# ROBERT SMITH

# Lead Assistant Public Defender

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## SUMMARY

Attorney with a strong background and practical experience in criminal, civil, and family court. Trial experience as well as proven ability to negotiate terms of settlement in hotly contested matters.

#### CORE COMPETENCIES

Criminal Defense, Trial work, Domestic Law.

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Lead Assistant Public Defender

ABC Corporation - October 2005 - December 2011

## **Key Deliverables:**

- Drafted and successfully litigated numerous pretrial issues in serious felony actions.
- Assist with trial preparation of witnesses and the criminal defendant.
- Extensive experience negotiating pleas in serious criminal actions.
- Experience communicating with a diverse population.
- Development of team and leadership skills through interaction with fellow attorneys and support staff.
- Represented parents in child protection cases and in Family Care Court, an alternative therapeutic court.
- Represented clients in juvenile delinquency hearings, bail hearings, and involuntary commitment cases.

### **Assistant Public Defender**

## **ABC Corporation - 2004 - 2005**

#### **Key Deliverables:**

- Represented low income and indigent clients in every phase of criminal proceedings starting with initial arraignment through final sentencing.
- Represented clients in jury trials involving various criminal offenses.
- Conducted jury selection, motions in liminie, opening and closing arguments, final sentencing, and if needed post conviction relief.
- Researched and drafted vast array of motions asserting clients Constitutional rights and evidentiary issues.
- Engaged in high stakes plea negotiations on behalf of clients accused of various offenses.
- Counseled low income clients and their families invloving complex legal and factual issues taking into account clients life situtation in attempting to favorably resolve legal problems..

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## **EDUCATION**

Juris Doctorate - (Case Western Reserve University School of Law - Cleveland, OH)