



Invitation for submission of details of private psychiatrists and psychologists (clinical, counselling and educational) who are prepared to conduct Assessments of Criminal Capacity of Children in terms of Section 11(3) of the Child Justice Act

Section 1(a) and (b) of the Regulation to the Child Justice Act (as amended), declares the Psychiatrists and Psychologists (Clinical, Counselling and Educational) as clinicians that are competent to conduct the assessment of criminal capacity of a child between the age of 12-14 years referred in in terms of Section 11(3) of the Act.

The Department hereby invites private Psychiatrists and Psychologists (Clinical, Counselling and Educational) who wish to conduct criminal capacity assessments of children in terms of the section 11 of the Child Justice Act to submit their details for inclusion in the national list for the 2026/27 financial year.

Interested psychiatrists and psychologists are to submit the following information: Full names, contact details, business and residential address and their area of interest (criminal capacity assessments of children in terms of the Child Justice Act) using a form that is obtainable from the Department of Health website at www.health.gov.za. The completed form should be accompanied by a proof of current registration with the relevant professional body.

Kindly note that the contracting and remuneration processes for this work will be handled by the Department of Justice and Constitutional Development. Enquiries with regard to tariffs and remuneration should be send to Adv Elisabeth Picara, Chief Director: Court Services @ 012 315 1658 Email: EPicara@justice.gov.za.

Please submit your completed form and attachment by email to the Director-General: Department of Health, Private Bag X828, Pretoria, 0001, for attention: Dr Dudu Shiba, Director: Mental Health and Substance Abuse at Dudu.Shiba@health.gov.za; and copy Bashu.Pule@health.gov.za. Enquiries pertaining to submission of details may be directed to Dr Dudu Shiba at Email: dudu.shiba@health.gov.za or Mr Bashu Pule at Tel: 012 395 9533 and Email: Bashu.Pule@health.gov.za

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