



Indiana Federal Community Defenders

**Position Announcement
Assistant Federal Defender
Appellate Attorney**

Indiana Federal Community Defenders (IFCD), is accepting applications for the position of Assistant Federal Defender, a full-time attorney position with salary based upon experience. The IFCD is proud to offer a first-rate benefit package. IFCD is an Indiana not-for-profit corporation and represents indigent persons charged with crimes in the Indianapolis and Terre Haute Divisions of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Indiana, and in the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit and the United States Supreme Court. Our office is located in Indianapolis.

We are seeking a licensed attorney to specialize in appeals and to, as necessary, lead a team to work on mass resentencing projects. The position will have primary responsibility for appeals arising from the IFCD office. The position will draft appellate briefs, petitions for certiorari, and motions in the district court as needed. You will examine the record, analyze and research issues, and prepare and present oral arguments to the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals.

Applicants must have excellent writing ability, demonstrated proficiency in legal research, advanced time management skills, the ability to work positively and collaboratively on a team, and a demonstrated commitment to the representation of indigent persons, poverty law, or other relevant experience. You must be admitted to the practice of law and eligible for admission to the bar of the Southern District of Indiana.

Application for this position is made by sending a cover letter, resume, references, and a writing sample, compiled in a single PDF, in that order, to: IFCD_Applications@fd.org. You must put "AFPD 2022" in the subject line of your email in order to be considered. The position is open until filled. Remote work may be considered for the right candidate.

NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.

The IFCD is an equal opportunity employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.