

**United States District Court  
District of Massachusetts**

**RATES FOR WORK ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACT (CJA) CASES**

As of March 23, 2018

<b>Hourly Rates for CJA Appointed Counsel</b>				
Rates for in and out of court work performed by attorneys in non-capital cases during specified time periods	1/1/15 - 12/31/15 \$127 per hour	On or after 1/1/16 \$129 per hour	On or after 5/5/17 \$132 per hour	On or after 3/23/18 \$140 per hour
Maximum hourly capital rate	1/1/15 \$181 per hour	On or after 1/1/15 \$183 per hour	On or after 5/5/17 \$185 per hour	On or after 3/23/18 \$188 per hour

<b>Statutory Compensation for CJA Appointments</b>		
<b>PERSON REPRESENTED</b>	<b>PROCEEDING</b>	<b>STATUTORY COMPENSATION</b>
<b>DEFENDANT</b>	Felony	\$10,900
	Misdemeanor, Petty	\$3,100
	Capital Prosecution	None
	New Trial	Same as Original Case
	Pretrial Diversion	\$10,900(F), \$3,100(M)
	Other Type Defendant	\$2,300
<b>PLAINTIFF</b>	Habeas Petitioner, Petitioner (Motion to Vacate)	\$10,900
	Motion to Correct	\$2,300
	Habeas Petitioner (Capital)	None
<b>OFFENDER</b>	Probation Revocation/Termination, Parole Revocation/Termination,	\$2,300
	Supervised Release Hearing	\$2,300
<b>OTHER</b>	Pre-Indictment proceedings*	\$2,300
	Mental Competency	\$2,300
	Civil Asset Forfeiture	\$10,900
	Juror Employment Rights	\$10,900
	U.S. Parole Commission	\$2,300
<b>WITNESSES</b>	Material Witness( in Custody), Grand Jury, Congress, Federal, etc	\$2,300
<b>APPELLANT/APPELLEE</b>	Trial Disposition	\$7,800
	Other	\$2,300
	Appeal Magistrate Judge Decision	\$7,800
	U.S. Supreme Court	none
	Appeal of Civil Asset Forfeiture	\$7,800
	Habeas Corpus (non-capital) Appeal	\$7,800
	Parole Appeal	\$2,300

\*If a client is indicted, appointment merges with appointment for criminal charge and statutory compensation for the applicable charge (i.e. felony or misdemeanor).

<b>Mileage Rates and Effective Dates for Travel by Privately Owned Automobile</b>			
January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013	56.5 cents	January 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016	54 cents
January 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014	56 cents	January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017	53.5 cents
January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015	57.5 cents	January 1, 2018 to present	54.5 cents