



**CIRCUIT 13 – DUE PROCESS COSTS  
LEGISLATIVE ESTABLISHED RATES  
FOR EXPERT SERVICES**

Pursuant to s. 27.425, Florida Statutes, these rates are established annually by the Legislature in the General Appropriations Act (GAA). The GAA is available on the Florida Department of State’s website at <https://laws.flrules.org/>. The applicable rate is determined by the rate in effect on the on the date of appointment or service.

**Competency Evaluations:**

**Rate:**

Per Evaluation	\$400.00
No Show Fee	\$100.00

*JAC only pays for competency evaluations if they are confidential and released only to the defense.*

**Forensic Professional Experts:**

**Rate:**

Per Hour	Not Specified
Maximum Per Case	\$2,500.00

**Mental Health Examinations in Civil Cases:**

**Rate:**

Psychiatrists and Medical Doctors – Per Evaluation	\$200.00
Laypersons – Per Evaluation	\$100.00