

Mediation and Summary Jury Trials

The Court will send most civil cases to state court evaluation under the authority of [E.D. Mich. LR 16.3](#). At the initial Fed.R.Civ.P. 16(b) conference, the Court will ask counsel whether his/her client evaluation. The failure of a party to give such consent, however, will not deter the Court from referring the case.

The Court will consider holding a summary jury trial if requested by the parties.