There are specific requirements when family law cases are filed in these Registry locations of the Provincial Court of B.C.:

- Abbotsford
- Chilliwack
- New Westminster
- Port Coguitlam
- Surrey
- Victoria

These requirements are called

Early Resolution Registry requirements.

The requirements apply to cases about:

- Parenting arrangements
- Child support
- Contact with a child
- Guardianship of a child
- Spousal support
- Property division in respect of a companion animal



START BY TALKING TO STAFF

Abbotsford Justice Access Centre

2nd Floor – 32375 Veteran's Way

Phone: 604-851-7055 **Toll-free:** 1-888-260-3344

Chilliwack Family Justice Centre

202 – 46093 Yale Road *Phone:* 604-795-8257

Toll-free: 1-888-295-3344

New Westminster Family Justice Centre

204 – 88 10th Street *Phone:* 604-660-8636 *Toll-free:* 1-888-640-3344

Port Coquitlam Family Justice Centre

2610 Mary Hill Road **Phone:** 604-927-2217 **Toll-free:** 1-888-683-3344

Surrey Justice Access Centre

3rd Floor – 14340 57th Avenue *Phone:* 604-501-8282 *Toll-free:* 1-800-663-7867 (ask to be connected to 604-501-8282)

Victoria Justice Access Centre

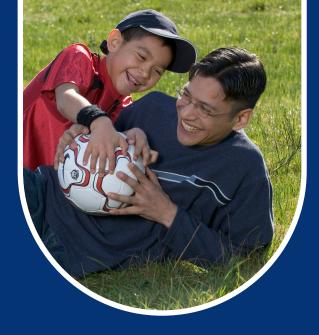
225 – 850 Burdett Avenue *Phone:* 250-356-7012 *Toll-free:* 1-800-663-7867 (ask to be connected to 250-356-7012)

Staff can help you with the following kinds of court orders:

- Protection
- Priority Parenting Matters
- Relocation
- Consent
- Enforcement

Staff can also provide referrals and information on how to request time before a judge.

For more information please visit: www.gov.bc.ca/EarlyResolution bit.ly/BCPCFamGetReady



Services for Families Experiencing Separation or Divorce

Early Resolution Registries

FAMILY LAW PROCESS

Abbotsford / Chilliwack / New Westminster Port Coquitlam / Surrey / Victoria

Provincial Court of British Columbia



B.C. Provincial Court Family Law Process – Early Resolution Registries

Family Justice Services Division – Family Justice Centres and Justice Access Centres – ongoing assistance, referrals

Community Agency services | Legal advice | Private consensual dispute resolution

Contact the Family Justice Services Division (FJSD) office nearest you:

Abbotsford 604-851-7055

Chilliwack 604-795-8257

New Westminster 604-660-8636

Port Coquitlam 604-927-2217

Surrey 604-501-8282

Victoria 250-356-7012

Check out online information about the Early Resolution Process

Other orders:

- Protection
- Consent

Case Management

Enforcement

- Priority Parenting
- Matter
- Prohibiting Relocation

Family Law

Complete a

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matters:

File Application, Serve the other party (if applicable)

Court appearance or review by judge

Judge's Decision

Other family law matters to Early Resolution Process

EARLY RESOLUTION PROCESS

File your Notice to Resolve at the court registry

Provide a copy of the Notice to Resolve to the other party

Courseparental responsibilities

After Separation

- parenting time
- Child support
- Contact with a child
- Guardianship of a child
- Spousal support
- Property division in respect of a companion animal

Participate in an assessment of your needs with the JAC

(The JAC will invite the other party to complete assessment of their needs) Complete a
Parenting
After Separation
Course

You may use services provided by Family Justice Services Division
Or you may hire a private dispute resolution professional
Or participate in a collaborative law agreement process

Participate in consensual

dispute resolution (unless

not appropriate or exempt)

Resolved MattersAgreements, Consents

Unresolved Matters (if any)

PROVINCIAL COURT PROCESS

Other party files reply

File an Application About a Family Law Matter

Serve the other party

File Agreement or Application for a Consent Order Work with registry or judicial case manager to schedule Family Management Conference

Participate in a Family Management Conference

Orders for specific actions, consent orders or proceed to trial preparation

To Trial

Get information, referrals, increased understanding, early opportunities for full or partial resolution of issues: gov.bc.ca/EarlyResolution | bit.ly/BCPCFamGetReady