



**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA**

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 2015-00-01

**RE: APPROVED SUPERVISED VISITATION PROGRAMS WITHIN
THE FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
(Rescinding Administrative Order 2007-00-08)**

WHEREAS, The Supervised Visitation Programs Agreement adopted by the Supreme Court on November 17, 1999, directs each chief judge to enter into an agreement with supervised visitation centers that are willing to comply with the Supreme Court of Florida's minimum standards for supervised visitation programs;

WHEREAS, Rule 2.215(b)(2), Florida Rules of Judicial Administration, establishes that the chief judge of a circuit "shall exercise administrative supervision over all courts within the judicial circuit;"

WHEREAS, Rule 2.215(b)(3), Florida Rules of Judicial Administration, directs the chief judge to develop an administrative plan for the efficient and proper administration of all courts within the circuit;

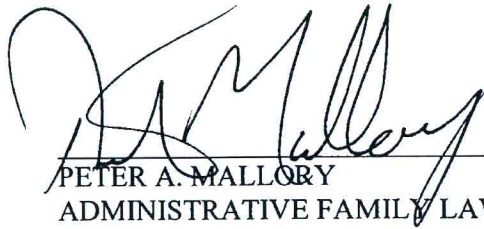
WHEREAS, §753.04, Florida Statutes (2014), directs supervised visitation programs to enter into an agreement with the Circuit Court within the geographic jurisdiction of the program attesting the willingness of the program to comply with the minimum standards previously set forth by the Supreme Court of Florida. It is therefore

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that:

1. All supervised visitation programs that have an executed letter of agreement with this circuit shall comply with the attached standards issued by the Supreme Court of Florida.
2. Judges within the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit shall ensure that only those supervised visitation programs that have an executed letter of agreement are used when ordering parties to a supervised visitation program.
3. The Family Court Manager for the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit shall maintain a list of supervised visitation programs that have an executed letter of agreement with the circuit and update the judges of the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit of the programs that are current providers. The Family Court Manager shall ensure there is a list of approved supervised visitation programs on the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit website and shall update the list as necessary.

4. Programs will be reviewed annually by the Family Court Manager for the Fourteenth Judicial Circuit to ensure compliance with the minimum standards set forth by the Supreme Court of Florida. If a program is determined to be in noncompliance with the minimum standards, their letter of agreement with the Circuit Court will be terminated.

5th **DONE AND ORDERED** in Chambers at Panama City, Bay County, Florida on this day of January, 2015.


PETER A. MALLORY
ADMINISTRATIVE FAMILY LAW JUDGE


HENTZ MCCLELLAN
CHIEF JUDGE

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