

Circuit Court of Pasco County Tips and Tricks for PRO BONO/INDIGENT E-FILED CASES

- If you are representing your client without payment (pro bono):
 - On the Case Parties Screen in File and ServeXpress when you are attaching yourself
 as the attorney, you must select an <u>Attorney Type</u> of "court appointed attorney" in
 order to submit your transactions without a fee from File & ServeXpress.
 - In the box for instructions to Clerk, note that you are representing your client on a pro bono basis. This does not waive the statutory filing, and copy fees, etc.
- If your client is indigent and you are submitting the required affidavits to file a new incapacity case, you must select the Attorney Type of "court appointed counsel" in order to suspend the File & ServeXpress and Clerk fees.
- When you are appointed by court order on an indigent case, you must select the <u>Attorney Type</u> of "court appointed counsel" in order to suspend the File & ServeXpress and Clerk fees.
- If you are appointed as a conflict attorney NOT because of indigency and are receiving compensation for your service, then you would NOT select "court appointed" as the Attorney Type.