **Please note** that requirements for work experience depend on which path the applicant is pursuing for eligibility; please review the employment eligibility requirements <a href="here">here</a> prior to completing this document.

l,		(name of supervising attorney), am a	
member in g	g00(	d standing of the Bar of Colorado, Attorney License No	
I hereby dec	clare	e the following regarding	
applicant fo	r lic	ensure as a Licensed Legal Paraprofessional (LLP):	
		pervising lawyer for the above-named applicant. The work performed under my by the applicant was:	
		ntive law-related practical experience work, defined as the supervised provision of legal or ated services to individuals other than the applicant including, but not limited to:	
	a.	drafting or substantively reviewing pleadings, legal documents, or correspondence;	
	b.	completing or substantively reviewing JDF forms;	
	C.	preparing reports or charts for Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) or litigation purposes;	
	d.	legal research for ADR or litigation purposes; and,	
	e.	interviewing litigants, parties, or witnesses.	
<b>Note</b> : Hours worked in a research capacity for a professor or others do not qualify. Internships and externships that provide academic credit to the applicant do not count as employment for eligibility.			
		lo Family Law Experience (defined as substantive law-related practical experience in lo family law or Colorado domestic relations practice, which includes any of the following:	
	a.	a legal separation, declaration of invalidity of marriage, or dissolution of a marriage or civil union;	
	b.	an initial allocation of parental responsibility ("APR") matter, including parentage determinations, that is not part of a dissolution of a marriage or civil union;	
	c.	modification of APR regardless of whether the initial APR was part of a dissolution of a	

Note: In counting hours worked for the Colorado Family Law Experience requirement, hours worked on

e. responding to motions for remedial contempt citations under C.R.C.P. 107.

marriage or civil union, or modification of child support and/or maintenance;

d. protection orders, name changes, and adult gender designation changes; and,

members. Hours worked in a research capacity for a professor or others do not qualify. Internships and externships that provide academic credit to the applicant do not count as employment for eligibility. 2. Please check one: ☐ As this applicant's supervising lawyer, I personally directed, approved, and had responsibility for the work performed by the applicant. ☐ The applicant performed work in support of multiple attorneys at our firm or organization. In my role at this firm or organization, I personally directed, approved, and had responsibility for a portion of the work performed by the applicant, and have conferred with all attorneys who personally directed, approved, and had responsibility for work performed by the applicant. 3. Within each of the previous five years from the date of this certification the applicant performed the indicated number of hours of substantive law-related practical work for my law firm or organization (provide information for the applicable years of employment with your firm or organization, but no more than 60 months from the date of this certification): Start Date (MM/DD/YYYY) End Date (MM/DD/YYYY) Number of Hours 4. Within each of the previous five years from the date of this certification the applicant performed the indicated number of hours of substantive law-related practical work in the area of Colorado family/domestic relations law for my law firm or (provide information for the applicable years of employment with your firm or organization, but no more than 60 months from the date of this certification): Start Date (MM/DD/YYYY) End Date (MM/DD/YYYY) Number of Hours ☐ Check this box if the applicant's hours of Colorado family law/Colorado domestic relations practice are included in the total hours in item #3 above.

other types of matters do not count, even if the factual basis involves disputes or legal issues among family

## **CERTIFICATION**

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Colorado that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this day of	, 20			
at	(City),	(State).		
Certifying Attorney's Full Name (First, Middle,	Last):			
Signature:				
Firm/Organization Name and Address:				
Certifying Attorney's Email Address:				
Certifying Attorney's Phone Number:				