

EAST CENTRAL PROGRAM

The latest news and updates from Early Settlement Mediation-EC



IMPORTANT DATES:

**BASIC TRAINING-
OCTOBER 27 & 28
LOCATION TBD**

**JORJIA CASH OUT
OF OFFICE- 8/1
-8/5/ 2022**

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Leigh Ann Bryson
Volunteer of the Month

Volunteer of the Month- Leigh Ann Bryson

by Jorjia Cash, Director

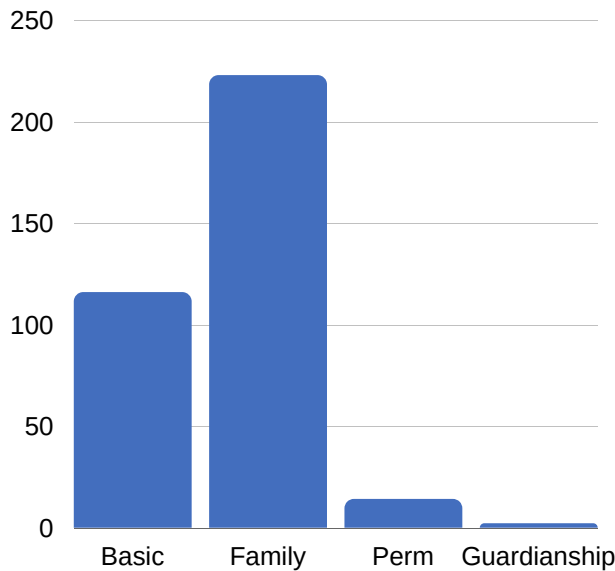
Leigh Ann Bryson has been selected as our volunteer of the month for July 2022. Leigh Ann is certified in basic mediation and volunteers in the Pottawatomie County area. She has volunteered over 60 hours.

Leigh Ann became a volunteer mediator because she has a long history of being a Federal Mediator/Program manager.

Leigh Ann says the best thing about being an Early Settlement Mediator is "being able to assist parties with better understanding, more favorable outcomes, while also allowing some venting and preserving some relationships that would otherwise not occur in the litigation process.

If you would like to learn more about Leigh Ann Bryson, please check your emails to read her volunteer of the month interview!

On behalf of the East Central Program, I want to thank Leigh Ann for being a great volunteer and making an impact on those around her!



Mediation Stats FY 2022:

- **116 Basic Referrals**
 - 108 Mediated
- **223 Family/Divorce Referrals**
 - 143 Mediated
 - 145 Sessions
- **17 Permanency Referrals**
 - 14 Mediated
- **2 Guardianship Referral**
 - 2 Mediated

TOTAL: 358 Referrals
267 Cases Mediated

*These numbers are for July 2021- May 2022.

Agreement Info:

- **92 Basic Cases Mediated**
 - 64 Agreements
- **143 Family Cases Mediated**
 - 92 Agreements
- **14 Permanency Cases Mediated**
 - 7 Agreements
- **2 Guardianship Cases Mediated**
 - 0 Agreements

TOTAL: 267 Cases Mediated
156 Agreements

*Agreements are cases that ended in full or partial agreement. Numbers are for July 2021- June 2022

