

Preliminary Declaration of Disclosure “PDD” Workshop

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What’s covered?

How to fill out, file and serve the Preliminary Declaration of Disclosure forms required in divorce, legal separation and nullity cases

What is a Preliminary Declaration of Disclosure (PDD)?

In divorce, legal separation and certain nullity cases, California law (Family Code §2103) requires the parties to provide information to each other about their income and expenses, as well as their debts (even if you do not have any!). This is called financial disclosure. The first disclosure is called “Preliminary Declaration of Disclosure” (Family Code §2104) and is mandatory.

You have to do this even if you do not have any assets or debts.

You cannot get a final *Judgment* without completing the disclosure requirements.

What to have with you when viewing the presentation:

- **Completed forms:** If you do not already have the forms, download these forms from the Court’s website (www.scscourt.org).
 - **FL-140** Declaration of Disclosure
 - **FL-150** Income and Expense Declaration
 - **FL-160** Property Declaration (You will need to complete two of these forms, one for *separate property* and one for *community property*)
- **Proof of Income:** Have proof of income (example: paystubs for the last two months, profit and loss statement etc).
- **Tax Returns:** Have your income tax returns for the past two years.
- **Have an interpreter.** If you do not speak, read or write English well, have an adult friend or relative who can read and write in English fluently and your language to help you.

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