

The Mediation Center

Divorce Mediation Training

The Divorce Mediation training sessions include two 20-hour intensive mediation trainings focusing on “parenting and child access issues” and “property and financial issues”. Completion of a 40-hour civil mediation training program is required before participating in the divorce mediation training. These sessions combine lecture, demonstration, and interactive role play, with critiques of individual/group exercise. A review of Maryland family law including divorce, custody/visitation, parenting plans, child support and disposition of property is also covered.

Parenting and Child Access Issues: March 21-22, 2019

In addition to mediation theory and process overview, principles of family mediation, and valuable practice tips, an introduction to the following special topics will be covered:

- Theories of Conflict and Responses to Conflict
- Family Systems – Child Growth and Emotional Aspects of Divorce for Children and Adults
- Standards of Practice and Ethical Considerations
- Divorce Education Programs and Parenting Class
- Custody and Visitation
- Future Parenting: The Holiday and Vacation Schedule
- Identifying and Screening for Domestic Violence
- Developing the Parenting Plan
- Managing Anger

These sessions qualify, under MD Rules of Procedure 17-104 and 17-106, for forty (40) hours of mediation training as required for court designated mediators of civil disputes and disputes involving child access and marital property issues.

Property and Financial Issues: April 15-16, 2019

In addition to an overview of the general principles of divorce mediation, including the budgeting session, and valuable practice tips, the following special topics will be covered:

- Family Law in Maryland on Spousal Support
- Child Support and Property
- Understanding the Financial Statement
- Qualified Domestic Relations Orders (QDROs)
- Business Valuation
- Divorce Financial Planning
- Tax Consequences of Divorce
- Elements of the Memorandum of Agreement
- Property Mediation
- Standards of Practice and Ethical Considerations

Cancellation Policy: Full refund if cancellation received prior to dates listed below; Cancellations after the deadline will receive full refund only if another participant fills the space. We regret that we cannot honor refund requests within 7 days before the training. We reserve the right to cancel the training due to low enrollment. You must attend the entire training to receive a Certificate of Attendance.

The registration form can be found on our website at www.agreeonit.com
Please call 410-750-6710, or e-mail ceecee@paizslaw.com with any questions.

REGISTRATION IS OPEN TO FIRST 10 APPLICANTS

TUITION AND REGISTRATION (may be faxed to 410-740-5603)

Please check one or both sessions:

Parenting & Child Access Issues (20 Hours)

March 21-22, 2019

Tuition if registered prior to March 14, 2019 - \$475.00

Tuition if registered after March 14, 2019 - \$525.00

Property & Financial Issues (20 Hours)

April 15-16, 2019

Tuition if registered prior to April 5, 2019 - \$475.00

Tuition if registered after April 5, 2019 - \$525.00

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