

Child Support Task Force

November 30, 2016

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Room 300N, State Office Building

100 Rev Dr. Martin Luther King Jr Boulevard, St Paul

<http://mn.gov/dhs/child-support-task-force/>

(Draft) AGENDA

Meeting Outcome: Build common knowledge around the guidelines and identify areas for improvement and updating.

Activity	Time
1. Welcome, agenda review and introductions	9:00
2. Review and approval of October meeting notes	9:15
3. Updates	9:20
4. Presentation of RFP process <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Rebecca Radcliffe</i>	9:30
5. Discussion of RFP and contracts	9:40
BREAK	10:10
6. Road map – future meetings (<i>see back</i>)	10:25
7. Educational presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Grid presentation and common phrases/issues for each topic</i>	10:45
BREAK	11:30
8. Continue – Educational presentation	11:40
9. Public comment	12:40
10. Next steps	12:55
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THANK YOU!

Future meeting schedule (through April 2017)

Potential meeting dates:

December 21 (consider cancelling b/c holidays?)

January 25 (perhaps a full day meeting to get two presentations done, since it's earlier in session?)

- Detailed presentation/discussion on **issues #1 and #7**: what is the self-support reserve?; how does it interact with the grid?; how is it calculated; what are the issues (from attorney point of view?; Advocate point of view?; DHS point of view?; Parent point of view?)
- Detailed presentation/discussion regarding **issue #5**: extended family care givers and foster families and the issues of calculating/collecting/distributing child support

February 22

- Detailed presentation/discussion regarding **issues with #'s 2, 3 and 4**: the calculations and issues for parents with multiple families (including obligor with simultaneous orders, orders in multiple counties, and birth order)

March 29 (consider cancelling b/c Spring Break/busy session?)

- If not cancelled, detailed discussion of mini-white papers if Task Force chooses to use them? Or presentation from CLV Guidelines group?

April 26 (consider cancelling b/c Spring Break/busy session?)

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Priority issues to discuss from legislation:

1. the self-support reserve for custodial and noncustodial parents;
2. simultaneous child support orders;
3. obligors who are subject to child support orders in multiple counties;
4. parents with multiple families;
5. non-nuclear families, such as grandparents, relatives, and foster parents who are caretakers of children;
6. standards to apply for modifications; and
7. updating section 518A.35, subdivision 2, the guideline for basic support.