

## Court Psychology

is a group of county-funded psychologists, with our central office located in the Main Courthouse.

All of our Psychologists have a doctorate in Clinical Psychology, hold a valid Florida license, and have completed the Florida Forensic Examiner trainings.

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More information, including  
sample orders, available at:  
[http://www.pbcgov.org/  
publicsafety/justiceservices/  
pages/forensic-psychology.aspx](http://www.pbcgov.org/publicsafety/justiceservices/pages/forensic-psychology.aspx)

We are available to assist all lawyers and judges with court-ordered psychological evaluations. Examples of evaluations we complete are:

#### JUVENILE COURTS

- Psychological Evaluations in Delinquency Proceedings
- Competency to Proceed
- Parental and Child Evaluations in Dependency Proceedings

#### FAMILY COURTS

- Risk Assessment & Psychological Evaluations of Participants in Domestic Violence Cases

#### CRIMINAL COURTS

- Competency to Proceed and to Proceed Pro Se
- Evaluations of Intellectual Disability
- Mental Status at the Time of the Offense
- Risk Assessment and Conditional Release

#### GUARDIANSHIP EVALUATIONS

#### We are available to consult!

Please feel free to contact us if you are unsure whether to refer a specific person for evaluation or to see if we can provide the type of evaluation your client needs.

We are able to conduct **emergency evaluations**; please contact our office for appointment availability.

Our Psychologists are able to complete evaluations in several locations, making it easier for clients with limited transportation to participate. We do evaluations at:

- **Main County, South County, North County, and West County Courthouses**
- **Palm Beach County Main Detention Center and West Detention Center**
- Various mental health facilities, such as **Jerome Golden Center, JFK Medical Center North, South County Mental Health Center, and St. Mary's Medical Center**

