

**ASSISTANT CORPORATION COUNSEL, CHILD PROTECTION AND JUVENILE DELINQUENCY CASES,
APPEALS DIVISION**

The Appeals Division of the Law Department is seeking applicants for an Assistant Corporation Counsel position dedicated to representing the City of New York in child protection and juvenile delinquency appeals. This position will allow you to brief and argue a significant number of appeals in state appellate courts every year, and in two important areas.

First, in handling appeals involving child abuse, neglect, and other child protection issues on behalf of the Administration for Children's Services, you can help promote the well-being of our City's children and families. The work is vital: no responsibility is as critical as ensuring that children are safe and part of strong and stable families.

Second, in handling juvenile delinquency appeals on behalf of the presentment agency, you can help advance juvenile justice in our City, striking the balance between the need to protect the community with the best interests of the juvenile. Ensuring that this challenging and weighty work is done right is becoming only more significant as our state raises the age of criminal responsibility.

Working independently and collaboratively with experienced appellate attorneys, you will handle a significant docket of appeals covering both areas. The position offers an unrivaled opportunity to engage in high-caliber appellate practice while making a difference in the lives of our City's children and youth.

You should be committed to public service and eager to take on this challenging and important appellate work. Strong writing, research, and analytical skills are essential. You must also have graduated from an ABA-accredited law school and be a member in good standing of the New York State Bar, or be in the process of being admitted.

Prior appellate experience from practice or through an appellate clerkship, or experience with child protection or juvenile delinquency proceedings, is preferred but not required

The deadline to apply is August 25, 2018.

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