DOMESTIC RELATIONS (DR) CASES

(Divorce, Child Custody, Civil Union, Registration of Foreign Decrees)

For a one-time fee of \$6.00, parties can opt-in to the electronic filing system for DR cases only. This allows parties to:

- Receive court orders and other pleadings via email instead of US Mail
- View your case at any time to see the status of your case (if a motion has been ruled on or a hearing has been set).
- File additional paperwork (for an additional fee of \$6 for each filing/submission)

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If unable to utilize the opt-in option, parties may also file paperwork via:

- 1. US Mail Arapahoe Combined Courts, 7325 S. Potomac St., Centennial, CO 80112
- 2. Email attached documents in WORD or PDF format only to AcjcClerk@judicial.state.co.us
- 3. In person between the hours of 7:30 and 4:30



Have questions about what a form means or the next step in the process? Contact our Judicial Resource Center either by email at: 18SelfHelp@judicial.state.co.us or by phone: 303-645-6845

Uncertain about what to file? Need to speak with an Attorney? Please visit https://www.arapahoecountybar.org/Helpful-Links to engage in a virtual clinic with a volunteer attorney on a limited basis.

Frequently Asked Questions:

- Q: I just filed for a Divorce. What happens next?
- A: You will receive a Notice of Initial Status Conference and Case Management Order in the mail. Please follow the instructions on both of these documents as they help guide you through the Divorce process. If you haven't served the other party, please click on the Service button below for information on how to serve.
- Q: Can we take the parenting class online during COVID-19?
- A: Yes, you do not need court permission during this time to take parenting classes online.
- Q: It's been over 90 days since I filed for divorce. Where is my divorce decree?
- A: 91 days is the *earliest* that the Court can review your case to ensure everything has been filed correctly. Please allow up to an additional 30 days for the Court to either mail you the Decree and/or an Order indicating what else is missing.
- Q: I need to set a hearing. How do I contact the Division assigned to my case?
- A: The fastest way is to send an email to ArapahoeDR@judicial.state.co.us. You may also call the Division directly (see judges and staff on the Arapahoe webpage for phone numbers).

Need a form? Please click on one of the buttons below:



How to Serve the Other Party





