



LAW OFFICE OF PAMELA PARKER

Fearless Family Fund Grants

The Law Office of Pamela Parker recognizes and understands that not every family can easily afford the legal services necessary to protect their special needs child. As part of our mission to provide service to as many families as possible, we make available a limited number of grants for free or reduced price legal services.

What services are eligible for grants?

Fearless Family Fund Grants are available to cover the cost of legal fees for the following services:

- **Guardianship applications** for young adults with developmental disability or other disability that began in childhood. At this time, we can offer grants for legal fees only, so the estimated cost of court fees and ad litem costs (approximately \$1500) must be covered by the client. Ordinary legal fee is \$1750.
- **Estate planning for families with a special needs child.** Ordinary fees are:
 - Couple with multiple children and a special needs trust: \$3500 /Single person \$2500
 - Couple with only one child and a special needs trust: \$3000 / Single person \$2000
- **Special needs trust only.** Ordinary fee is \$1500.
- **General consultation on special needs issues.** If you don't know what you need or where to begin, or need guidance on a specific question related to your special needs child, a one – one and half hour consultation is the place to start. Ordinary fee is \$300.

How do I Apply?

Please fill out the attached application and submit for consideration. Grants are awarded based upon fund availability. If you are chosen for a grant, you will be given a window of time in which to schedule an appointment. If you are unable to begin legal services within the window given you may be asked to reapply for a grant at a later time.

Return completed applications to legal@parker counsel.com or mail to Law Office of Pamela Parker, PO Box 80205, Austin, TX 78708

Questions? 512-804-9934



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Grant Application

Name _____

Address, city, state _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Service applying for (circle choice):

Estate Planning: Couple w/kids Couple w/one child Single w/kids Single w/one child

Guardianship

Consultation

Amount of grant requested (for guardianship, applicant must be able to pay estimated court and ad litem cost of \$1500; for estate planning, applicant must pay a minimum of \$100)

For my choice above, I can afford to pay:

¼ of the ordinary fee \$ _____ ½ of the ordinary fee \$ _____

Another amount \$ _____

I can pay the minimum (\$100 for estate planning; no minimum fee for guardianship or consultation)

I certify that without the award of a Fearless Family Fund Grant I would be unable to obtain legal services without significant financial hardship. I understand that the award of a grant is discretionary and may be withdrawn if an ethical conflict of interest is discovered.

Applicant Signature

Date