



Parenting Plan Session Talking Points

- Legal custody versus Physical custody
 - What are the differences & agreement on how they'll be handled
- Current parenting schedule
- Anticipated future schedule (if it will change)
- Right of First Refusal
 - What it is and will it apply?
- Holiday schedule
- Vacation and travel
- Future moves
 - Within county
 - Outside of the county/state/country
- Health insurance:
 - Who will pay for child(ren)?
- Expenses for the child(ren) and how they will be shared
 - Out-of-pocket medical, dental, vision and mental health expenses
 - Extra-curricular activities
 - Other costs/expenses (as applicable) such as field trips, school related spending, private cell phones, daycare or other childcare, car costs, camps
 - Expenses for adult children at college: tuition, room, and board etc
- Anticipated other future expenses
- Savings for "big" items (car, birthdays, graduations)
- College savings: Do you want this in the agreement?
- How will the shared expenses be handled?
 - Reimbursement? Monthly, quarterly, annually?
 - Shared bank acct or credit card used for the child(ren)?
 - Will each take on different expenses?
- Communication
 - Between parents
 - Between parent and child(ren)
- Future partners
 - Do you want to agree to any boundaries and/or time limits for new partners and the child(ren)?
 - How involved will new partners be?
- Religious upbringing/training
- Education
- Professional appointments
- Anything else either of you feel is important to include in your parenting agreement