

Family Law Mediation Ground Rules

Date: [Insert Date]

To: [Insert Participants' Names]

Dear [Participants' Names],

As we prepare for our upcoming family law mediation session, it is essential that we establish a set of ground rules to ensure a productive and respectful environment. Below are the agreed-upon ground rules:

1. **Respectful Communication:** All participants will speak respectfully and avoid interrupting each other.
2. **Active Listening:** Each person will listen carefully to understand each other's perspectives before responding.
3. **Confidentiality:** Discussions during mediation are confidential and should not be shared outside this session.
4. **No Blame Game:** Focus on problem-solving rather than blaming each other for past issues.
5. **Time Management:** Each participant will be mindful of time to ensure everyone has a chance to speak.
6. **Future-Focused:** The goal is to find solutions for the future rather than dwelling on past grievances.
7. **Objective Participation:** All participants agree to engage in good faith and be open to compromise.

We appreciate your commitment to the mediation process and look forward to a constructive session.

Sincerely,

[Your Name]

[Your Title/Role]

[Your Contact Information]