

CJA eVoucher

Attorney User Manual

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Introduction

The CJA eVoucher System is a web-based solution for submission, monitoring and management of all Criminal Justice ACT (CJA) functions. The eVoucher program will allow for:

- On-line authorization requests by attorneys for service providers
- On-line voucher completion by the service provider or by the attorney acting for the service provider
- On-line voucher review and submission by the attorney
- On-line submission to the court

Unless the court has indicated otherwise, attorneys are generally required to create and submit vouchers for their service providers. The program includes the following modules:

Panel Management

 Allows attorneys to manage their own account information including address, phone, firm associations and applicable CLE credits.

Voucher & Authorization Request Submission

- Authorization requests by attorneys for expert services.
- Requests by attorneys for interim payment.
- Upload supporting documents to vouchers or authorization requests.
- Reports for attorneys to take an active part in monitoring costs.
- Automatic e-mail notification to attorney of approval or rejection of vouchers and authorization requests.

Browser Compatibility

- Windows: Internet Explorer 8 or newer are approved.
- Apple Macintosh: Safari 5.1 or newer is approved.
- Apple Mobile: Safari is approved (with limitations).
- Chrome, Firefox and other browsers may not be used with CJA.

Court Appointment

When an appointment is made, an email will automatically be generated by the program, and sent to the appointed attorney. The email will confirm the appointment and provide a link to the CJA eVoucher program.

Accessing the CJA eVoucher Program

Log in using your Username and Password you were provided, and CLICK It is suggested that you bookmark it for easier access.





USER LOGIN Western District of Pennsylvania Prod CJA

Existing user? Please lo	g in.
Username:	
Password:	
,	Log In
Forgot your login?	

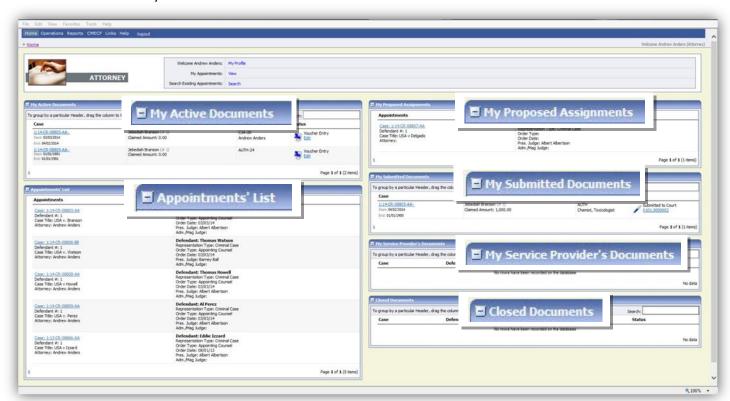
If you forget your username or password, **CLICK** the **Forgot your login?** hyperlink. Enter your Username or Email address, and CLICK Recover Logon to retrieve your information.



Home Page

Your home page provides access to all of your appointments and vouchers.

Security has been put into place that prohibits you from viewing information for any other attorney. Likewise, no-one else will have access to your information.



My Active Documents

Contains documents that you are currently working on or have been submitted to you by an expert service provider. These documents are waiting for action by you.

Appointments' List
My Proposed

Quick reference to all your appointments.

My Proposed Assignments

Cases will appear in this folder if an appointment has been proposed to you and you have not accepted or rejected the appointment.

My Submitted

Documents

PAWD MANUALLY APPOINT ATTORNEYS. This box will always display "No Data"

Contains vouchers for yourself, or for your service provider, which have been submitted to the court for payment. Documents submitted to the court requesting expert services or interim payments will also appear in this folder.

My Service Provider's Documents

Contains all the vouchers for your service providers.

This will include:

- Vouchers in progress by the experts
- Vouchers submitted to the attorney for approval and submission to the court
- Vouchers signed off by the attorney and submitted to the court for payment

Closed Documents

Contains documents that have been paid or have been approved by the court. Closed documents will only be displayed for open cases. When the appointment is completed, the closed documents will no longer be displayed on your homepage. They are still accessible through the appointment page.

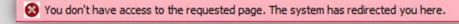
Navigating in the CJA eVoucher Program



Home The eVoucher home page. **Operations** Allows you to search for specific appointments. **Reports** Selected reports you may run on your appointments. **CMECF** Allows you to query the CM/ECF database, if enabled by your court. Links Hyperlinks to CJA resources: forms, guides, publications, etc. Provides: Help Another link to your Profile "Contact Us" e-mail **Privacy Notice** Logs user off the eVoucher program. Logout



The Search option is not a valid link. A Pop up will indicate that you have been redirected.



Customizing the Home Page

Customizing your home page allows you to alter the manner in which your information is displayed in the folders.

Expanding/Collapsing Folders: CLICK the plus sign it to expand a folder. CLICK the minus sign it to collapse a folder.

Moving Folders



Place your mouse pointer on the top edge of the folder you wish to relocate.

A crosshair icon will appear.



Drag the folder to the new location and release the mouse.

Sorting: CLICK the column heading (e.g., Case, Description, Type) to sort in either ascending or descending order.

Resizing of Column



Along the folder headings (e.g. case, defendant, type, etc.), move your cursor to the line between the columns until a double arrow \iff appears.

Step

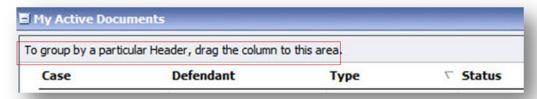
Drag the line in the desired direction to enlarge or reduce the column size.

Note:

The folder size does not increase; therefore, some columns may move off the screen.

Customizing the Home Page (cont'd)

Group by Column Heading: You may sort all the information within a folder by grouping documents by the column heading. All folders displaying the "Group Header bar" may be sorted in this manner.

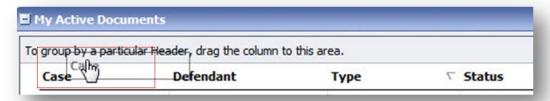




CLICK the header for the column you wish to group.

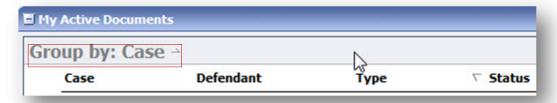
Step 2

Hold the cursor and drag the header to the "Group by Header" bar.



Step 3

Release the cursor and all the information in that folder will be grouped and sorted by that selection.



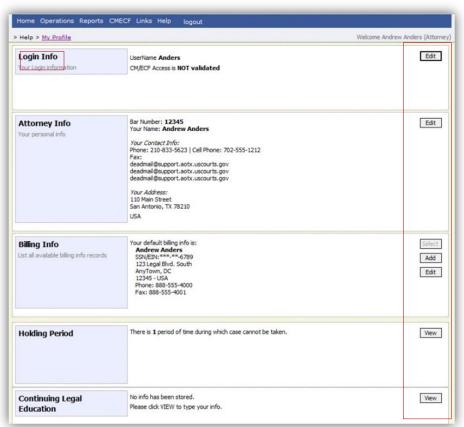
My Profile

In the My Profile section, the attorney may:

- Change password (Login Info section.)
- Edit contact information, phone, e-mail, physical address (Attorney Info section.)
- Update SSN or EIN numbers and any firm affiliation (Billing Info section.)
- Add a time period in which you will be out of office (Holding Period.)
- Document any CLE attendance (Continuing Legal Education section.)

CLICK the My Profile link from either the Home screen or the Help menu bar to open the "My Profile" page.





Changing My Profile Username and Password



CM/ECF Login

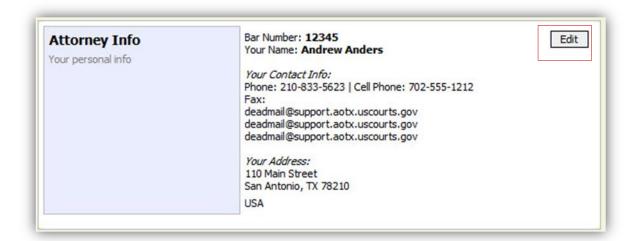
If your Court is allowing access to CM/ECF, log in using your CM/ECF Username/Password, and selecting validate. This will allow for synchronization between CJA eVoucher and CM/ECF. Once you've logged in, access will show as validated.



Attorney Info



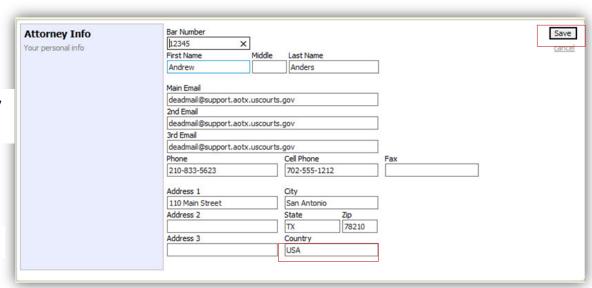
Under the
Attorney Info
section, click the
Edit button to
access your
personal
information.







Click Save.



Note:

- The Country field will automatically populate USA, unless otherwise entered.
- You may list as many as three Email addresses. Notifications from eVoucher will be sent to all Email addresses.
- You MUST do a new W-9 form for address or firm changes. Submit the W-9 form to the CJA Administrator (Tonya Galloway-McKenzie) by email, fax or mail.

Billing Info

Step 1

Under the **Billing Info** section, click **Add** if no billing information is available.



Step 2 Click **Edit** if you wish to change the information already entered.

Note:

- You must have billing information entered before any payments can be made.
- The SSN/EIN is used when reporting income to the IRS.
- You may use the Copy Address from Profile checkbox if your billing address is the same as your Attorney Info address.

Step 3

Make any necessary changes and click **Save**.



Continuing Legal Education

Step 1

Under the Continuing Legal Education section, click the View button to access your CLE information.



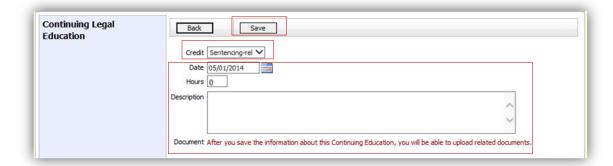
Step 2

To add CLE information, click Add.



Step 3

Click the **Credit** dropdown menu to select CLE categories.



Step 4

Enter the **Date**, the number of **Hours**, and a **Description**.

Step 5

Click Save.

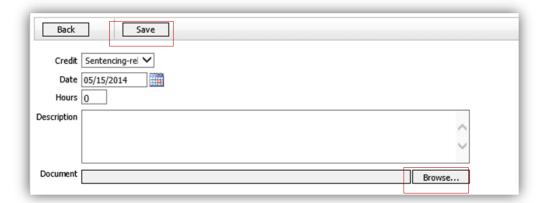
Note:

After information is saved, you'll be able to upload related PDF documents.

Continuing Legal Education (cont'd)



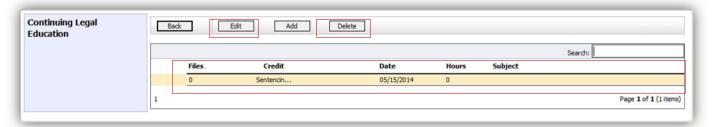
Click **Browse**, to upload and attach a PDF document.





Click Save.

All entries will be appear in the grid and can be accessed, edited, or deleted by selecting the entry and choosing an action button.



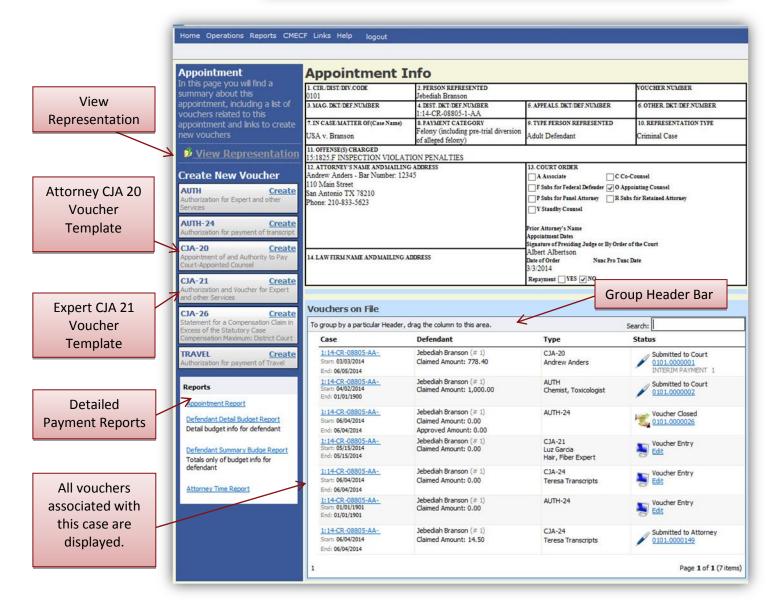
Appointment's List

Locate the **Appointments** section under the Appointment's List on your home page.



Click the case number hyperlink to open the **Appointment** page.





View Representation

The View Representation information will display:

- Default excess fee limit
- Presiding judge
- Magistrate judge
- Co-counsel
- Previous counsel



From the Appointment page open, click **View Representation**.







Click $\mbox{\bf Home}$ on the Menu bar at the top of the page.

CJA 20 Voucher Process Overview

Attorney enters time/expenses and submits voucher Voucher audited by Court CJA Unit

Voucher review and approval (or rejection) by Court

Voucher processed for payment by Court

Creating the CJA 20 Voucher

The Court creates the appointment. The attorney will initiate the CJA 20 voucher.

Note:

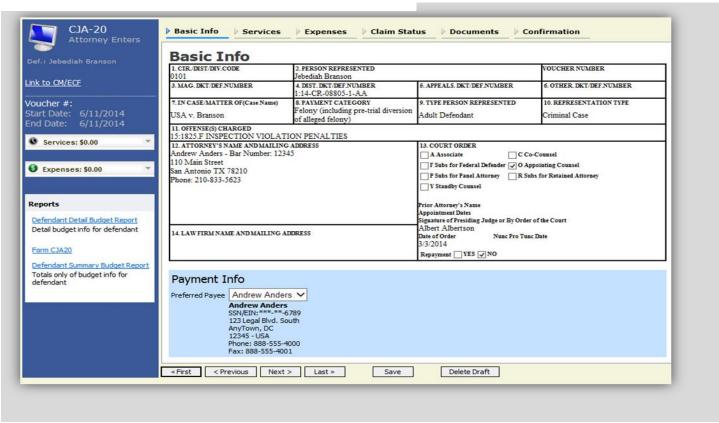
All voucher types and documents function primarily the same.



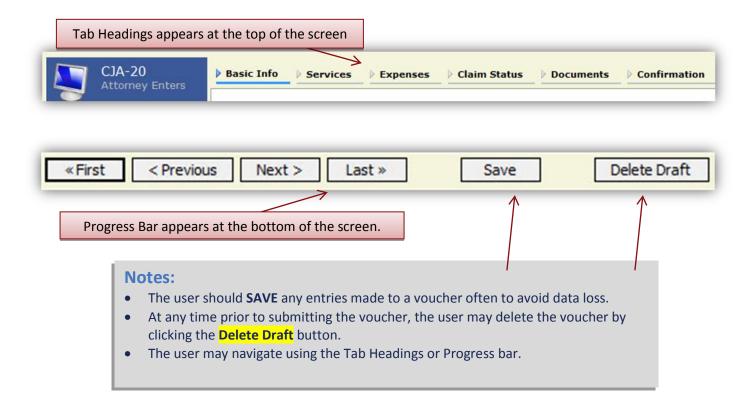
From the **Appointment** page click **Create** from the CJA 20 Voucher template.

CJA-20 <u>Create</u>
Appointment of and Authority to Pay
Court-Appointed Counsel

The voucher opens to the **Basic Info** page which displays the information in the paper voucher format.



Creating the CJA 20 Voucher (cont'd)



Note: Quick Tip before you start Step Two

Advance to the Claim Status tab and set the Claim Start Date to the first date of service or expenses billed (it will default to the current date). You may then enter your expenses in the Services and Expenses tab and save your work. You may continue to add items and edit the voucher until you are ready to submit the claim to the court.

Entering Services

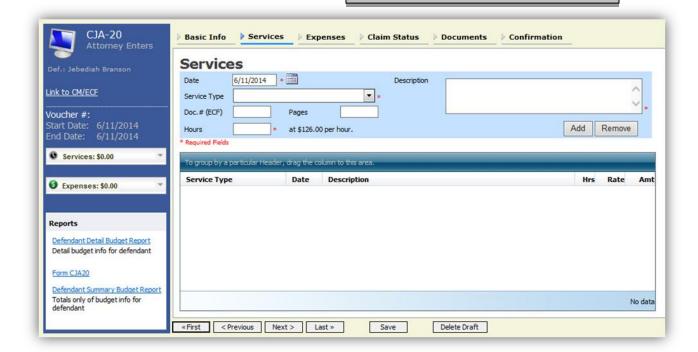
Line item time entries should be entered on the Services tab. Both In-Court and Out-of Court time should be recorded on this screen.



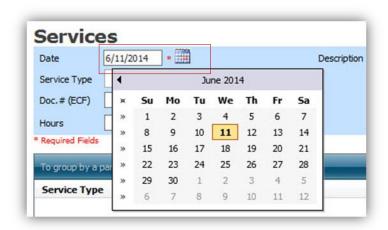
Click the **Services** tab or click the **Next** option located on the Progress bar.

Note:

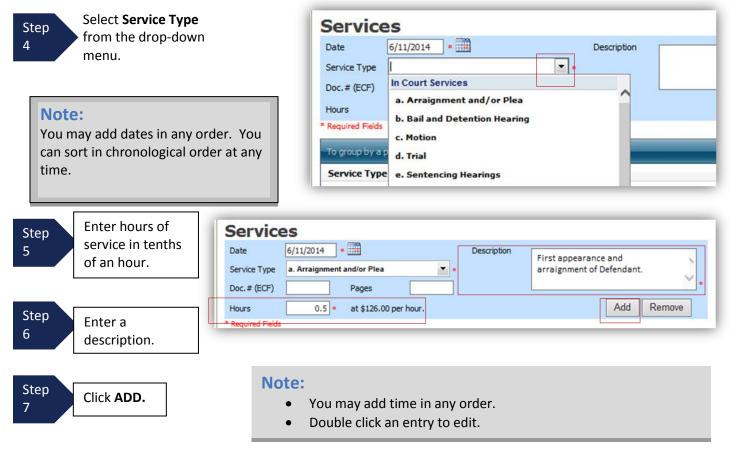
There is **NOT AN AUTOSAVE** function on this program. You must click **SAVE** periodically in order to save your work.



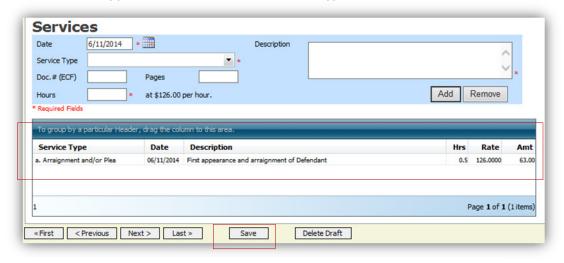
Step 3 Enter the date of the service. The default date is always the current date. You may type in the date or click the calendar icon to select a date from the pop-up calendar.



Services (cont'd)



The entry will be added to the voucher and appear at the bottom of the Service Type section.



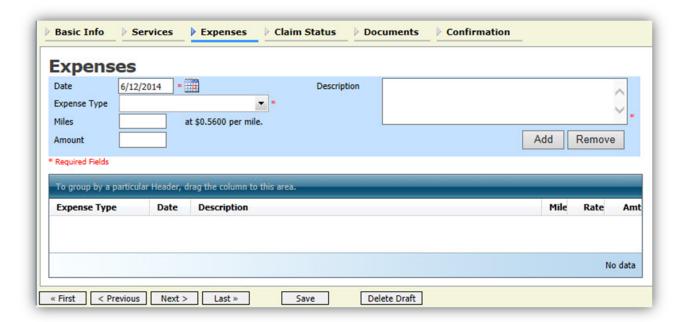
Step Click the **Date** header. This will sort services according to date.

Step Click **Save**.

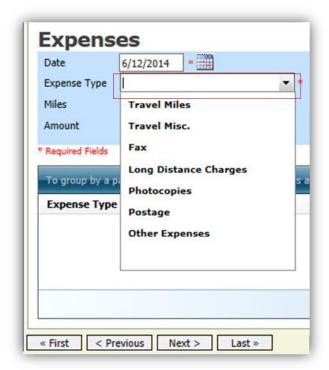
Entering Expenses



Click the **Expenses** tab or click the **Next** option located on the Progress bar.

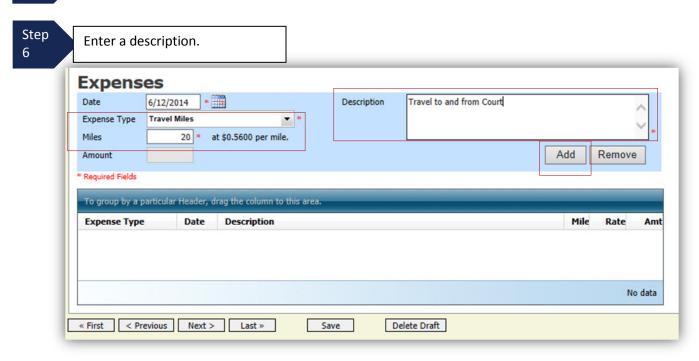


Step 2 Enter the Expense Type from the Expense Type drop-down menu.



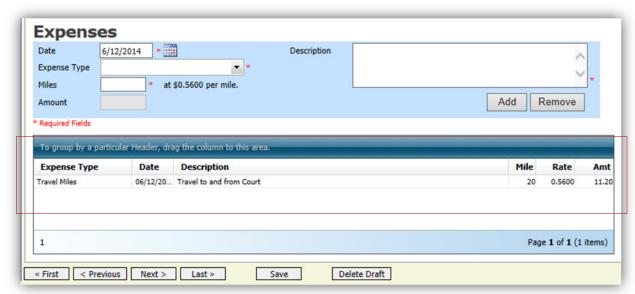
Entering Expenses (cont'd)

Step 3 If Travel Miles is chosen, enter the round trip mileage.



Step 4 Click **ADD**.

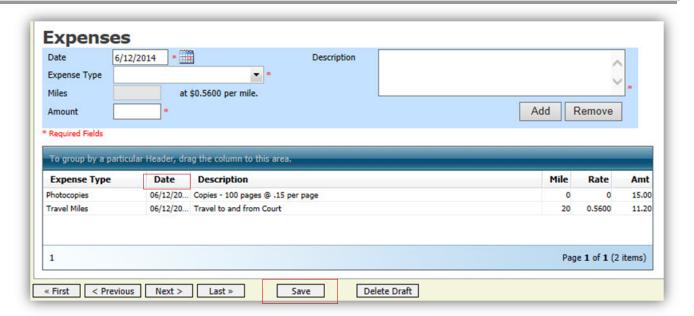
The entry will be added to the voucher and will appear at the bottom of the Expense Type section.



Entering Expenses (cont'd)

Notes:

- If Photocopies or fax expenses are chosen, indicate the number of pages, and the rate charged per page.
- Remember to click ADD after each entry.
- Double click an entry to edit.



Step 5

Click the **Date** header. This will sort expenses according to date.

Step 6

Click SAVE.

Claim Status

Once you begin entering data on the Services and/or Expenses tab, you may receive what looks like an error message:

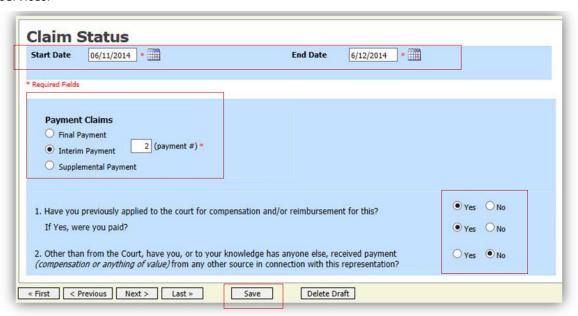
Service and/or Expenses are out of the Voucher Start and End Dates.

The message will be removed when you complete the **Claim Status** section with start and end dates which include all service and expenses dates for the voucher.

Step 1

Click the Claim Status tab or click the Next option located on the Progress bar.

Step 2 Enter the start date from the services or expenses entries, whichever date is earliest. If need be, go back to the **Expense** and **Service** sections, and click the **Date** header to sort showing the earliest date of services.



Step 3

Indicate payment type.

Note:

- Final Payment is requested after all services have been completed.
- Interim Payment allows for payment in segments. If using this type of payment indicate the number of this request payment. You must keep track of your interim payment number.
- After Final Payment number has been submitted, Supplemental Payment may be requested due to a missed or forgotten receipt.

Step 4

Answer all the questions regarding previous payments in this case.

Step 5

Click SAVE.

Upload

All documents must be submitted in PDF

format, and must be 10 MB or less.

Documents

Description

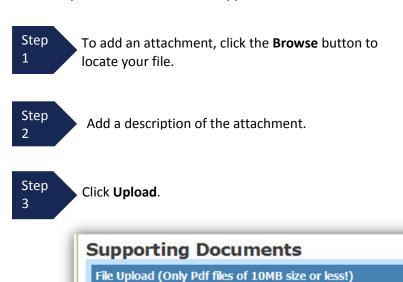
Step

Click SAVE.

Attorneys (as well as the Court) may attach documents.

Attach any documentation which supports the voucher, i.e. travel or other expense receipts, orders from the Court.

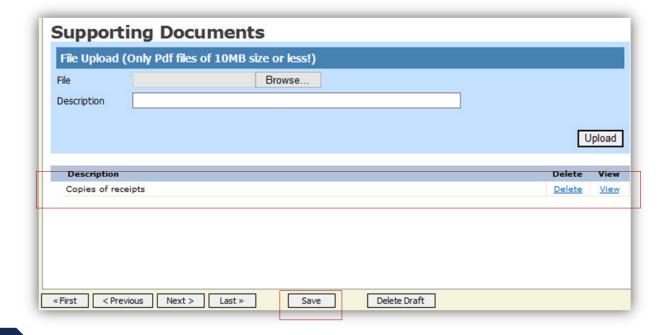
Note:



Copies of receipts

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The attachment and description is added to the voucher and appears in the bottom of the Description section.



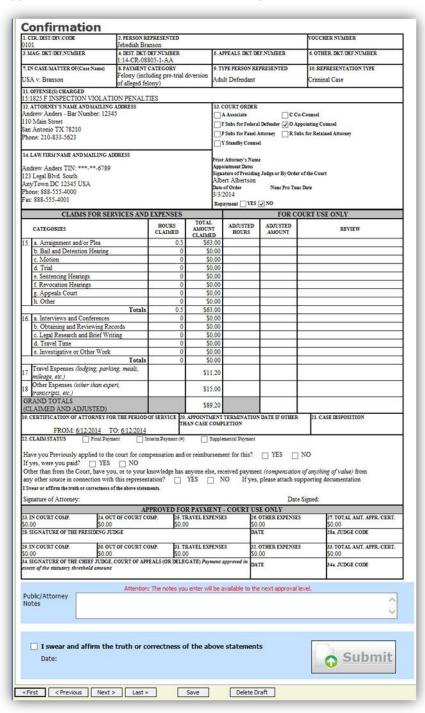
Signing and Submitting to Court

When you have added all voucher entries, you are ready to sign, and submit your voucher to the Court.



Click Confirmation tab or the Last option located on the Progress bar.

The Confirmation screen appears which reflects all entries from the previous screens.



Signing and Submitting to Court (cont'd)



Verify the information is correct.



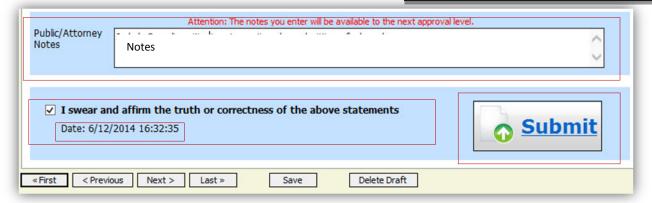
Scroll to the bottom of the screen.

Step 4

Check the box to swear and affirm to the accuracy of the voucher. The voucher will automatically be time stamped.

Note:

You may include any information to the Court in the Public/Attorney Notes section.





Click Submit to send to the Court.

A confirmation screen will appear indicating the previous action was successful and the voucher has been submitted for payment.

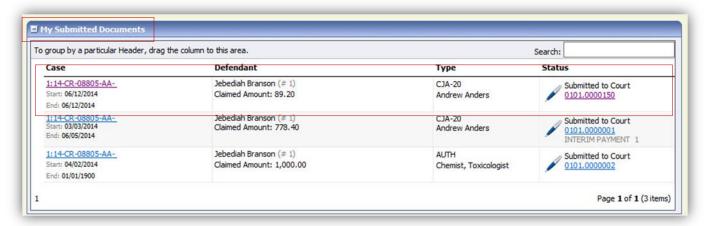


Step 6

Click **Home Page** to return to the home page. Click **Appointment Page** if you wish to create additional document for this appointment.

Signing and Submitting to Court (cont'd)

The active voucher is removed from the "My Active Documents" folder and now appears in the "My Submitted Documents" section.



Edit Voucher

You can work on your voucher over time adding services, expenses and documents as needed.

To edit a voucher:

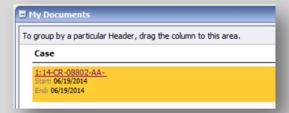
- Click on "Edit" for the voucher you want to access.
- Make your additions to the voucher following the instructions above for entering services and expenses.
- Remember to **Save** the voucher each time you work on it.

Returned Voucher

If the Court needs to return a document for corrections, an email will be generated and sent by the system notifying you of the reason the document is being returned and any instructions from the Court.

Notes:

• If a voucher is rejected by the Court, it will reappear in the "My Documents" section and will be highlighted in gold.



- Click on the Case Number to access the voucher.
- The Court's notes can be found on the Confirmation page.
- Make the corrections and resubmit to the Court.
- Email message generated by the system will be sent explaining what corrections need to be made.

CJA 20 Quick Review Panel

When entering time and expenses in a CJA 20 voucher, the attorney may monitor the voucher totals using the quick review panel on the left side of the screen.

 The Services and Expenses will tally as entries are entered into the voucher.



 Expand the item by clicking on the down arrow (*) to reveal specifics.

Note:

Once you see your voucher will exceed the statutory limit, you MUST do a CJA 26 form. Vouchers without prior authorization will be rejected back to you. Also, if you know in advance your case will exceed the statutory limit submit a CJA 26 form.

See instructions for Creating a CJA 26 Form Page 33



Reports and Case Management

At the start of a case, it may be difficult for counsel or the court to know whether a case has the potential to exceed the statutory maximum (\$800) allowed for representation.

Therefore, attorneys are encouraged to monitor the status of funds, attorney hours as well as expert services, by reviewing the reports provided in the CJA eVoucher program. Items to remember:

- Viewable reports appear on the left review panel.
- Each panel, depending upon which document you are viewing, can have different reports available.
- Each report can have a short description of the information received when viewing that report.
- The two main reports are the Defendant Detail Budget Report and the Defendant Summary Budget Report.



Other accessible reports can be found on the Menu bar.



Defendant Detailed Budget Report

This report will reflect the total amount authorized for this representation, any excess payment allowed, the vouchers submitted against those authorizations, and the remaining balances.

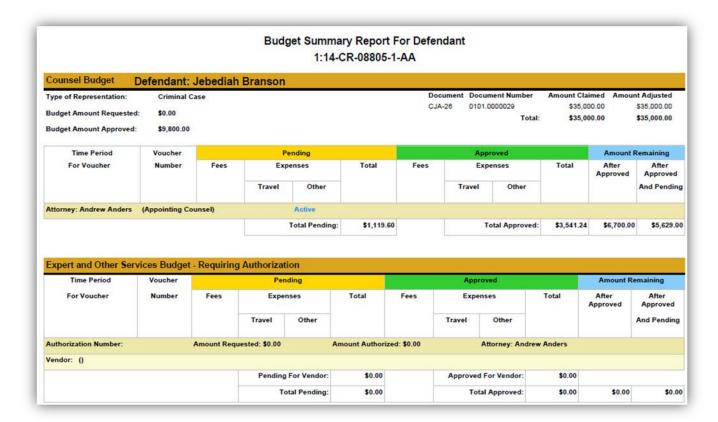
The report will provide the information in two sections: Attorney appointment and authorized expert service.

				1:14-CI	R-08805-1-/	AA					
Counsel Budget [Defendant: J	ebediah B	ranson								
Type of Representation: Budget Amount Requested Budget Amount Approved:		se .				Docum CJA-26	0101.000		Amount Clai \$35,00 \$35,00		st Adjusted \$35,000.00 \$35,000.00
Time Period For Voucher	Voucher		Pen	ding			Appro	ved	Amount Remaining		
	Number	Fees	Expenses		Total	Fees	Expenses		Total	After Approved	After Approved
			Travel	Other			Travel	Other			And Pendin
Attorney: Andrew Anders	(Appointing Cour	nsel)	1	Active		10					
01/01/1901 to 01/01/1901		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$9,800.00	\$9,800.0
12/21/2008 to 01/30/2009	0101.0000027	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$3,100.00	\$428.74	\$12.50	\$3,541.24	\$6,700.00	\$6,700.0
03/03/2014 to 06/05/2014	0101.0000001	\$756.00	\$22.40	\$0.00	\$778.40	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,700.00	\$5,944.0
08/12/2014 to 08/12/2014	0101.0000150	\$63.00	\$11.20	\$15.00	\$89.20	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,700.00	\$5,881.0
05/01/2014 to 06/17/2014		\$252.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$252.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$6,700.00	\$5,629.0
			Total Pending:		\$1,119.60		Total Approved:		\$3,541.24	\$6,700.00	\$5,629.0

	Voucher		Pending				Approved					Remaining	
	Number	r Fees	Expenses		Total	Fees		Expenses		Total	After Approved	After Approved	
			Travel	Other			Trav	ivel	Other			And Pending	
Vendor: Luz Garcia (Hair,	Fiber Expert)					Approved	Amount: \$8	800.00			Attorney: A	ndrew Ander	
05/15/2014 To 05/15/2014		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	S	0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$800.00	\$800.00	
			Т	otal Pending:	\$0.00			Tota	al Approved:	\$0.00			
Time Period		Pending				Approved					Amount Remaining		
For Voucher	Number	Fees	Expenses		Total	Fees		Expenses		Total	After Approved	After Approved	
			Travel	Other			Trav	rel	Other			And Pending	
Vendor: Abraham Astley (Interpreter Transl	ator)				Approved	Amount: \$8	800.00			Attorney: A	ndrew Anders	
01/20/2009 To 05/26/2010	0101.0000030	\$215.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$215.00	S	0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$800.00	\$585.00	
			Total Pending:		\$215.00	\$215.00		Total Approved:		\$0.00			
Grand Totals for the I NOTE: The Grand Totals include (CJA20 or CJA30 youchers	Counsel		Pending Expenses	To	tal Fe	es	Appr Expe	CO-VOICE	,	Fotal	Combine Approved an		
as vouchers for Expert or Services on CJA21 or CJA They represent the total su		Trave	el Oth	er			Travel	Ott	her		Fees	Fees and	
expenditures for this												Expenses	

Defendant Summary Report

This report contains the same information as the Detailed Report without the individual voucher data.



Creating a CJA 30 and 31 Vouchers

CJA 30 vouchers functions the same as a CJA 20 voucher other than they have a different "Service Type" drop down list on the "Services" page.



Note:

The court will enter the hourly rate approved by the Judge. The rate will be displayed on your "Services" page.

CJA 30 and 31 vouchers have a mandatory "Stage of Proceedings" drop-down box on the "Claim Status" page which the other vouchers do not have.

Claim Status



Creating a CJA 26 Voucher

This is a request and justification for expenses outside the statutory limits.



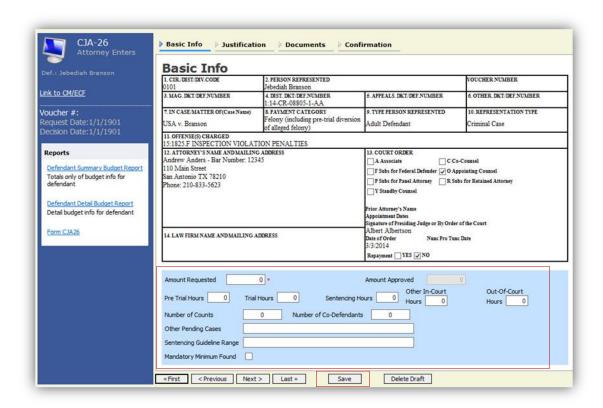
From the Appointment page click **Create** from the AUTH 26 Voucher template.



The voucher opens to the **Basic Info** page.

Note:

There is **NOT AN AUTOSAVE** function on this program. You must click **SAVE** periodically in order to save your work.



Step 2

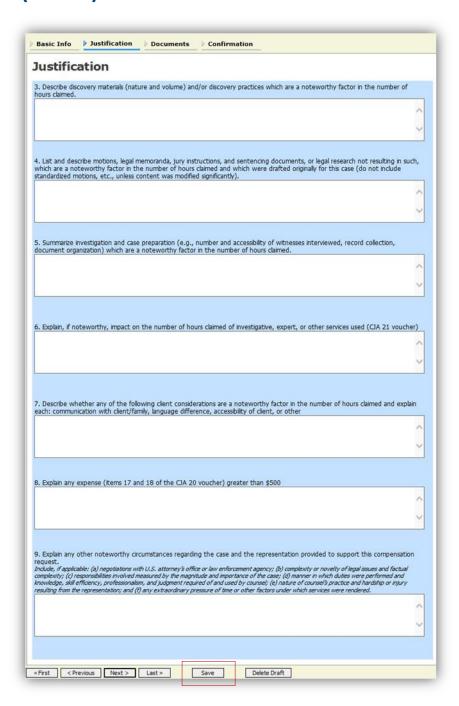
Enter the details for information required on the **Basic Info** screen.

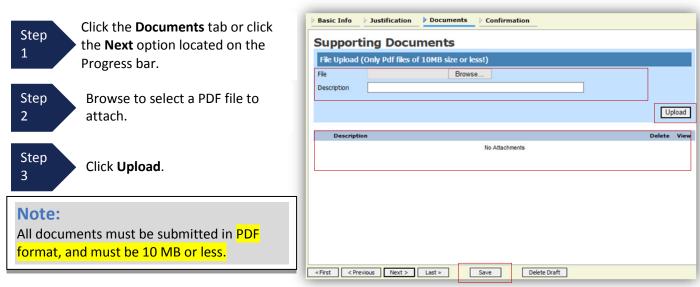
Step 3

Click Save.

Creating a CJA 26 Voucher (cont'd)







The Document will appear in the bottom of the Supporting Documents section.



A confirmation page will appear.



A confirmation screen will appear indicating the previous action was successful and the Authorization Request has been submitted.





The CJA 26 will now appear in the "My Submitted Documents" section.

Submitting an Authorization Request for Expert Services

All service providers must submit a W-9 form. Click on Links in the Toolbar and you can print a W-9 form. Please have your service provider fill out the form and fax, email or mail to the CJA Administrator (Tonya Galloway-McKenzie) prior to Creating the CJA 21. The service provider must be entered into the eVoucher system or you will not be able to submit a CJA 21 youcher.



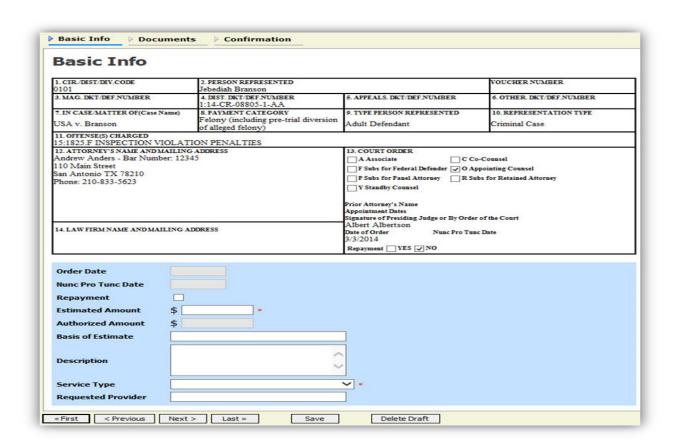
Open the Appointment record.



Click **Create** from the Authorization template.



The **Basic Info** screen will open.



Note:

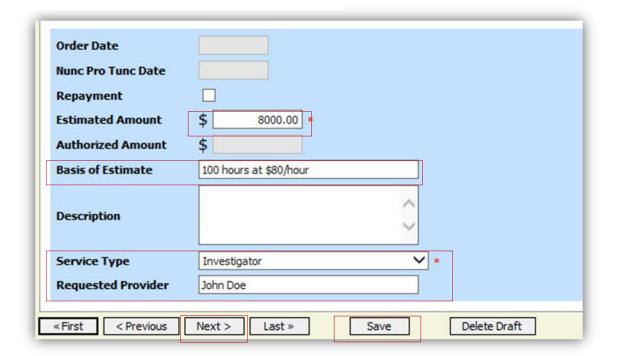
There is **NOT AN AUTOSAVE** function on this program. You must click **SAVE** periodically in order to save your work.

Submitting an Authorization Request for Expert Services (cont'd)



Complete the information in the blue section at the bottom of the screen. This to include:

- Estimated Amount
- **Basis for Estimate**
- Service Type from drop-down
- Name of Service Provider



Step

Click Save.



Click the **Supporting Documents** tab or click the **Next** option located on the Progress bar.

Submitting an Authorization Request for Expert Services (cont'd)

Adding Attachments



To add the attachment, click the **Browse** button to locate your file.

Note:

Documents are limited to PDF files, and must be 10 MB or less.

Step 2

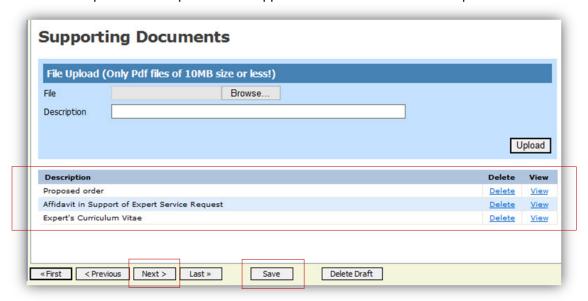
Add a description of the attachment.

Step 3

Click Upload.



The attachment and description will be uploaded and appear in the bottom of the Description section.



Step 4

Click SAVE.

Submitting an Authorization Request for Expert Services (cont'd)

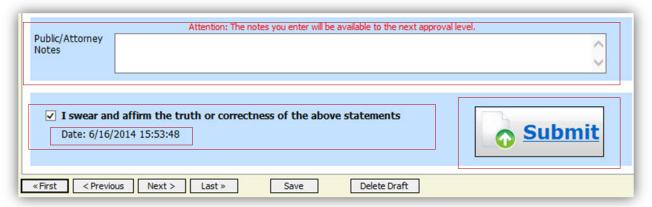


The Confirmation screen will open.

Step 6 Check the box to swear and affirm to the accuracy of the voucher. The voucher will automatically be time stamped.

Note:

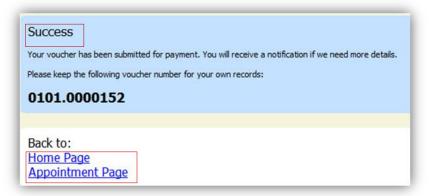
You may include any notes to the Court in the Public/Attorney Notes section.





Click Submit to send to the Court.

A confirmation screen will appear indicating the previous action was successful and the Authorization Request has been submitted.





Click **Home Page** to return to the home page. Click **Appointment Page** if you wish to create additional document for this appointment.

The Authorization Request will now appear in the "My Submitted Documents" section on the Attorney home page.

Linking an Authorization to a CJA 21 Voucher

After your authorization has been approved by the judge, the authorization will appear in your Closed Voucher's panel. You may click the voucher number hyperlink to view the voucher if desired.

Step 1

Select your appointment.

To create the CJA-21 Voucher and link it to the authorization, click the case number hyperlink of your defendant in the My Appointments panel.

Figure 1: Home Page – Appointment List



Step 2

Create CJA21.

On the appointment screen, click the Create CJA 21 link on the left panel.

Figure 2: Appointment Info



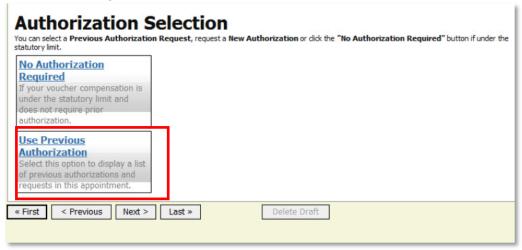
Linking an Authorization to a CJA 21 Voucher (cont'd)



Authorization Selection

The Basic Info screen will give you the options of No Authorization Required or Use Previous Authorization. Click Use Previous Authorization.

Figure 3: Authorization Selection



Notes:

The system will search and display any Existing Requests for Authorization.



Select Authorization

Figure 4: Authorization Selection

First Name Middle Name Last Name *

Email *

SSN/EIN: *

Phone *

You must click the authorization listed and it will change color to yellow.

Existing Requests for Authorization

ID Number: 139
Order Date: 01/02/2014
Authorized Amount: 0

Service Type: Pathologist, Medical
Examiner
Estimated Amount: 1000
Requested Provider: Marcus Welby
MD

New Voucher Information

Service Type

Description

Voucher Assignment

© Attorney © Expert
This indicates who will be responsible for filling the voucher claim part

Service Provider
You can search one of the service providers already in the system
OR you can enter the required information for another provider

Expert

Expert

**Total Control of the Service Provider already in the system
OR you can enter the required information for another provider

The application will automatically pull up existing requests for authorization, but you must click it and have it turn golden yellow before you will be able to fill in the new voucher information.

Linking an Authorization to a CJA 21 Voucher (cont'd)



Fill in the New Voucher Information.

You may search for an existing expert or fill in the information for another provider.

Figure 5: New Voucher Information



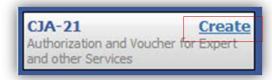
Notes:

- If the Service Provider or Expert has rights to enter their own expenses, the radio button selection for Voucher Assignment will become active, and you will choose if you or the expert will be filling in the service fees on the voucher.
- All CJA21 Vouchers, whether created and submitted by you or by the expert, will then move back to your Home page in the My Service Providers' Voucher folder. You must "sign" the completed CJA21 again to submit it on to the court for processing.

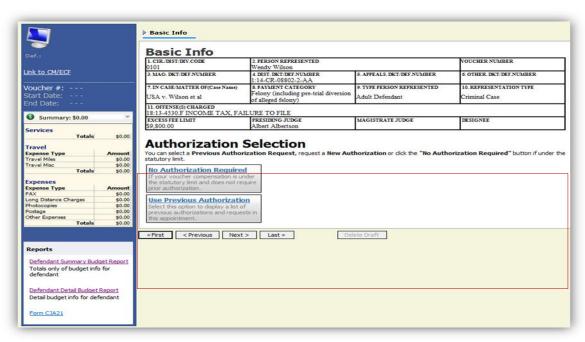
Creating a CJA 21 Voucher



From the **Appointment** page click **Create** from the CJA 21 Voucher template.



The voucher opens to the **Basic Info** page.



When submitting a CJA 21 voucher you'll have two options to choose from under the Authorization Selection.

If the request does not require advance authorization (\$800 or less), click on the No Authorization Required option.

Step 2

If you have a previous authorization received through an order from the Court, click on the Use Previous Authorization option.

Note:

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If you CLICK "Use Previous Authorization" a list of Existing Requests for Authorization will appear.



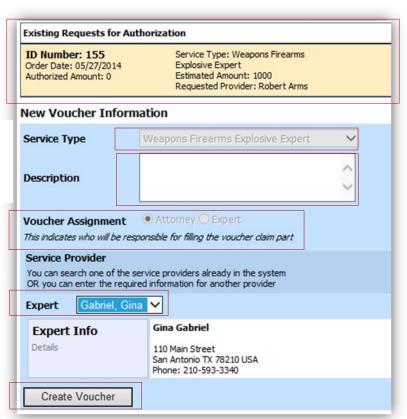
Select the authorization you wish to use by clicking it. The selected authorization will highlight in yellow. You will not be able to continue until it is highlighted.



The service type will rollover from the authorization selected. If no authorization is being used, use the drop-down box to select the service type.

Step 5

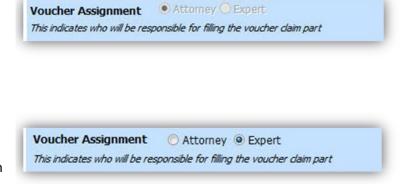
Enter a description of the service to be provided.



Step 6 Select the Expert.

If the Expert you selected is not authorized to use eVoucher, the Voucher Assignment field will remain locked indicating the Attorney will be responsible for filling the voucher claim part.

If the Expert you selected is authorized to use eVoucher, the Voucher Assignment field will unlock for you indicating the Expert will be responsible for filling in the voucher claim part.



Note:

Only experts registered with the service type selected will appear in the drop-down box. If you wish to submit a person for approval, steps on how to add an Expert are on page 45.

Step 7

Click Create Voucher.

Notes:

- If all information is not entered you cannot advance to the next screen.
- If the Expert you selected is authorized to use eVoucher you are done at this point and you may click Home or logout.
- If the Expert you selected is not authorized to use eVoucher you will file the voucher on behalf of the expert. The voucher will appear in the "My Active Documents" section as submitted to attorney. You will perform the second level of approval/submission by clicking on the voucher, navigating to the "Confirmation" page and approving the voucher. The voucher will then move to the "My Submitted Documents" section. Outlined steps are on pages 46-49.

If you wish to submit a person as an **Expert**, follow steps 3 through 5 on page 44.



From the **Expert** drop-down list, select the empty (null) value. Voucher Assignment should be on the Attorney option.



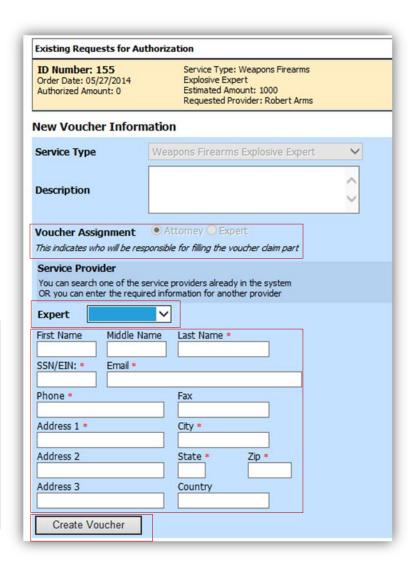
Fill in all required information on the person you wish to submit for approval.



Click Create Voucher.

Note:

- The person you submitted will go through an approval process. Once that person has been approved, an email will be sent to you.
- You'll now be able to select the person from the Expert drop-down list and all their information will automatically populate.



After **Create Voucher** has been selected, you'll proceed with similar steps mentioned on the CJA 20 Voucher adding Services, Expenses, Claim Status, and Documents.

Note:

If you have submitted the voucher for the expert, you'll need to approve the voucher twice, once while sending it for the expert, and a second time after it appears in the "My Active Documents" section.

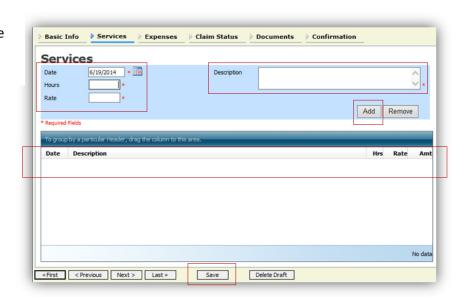
Step
1 Click the Services tab or click the
Next option located on the
Progress bar.

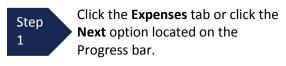
Step Enter the Date, Hours, Rate, and Description.

Step Click Add.

The item will appear in the bottom of the Services list section.





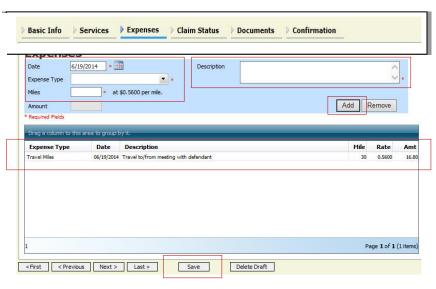


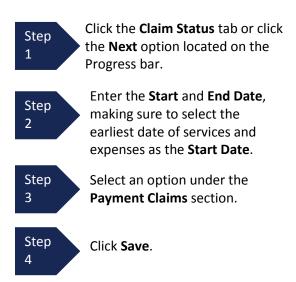
Enter the Date, Expense Type,
Description and Miles.

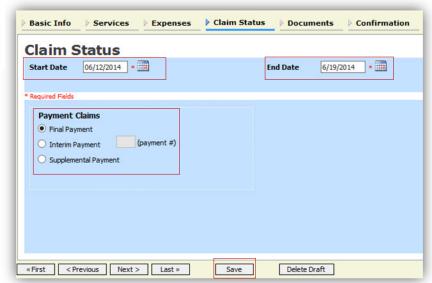
Step Click Add.

The item will appear in the bottom of the Expense Type section.



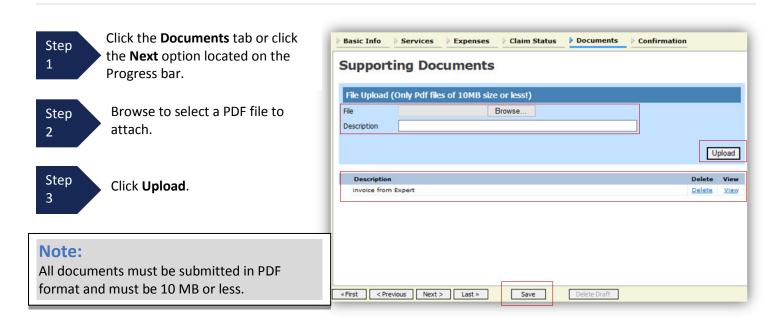






Note:

- Final Payment is requested after all services have been completed.
- Interim Payment allows for payment in segments, but each Court's practice may differ. If using this type of payment indicate the number of this request payment.
- After Final Payment number has been submitted, Supplemental Payment may be requested due to a missed or forgotten receipt.



The document will appear in the bottom of the Description section.



Click Save.

A confirmation page will appear.

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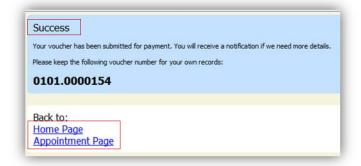




A confirmation screen will appear indicating the previous action was successful and the voucher has been submitted.

Click Home Page to return to the home page. Click Appointment
Page if you wish to create additional document for this

appointment.

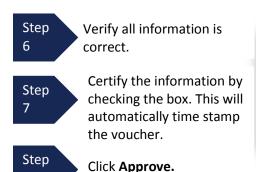


The case file will appear in the "My Active Documents" section.





Navigate to the Confirmation tab.

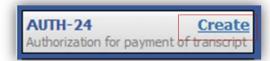




Creating an Authorizations for Transcripts (AUTH 24)



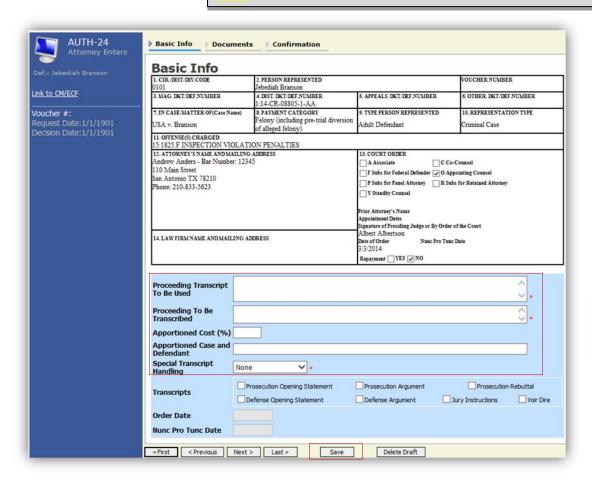
From the Appointment page click Create Auth 24.



The Authorization opens to the **Basic Info** page.

Note:

There is **NOT AN AUTOSAVE** function on this program. You must click **SAVE** periodically in order to save your work.



Step 2

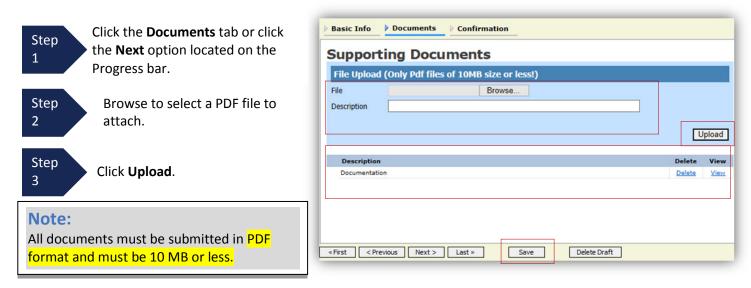
Enter the details for the transcript required on the **Basic Info** screen.

Step 3

Click Save.

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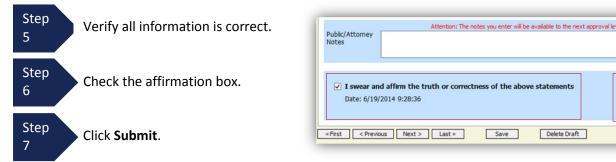
Creating an Authorization for Auth 24 Transcripts (cont'd)



The Document will appear in the bottom of the Description section.



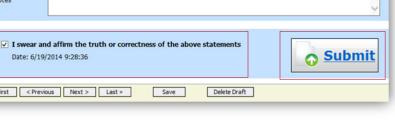
A confirmation page will appear.

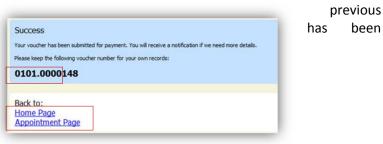


A confirmation screen will appear indicating the action was successful and the Authorization Request submitted.



Click Home Page to return to the home page. Click Appointment Page if you wish to create additional document for this appointment.





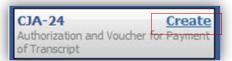
The Auth 24 will now appear in the "My Submitted Documents" section on the Attorney home page.

Creating a CJA 24 Voucher

After submission and approval of Auth-24, you can create the CJA 24 voucher for payment.



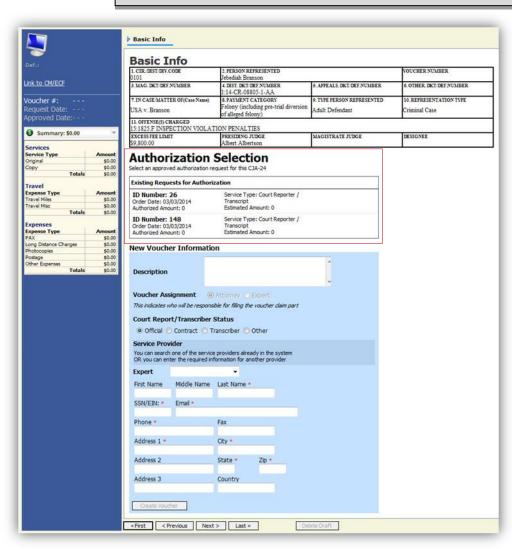
From the Appointment page click **Create** from the CJA 24 voucher template.



The Basic Info page will open, showing approved authorizations.

Note:

There is **NOT AN AUTOSAVE** function on this program. You must click **SAVE** periodically in order to save your work.



Step 2 Select the authorization you wish to use by clicking it, this will highlight it in yellow. You will not be able to move forward until it is highlighted.



Select the Voucher Assignment radio button indicating if you will be entering the information for the transcriptionist, or if the transcriptionist will do the expense entries.

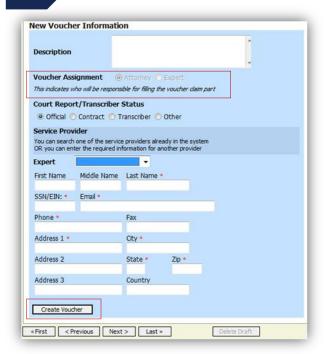
Authorization Selection Select an approved authorization request for this CJA-24 Existing Requests for Authorization		
ID Number: 26 Order Date: 03/03/2014 Authorized Amount: 0	Service Type: Court Reporter / Transcript Estimated Amount: 0	
ID Number: 148 Order Date: 03/03/2014 Authorized Amount: 0	Service Type: Court Reporter / Transcript Estimated Amount: 0	

Note:

You must select whether you, the attorney, or the court reporter will be filling the voucher claim portion.

Step 4

Click the Expert drop-down and select the transcriptionist.





Note:

- If entering a new court reporter into the system, select a blank drop-down and enter all required information.
- Selecting a court reporter already in the system will automatically populate that expert's information.

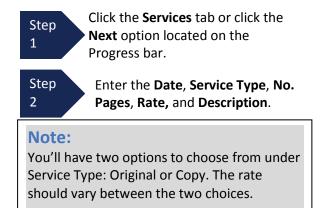
Step 5

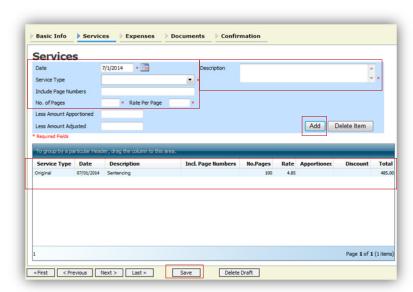
Click the Create Voucher.

Attorney Creates a CJA 24 Voucher for the Court Reporter

Note:

If Expert has been selected under the Voucher Assignment, the Expert will fill out the required expense information and submit the form. You will then approve it and submit to the Court. If you are using a Contract Court Reporter you will select Attorney and complete the CJA 24. You must include their invoice and upload the invoice with the youcher.





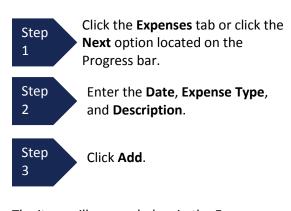
The item will appear in the bottom of the Service Type section.

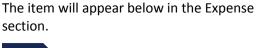


Click Add.

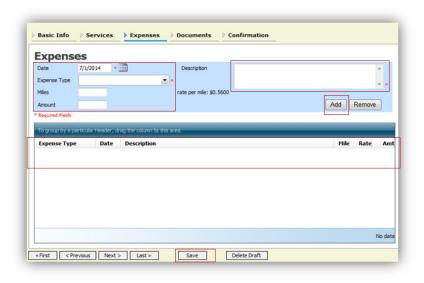
Step

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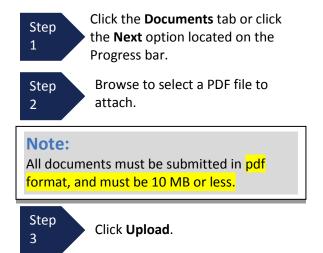






Upload

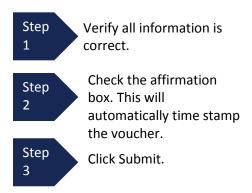
Attorney Creates a CJA 24 Voucher for Court Reporter (cont'd)

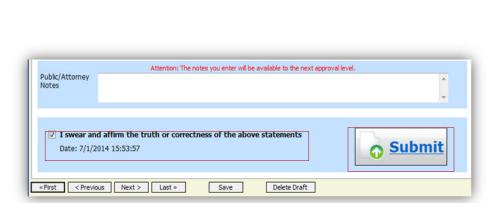


The document will appear in the bottom of the Description section.



A confirmation page will appear.





Save

Services Expenses Documents Confirmation

Supporting Documents

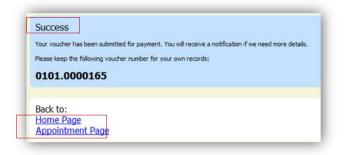
«First < Previous Next > Last »

Description

File Upload (Only Pdf files of 10MB size or less!)

A confirmation screen will appear indicating the previous action was successful, and the voucher has been submitted.





Court Reporter Creates a CJA 24 Voucher

The court reporter will perform the first level of submission and approval. You will receive an email that the CJA 24 has submitted to you for review.

Once the court reporter has submitted the voucher, it will appear in your "My Active Documents" folder with the status of "Submitted to Attorney". You will need to perform the second level of approval and submission.





Navigate to the Confirmation tab.





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