

Meet Drug-Free Task Force Member Allison Roberts, Esq.

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CAREER OVERVIEW

Allison is a true advocate for her clients and their families.

With years of experience in Family Law, Criminal Defense, and Wills & Estate Administration, and as a former prosecutor, she has a deep understanding of how the law affects all of us and has "seen it all."

More recently, Allison has completed Mediation Training and is on the Court Roster of Family Law Mediators which has been an asset to the clients she serves given the post-pandemic back-log in the courts.

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Allison's community involvement is second to none. From volunteer attorney for the town of Clinton Fire Dept., to executive board member at Acorn Montessori School, to a member of the Prevention Resources Board of Trustees, Allison gives her time serving Hunterdon County.

It is her expertise, however, as the Co-Chair of the Hunterdon County Cannabis Committee that assists the members of the Task Force on updates with the newly legalized use of cannabis in NJ. This knowledge empowers the Drug-Free Task Force to make educated decisions and implement strategic actions in prevention that will most benefit the youth and community at large.



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Our 5 Key Questions with Allison Roberts, Esq.

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DO YOU HAVE ANY HOBBIES OR FAVORITE TRAVEL DESTINATIONS? IF SO, WHAT/WHERE ARE THEY?

I love to ski and hike. We spend time in Colorado at least twice a year.

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WHAT IS AN INTERESTING FACT ABOUT YOU?

I am the youngest of three with two older brothers, growing up with them made me tough.

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IF YOU COULD EAT A MEAL WITH SOMEONE PAST OR PRESENT, WHO WOULD IT BE AND WHY?

I love Broadway musicals and show tunes. Give me a meal with any cast of any show (but if I had to pick, it would be the original cast of Hamilton or Rent or Wicked – see, I can't pick) and let me sing along... I would be in heaven.

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WHY ARE YOU INVOLVED IN OUR COALITION? WHAT MOTIVATES YOU?

In my role as an attorney working with families going through divorce or representing clients who have been arrested, substance misuse is an issue for many of those I work with. I want to be a part of the discussion, finding solutions and support for families in crisis, developing accessible services within our community, and helping individuals move forward without judgment or stigma.

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DO YOU HAVE ANY SUGGESTIONS TO MAKE OUR COALITION MORE EFFECTIVE AND CONTINUE TO GROW?

Given my involvement with the courts, connecting community members who go through the courts with the services our coalition builds and manages, the courts are a logical and important point of contact. The coalition is already excellent in this regard and if my practical experience and relationship with the courts can help make the coalition even more effective, it is my hope I can help in that important work.