

ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROGRAMS

Juvenile Court



Child Welfare Mediation*

DCFS cases or private petitions regarding custody, visitation or termination of parental rights

mediations must be ordered by a Juvenile Court Judge

Truancy Mediation *

A collaborative program with individual schools across the state in an effort to help youth and families improve attendance.

Participation is voluntary

Check with individual school to see if the program is offered

Restorative Justice * Victim/Offender Mediation

A process which allows juvenile offenders and their victims to discuss the harm caused by the offending behavior and identify ways to repair the harm.

District Court



Mandatory Divorce Mediation ♦

New, **contested** divorces
(Answer filed after May 2, 2005)

Statewide - mediator must be on Court's Divorce Mediation Roster
(*website link to Roster below*)

Co-Parenting Mediation

Alleged parent-time violations of an existing Parent-Time Court Order
(3rd District)

Assigned Mediators - Sliding scale fees

Civil Actions ♦

(statewide)

All civil cases with the exception of new, contested divorces or 3rd District Co-Parenting cases (see above). For information, see UCJA 4-510.05
For exceptions, see UCJA 4-510.06

Small Claims Mediation *

(Available at some Justice Courts
- contact court clerk for information)

Probate Mediation Program ♦

(Statewide)

Appellate Court



Appellate Mediation*

Cases currently on appeal with the Utah Appellate Courts.

Cases are mediated by Court of Appeals staff mediator.

Administered through the Appellate Courts

* Mediation in these programs provided at no cost to parties by trained mediators

♦ Mediation in these programs conducted by private providers selected by parties.

Court-qualified roster of providers listed on website: [Utah Court Roster](https://www.utcourts.gov/mediation/roster)

Information on Utah State Court Mediation Programs: <https://www.utcourts.gov/mediation/>

A current list of court-qualified mediators and arbitrators can be found at:

https://www.utcourts.gov/mediation/roster/list_med.php