

## Training – Becoming a Registered Mediator

### Georgia Office Of Dispute Resolution (GODR) **REGISTRY TRAINING REQUIREMENTS**

The JCA has an approved course to help you meet the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution's (GODR) requirements. **The five-day, 40-Hour Basic Mediation Skills meets the GODR training requirements.** The 5-day training provides the 28-hour basic mediation skills training and the 5 required observations needed to apply for registration. An applicant for GODR registry must apply for registration within 18 months of completing the basic course.

You may **get an application form to become a registered neutral** (mediator) **online** from the Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution. At this site a link to the application is on the main page: [www.godr.org](http://www.godr.org) [Link to GODR](#)

The mailing address for GODR is  
Georgia Office of Dispute Resolution  
244 Washington Street, SW – Suite 423  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-5900

You may e-mail the GODR at [GAodr@GAsupreme.us](mailto:GAodr@GAsupreme.us).  
Their telephone number is 404-463-3788.

*GODR is the final decision maker regarding an applicant's registration as a neutral in Georgia. The JCA recommends that you review these requirements before enrolling in any mediation training.*

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To find requirements in other states, you may want to contact the state court system.  
[Link to State Court Websites Listing](#)