

Dear Applicant:

The University of Washington Native American Law Center (UW NALC) provides legal representation for eligible persons appearing in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice for Youth in Need of Care cases. You are scheduled to appear in a Youth in Need of Care case in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice.

To be eligible to receive our services you must meet the criteria listed below:

- (1) be a parent who is a party in a Youth in Need of Care case or a member of the Muckleshoot Tribe eligible to intervene in such a case;
- (2) income eligible;
- (3) not currently represented by an attorney; and
- (4) request legal representation.

If eligible, this service is provided at no cost. If you wish to apply for legal representation, please complete the attached intake form for representation services in Youth in Need of Care cases and the financial eligibility form. Bring both of the completed forms to your next court date.

In the interim, please feel free to call me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

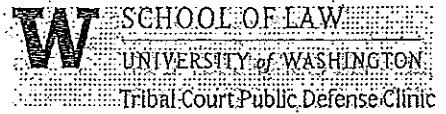


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APPLICANT (CIRCLE ONE):

MOTHER FATHER INTERVENOR



**MUCKLESHOOT PUBLIC REPRESENTATION SERVICES
CLIENT INTAKE DATA FORM**

1. Date of Application: _____ Data Form Completed by: _____
2. Applicant Name (Last, First Middle): _____
3. Applicant Address (including Zip Code): _____
4. Children:
 - a) Name: _____ dob: _____
 Tribal Affiliation of child: _____
 Father name and Tribal Affiliation: _____
 Mother name and Tribal Affiliation: _____
 - b) Name: _____ dob: _____
 Tribal Affiliation of child: _____
 Father name and Tribal Affiliation: _____
 Mother name and Tribal Affiliation: _____
 - c) Name: _____ dob: _____
 Tribal Affiliation of child: _____
 Father name and Tribal Affiliation: _____
 Mother name and Tribal Affiliation: _____
5. Home Phone: _____ 6. Work /Message/Cell Phone: _____
7. Email: _____ Name of Caseworker: _____

Remainder to be completed by UW NALC Staff Attorney

Legal Eligibility - Date of Conflicts Check : _____

	Introductory Letter Sent?	Attorney wanted?	Financially Eligible?	Interests Aligned?
Mother				Yes / No
Father				Yes / No
Intervenor				Yes / No

Witnesses:	Date of Birth	Previously Represented?	Waiver Implemented?
			Yes / No
			Yes / No
			Yes / No



MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COURT OF JUSTICE
IN AND FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION
YOUTH COURT DIVISION
AUBURN, WASHINGTON

IN RE THE WELFARE OF,)
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Indian Children)
_____)

Case No. MUC-J-

FINANCIAL SCREEN FOR ELIGIBILITY

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1. Persons living in the same dwelling as you:

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____ Age: _____

Name: _____ Relationship to you: _____ Age: _____

2. Employment information:

The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe has passed a resolution requiring applicants to be below a specific income in order to qualify for public representation services in child welfare cases. In computing your income eligibility all income from those adults (persons over 18 years of age) living in your household will be counted. However, per capita receipts and income from trust assets will not be counted.

An attorney cannot represent you without the information requested below. Information provided will remain confidential unless Applicant requests its disclosure or it is required by the Court.

Applicants Name: _____ job _____ Annual income _____

Adult members of Applicants Household:

Name: _____ Job _____ Annual Income _____

Name: _____ Job _____ Annual Income _____

Name: _____ Job _____ Annual Income _____

Name: _____ Job _____ Annual Income _____