
Name

Mailing Address

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E-mail

☐ Co-Petitioner 1 **OR** ☐ Co-Petitioner 2

MONTANA _____ **JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT** _____ **COUNTY**

In the Parenting of: _____
(minor children's initials)

_____,
Co-Petitioner 1

and

_____,
Co-Petitioner 2

Case No: _____
(Leave blank, the clerk will write in)

Joint Petition for Parenting Plan

1. Co-Petitioner 1 Information:

Name First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ County: _____

Physical Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ County: _____

Year of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Occupation: _____

How long have you lived in this county? _____

How long have you lived in Montana? _____

2. Co-Petitioner 2 Information:

Name First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____

E-mail Address (optional): _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ County: _____

Physical Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ County: _____

Year of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Occupation: _____

How long have they lived in this county? _____

How long have they lived in Montana? _____

3. Pregnancy. (Choose one)

☐ Neither petitioner is pregnant

OR

☐ One petitioner is pregnant, and the other petitioner is the other parent of the pregnancy

OR

☐ One petitioner is pregnant, and the other petitioner is not the other parent of the pregnancy

Notice: A parenting plan must be filed after the child is born if one petitioner is pregnant and the other petitioner is the other parent, or the other parent is

unknown.

4. List all minor children of the relationship, including those born to or adopted by both parties:

Initials	Age	Birth Year	Minor primarily lives with:
			☐ Co-Petitioner 1 ☐ Co-Petitioner 2 ☐ Both ☐ Other
			☐ Co-Petitioner 1 ☐ Co-Petitioner 2 ☐ Both ☐ Other
			☐ Co-Petitioner 1 ☐ Co-Petitioner 2 ☐ Both ☐ Other
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5. Child(ren) residence(s).

State law requires this information. You can find this law at §40-7-110, M.C.A. Start with the children's current address. Give the information for the past 5 years. If you don't know the individual's current address, write "not known" next to their name.

Children's Initials	Address	Starting MM/YY	Ending MM/YY	List all people living at this location, their relationship with child, and current address
			Still lives here	

6. Jurisdiction of the Children. (Choose the most accurate description.)

- ☐ Our child(ren) lived in Montana for at least 6 consecutive months immediately before this case was filed. This makes Montana our child(ren)'s home state. If a child(ren) is less than six months old, the child(ren) lived in Montana since birth.

OR

- ☐ Montana was the home state of the child(ren) within six months of this case being filed, and one parent continues to reside in Montana.

OR

- ☐ The child(ren) and one parent have significant connections with Montana and substantial evidence about them is in Montana.

OR

- ☐ The child(ren) are physically present in Montana and have been abandoned, the child(ren) are with a caretaker relative who was given custody, or an emergency exists requiring the child(ren)'s protection.

OR

- ☐ No other state has jurisdiction over the child(ren) or the other state has declined jurisdiction over the children.

7. Other Court Cases. (Choose One)

State law requires this information. You can find this law at § 40-7-110, M.C.A.

- ☐ I don't know of any other court case that could affect this one.

OR

- ☐ There are other court cases that could affect this one. Here is the list:

The first court case is:

- ☐ Order of Protection ☐ Criminal case ☐ Adoption ☐ Guardianship
☐ Child and Family Services ☐ Other: *(describe)*

Court: _____ Case No: _____

- ☐ I participated as a ☐party ☐witness ☐other: _____

- ☐ I didn't participate.

The second court case is:

- ☐ Order of Protection ☐ Criminal case ☐ Adoption ☐ Guardianship
☐ Child and Family Services ☐ Other: *(describe)*

Court: _____ Case No: _____

- ☐ I participated as a ☐party ☐witness ☐other: _____

☐ I didn't participate.

☐ There are more court cases. (Fill out and paper clip **Form MP-113-E** to this document)

8. Other people. (Choose one)

☐ I don't know of any other person who has physical custody or claims to have physical custody or to have visitation rights with a child listed in this petition.

OR

☐ Here is a list of people who have physical custody or claim to have physical custody or visitation rights with a child listed in this petition:

Person's Name	Address	Child's initials	Description
			☐ Has physical custody ☐ Claims physical custody ☐ Claims visitation rights
			☐ Has physical custody ☐ Claims physical custody ☐ Claims visitation rights
			☐ Has physical custody ☐ Claims physical custody ☐ Claims visitation rights

NOTICE: Petitioners must give notice of this case to anyone on the above list.

9. Parenting Plan. It is in the best interest of our child(ren) that this court adopt our proposed parenting plan including parenting time, child support, and medical support. We have completed and filed a Joint Proposed Parenting Plan MP-320 with the Court.

NOTICE: Form MP-320 MUST BE FILED ALONG WITH THIS PETITION

a. Petitioners request the Court to schedule a hearing and issue the final parenting decree and for any other relief this court decides is just and proper.

Other:

We declare under penalty of perjury and under the laws of the state of Montana that the information in this document is true and correct. We understand that it is a crime to give false information in this document.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Sign Here: _____ Sign Here: _____

Print Name: _____ Print Name: _____
Co-Petitioner 1 Co-Petitioner 2