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**FEEES CHARGED FOR LEGAL COUNSEL FOR INDIGENTS**

The schedule below provides information on fees that may be assessed for legal counsel for indigents in North Dakota compared to three other states-- Minnesota, Montana, and South Dakota.

	<b>North Dakota</b>	<b>Minnesota</b>	<b>Montana</b>	<b>South Dakota</b>
Application fee	\$25	\$75	N/A	N/A
Court administration fee/other court costs	\$100	Varies by county	\$10	\$40 liquidated costs Court automation - \$17.50 to \$61.50
Attorney costs	\$300 for misdemeanors \$525 for felonies		\$250 for misdemeanor plea \$800 for felony plea Cost of counsel if case goes to trial	\$84 per hour
Victim compensation				\$2.50