

Cover Sheet for Family Court Cases

I. Case Style

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,
IN AND FOR HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA

Case No.: _____

Judge: _____

Petitioner

and

Respondent

II. Type of Action/Proceeding. Place a check beside the proceeding you are initiating. If you are simultaneously filing more than one type of proceeding against the same opposing party, such as a modification and an enforcement proceeding, complete a separate cover sheet for each action being filed. If you are reopening a case, choose one of the three options below it.

- (A) ___ Initial Action/Petition
- (B) ___ Reopening Case
 - 1. ___ Modification/Supplemental Petition
 - 2. ___ Motion for Civil Contempt/Enforcement
 - 3. ___ Other

III. Type of Case. If the case fits more than one type of case, select the most definitive.

- (A) ___ Simplified Dissolution of Marriage
- (B) ___ Dissolution of Marriage
- (C) ___ Domestic Violence
- (D) ___ Dating Violence
- (E) ___ Repeat Violence
- (F) ___ Sexual Violence
- (G) ___ Support IV-D (Department of Revenue, Child Support Enforcement)
- (H) ___ Support Non-IV-D (not Department of Revenue, Child Support Enforcement)
- (I) ___ UIFSA IV-D (Department of Revenue, Child Support Enforcement)
- (J) ___ UIFSA Non-IV-D (not Department of Revenue, Child Support Enforcement)
- (K) ___ Other Family Court
- (L) ___ Adoption Arising Out Of Chapter 63
- (M) ___ Name Change
- (N) ___ Paternity/Disestablishment of Paternity
- (O) ___ Juvenile Delinquency
- (P) ___ Petition for Dependency

- (Q) ___ Shelter Petition
- (R) ___ Termination of Parental Rights Arising Out Of Chapter 39
- (S) ___ Adoption Arising Out Of Chapter 39
- (T) ___ CINS/FINS

IV. Rule of Judicial Administration 2.545(d) requires that a Notice of Related Cases Form, Family Law Form 12.900(h), be filed with the initial pleading/petition by the filing attorney or self-represented litigant in order to notify the court of related cases. Is Form 12.900(h) being filed with this Cover Sheet for Family Court Cases and initial pleading/petition?

- ___ No, to the best of my knowledge, no related cases exist.
- ___ Yes, all related cases are listed on Family Law Form 12.900(h).

ATTORNEY OR PARTY SIGNATURE

I CERTIFY that the information I have provided in this cover sheet is accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature _____ FL Bar No.: _____
 Attorney or party (Bar number, if attorney)

 (Type or print name) Date

IF A NONLAWYER HELPED YOU FILL OUT THIS FORM, HE/SHE MUST FILL IN THE BLANKS BELOW: [fill in all blanks]

I, {full legal name and trade name of nonlawyer} _____, a nonlawyer,
 whose address is {street} _____, {city} _____,
 {state} _____, {phone} _____, helped {name} _____
 who is the [choose one only] ___ petitioner or ___ respondent, fill out this form.

Clerk of the Circuit Court
Hillsborough County

A DH513 Form must be completed each time a Final Judgment of Dissolution of Marriage or Annulment is entered. The DH513 Form must be submitted to the Office of Vital Statistics. To assist our office in completing this process please complete the below information sheet and submit it at the time of filing your petition.

Style of Case: _____ VS _____ Case Number: _____

Husband's Information:

Legal Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address: _____

City State Zip

Wife's Information:

Legal Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address: _____

City State Zip

Maiden Name: _____ Was Maiden name restored? Yes ___ No ___

Place of Marriage: _____
(County) (State)

Date of Marriage: _____
(Month) (Date) (Year)

Number of Children: _____ Under 18yrs. of age: _____

Attorney Information:

Legal Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Address: _____

City State Zip