

Creating a CJA 21 Voucher

Step
1

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

CJA-21
Authorization and Voucher for Expert
and other Services [Create](#)

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.

Basic Info

1. CIR. DIST. DIV. CODE 0101	2. PERSON REPRESENTED Wendy Wilson	VOUCHER NUMBER	
3. MAG. DKT. DEF. NUMBER	4. DIST. DKT. DEF. NUMBER 1:14-CR-08802-2-AA	5. APPEALS. DKT. DEF. NUMBER	6. OTHER. DKT. DEF. NUMBER
7. IN CASE MATTER OF (Case Name) USA v. Wilson et al	8. PAYMENT CATEGORY Felony (including pre-trial diversion of alleged felony)	9. TYPE PERSON REPRESENTED Adult Defendant	10. REPRESENTATION TYPE Criminal Case
11. OFFENSE(S) CHARGED 18:13-4530.F INCOME TAX, FAILURE TO FILE			
EXCESS FEE LIMIT \$9,800.00	PRESIDING JUDGE Albert Albertson	MAGISTRATE JUDGE	DESIGNEE

Authorization Selection

You can select a **Previous Authorization Request**, request a **New Authorization** or click the "No Authorization Required" button if under the statutory limit.

No Authorization Required
If your voucher compensation is under the statutory limit and does not require prior authorization.

Use Previous Authorization
Select this option to display a list of previous authorizations and requests in this appointment.

« First < Previous Next > Last » Delete Draft

Services

Services	Totals	Amount
Totals	\$0.00	

Travel

Expense Type	Amount
Travel Miles	\$0.00
Travel Misc	\$0.00
Totals	\$0.00

Expenses

Expense Type	Amount
FAX	\$0.00
Long Distance Charges	\$0.00
Photocopies	\$0.00
Postage	\$0.00
Other Expenses	\$0.00
Totals	\$0.00

Reports

[Defendant Summary Budget Report](#)
Totals only of budget info for defendant

[Defendant Detail Budget Report](#)
Detail budget info for defendant

[Form CJA21](#)

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

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

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

No Authorization Required

If your voucher compensation is under the statutory limit and does not require prior authorization.

Use Previous Authorization

Select this option to display a list of previous authorizations and requests in this appointment.

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

Step
3

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.**

Step
4

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.

Existing Requests for Authorization

ID Number: 155	Service Type: Weapons Firearms
Order Date: 05/27/2014	Explosive Expert
Authorized Amount: 0	Estimated Amount: 1000
	Requested Provider: Robert Arms

New Voucher Information

Service Type Weapons Firearms Explosive Expert ▼

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 Gabriel, Gina ▼

Expert Info **Gina Gabriel**

Details 110 Main Street
 San Antonio TX 78210 USA
 Phone: 210-593-3340

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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.

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

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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 page36.

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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 36-39.

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If you wish to submit a person as an **Expert**, follow steps 3 through 5 on page 34.

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

Step
7

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

Step
8

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.

Existing Requests for Authorization

ID Number: 155 Order Date: 05/27/2014 Authorized Amount: 0	Service Type: Weapons Firearms Explosive Expert Estimated Amount: 1000 Requested Provider: Robert Arms
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New Voucher Information

Service Type Weapons Firearms Explosive Expert ▾

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 ▾

First Name	Middle Name	Last Name *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
SSN/EIN: *	Email *	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Phone *	Fax	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Address 1 *	City *	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
Address 2	State *	Zip *
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Address 3	Country	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	

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

Step
2

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

Step
3

Click **Add**.

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

Step
4

Click **Save**.

The screenshot shows the 'Services' tab in the CJA 21 Voucher system. The form includes fields for Date (6/19/2014), Hours, Rate, and Description. The Description field is empty. Below the form is a table with columns Date, Description, Hrs, Rate, and Amt. The table is currently empty. At the bottom, there are navigation buttons: First, Previous, Next, Last, Save, and Delete Draft. The Save button is highlighted with a red box.

Step
1

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

Step
2

Enter the **Date, Expense Type, Description and Miles**.

Step
3

Click **Add**.

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

Step
4

Click **Save**.

The screenshot shows the 'Expenses' tab in the CJA 21 Voucher system. The form includes fields for Date (6/19/2014), Expense Type, Miles, and Description. The Description field is empty. Below the form is a table with columns Expense Type, Date, Description, Mile, Rate, and Amt. The table contains one row: Travel Miles, 06/19/2014, Travel to/from meeting with defendant, 30, 0.5600, 16.80. At the bottom, there are navigation buttons: First, Previous, Next, Last, Save, and Delete Draft. The Save button is highlighted with a red box.

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

Step
2

Enter the **Start** and **End Date**, making sure to select the earliest date of services and expenses as the **Start Date**.

Step
3

Select an option under the **Payment Claims** section.

Step
4

Click **Save**.

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.

Step
1

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

Step
2

Browse to select a PDF file to attach.

Step
3

Click **Upload**.

Note:

All documents must be submitted in PDF format and must be 10 MB or less.

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

Step
4

Click **Save**.

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A confirmation page will appear.

Step 1 Verify all information is correct.

Step 2 Check the affirmation box. This will automatically time stamp the voucher.

Step 3 Click **Submit**.

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

Step 4 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.

Step 5 Select the file.

Case	Defendant	Type	Status
1:14-CR-08802-AA- Start: 06/12/2014 End: 06/19/2014	Wendy Wilson (# 2) Claimed Amount: 166.80	CJA-21 Gina Gabriel Weapons Firearms Explosi...	Submitted to Attorney 0101.0000154 FINAL PAYMENT

Navigate to the Confirmation tab.

Step 6 Verify all information is correct.

Step 7 Certify the information by checking the box. This will automatically time stamp the voucher.

Step 8 Click **Approve**.