

Unbundled Family Law

Fee Schedule

Transparent. Strategic. Pay-As-You-Go.

1. Intake, Screening & Strategic Positioning

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
File Opening	Admin + intake review	\$150 – \$300
Initial Consultation (60–90 min)	Legal advice + issue spotting	\$500 – \$900
Extended Consultation (2+ hrs)	Deep dive strategy session	\$900 – \$1,800
Urgent / Same-Day Consultation	Priority booking	\$1,200 – \$2,000
Case Triage Memo	Identify risks + priorities	\$900 – \$1,800
Full Legal Opinion Letter	Detailed written advice	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Litigation Roadmap	Step-by-step case plan	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Coaching Session (Self-Rep)	Tactical guidance	\$750 – \$1,500
Draft Separation Agreement	One draft and minor revisions	\$2,000 – \$5,000
Uncontested Divorce	Inclusive of disbursements and HST	\$2,200

2. Pleadings & File Commencement

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Draft Application (Form 8)	Claims + legal framing	\$3,500 – \$5,500
Draft Answer (Form 10)	Response + counterclaims	\$3,000 – \$5,000
Draft Reply	Targeted rebuttal	\$1,200 – \$2,000
Draft Amended Pleadings	Updates to claims/defence	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Draft Urgent Motion (without notice)	Emergency materials	\$5,000 – \$9,000
Draft Jurisdiction Challenge	Complex legal issue	\$4,000 – \$7,500
Pleadings Review (Client-Drafted)	Edit + legal corrections	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Filing Instructions Package	Step-by-step filing guide	\$400 – \$800

3. Financial Disclosure

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Financial Statement Draft	Form 13/13.1 completion	\$2,500 – \$4,500
Financial Statement Review	Error checking + revisions	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Document Checklist Creation	Tailored disclosure list	\$400 – \$900
Disclosure Organization	Sorting + labeling docs	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Disclosure Gap Analysis	Identify missing items	\$1,500 – \$3,500
NFP Calculation	Property division math	\$1,800 – \$3,500
Pension/Business Flagging Memo	Identify valuation issues	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Imputing Income Analysis	Legal argument prep	\$2,500 – \$5,000
Support Range Calculation	Child/spousal support ranges	\$800 – \$1,500

4. Conferences

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Case Conference Brief Draft	Facts + issues + orders sought	\$2,500 – \$4,500
Case Conference Brief Review	Edit client draft	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Case Conference Coaching	Prep client for court	\$1,000 – \$2,000
Case Conference Attendance	Court appearance	\$2,500 – \$4,500
Settlement Conference Brief Draft	Settlement framing	\$3,500 – \$6,000
Settlement Conference Coaching	Strategy prep	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Settlement Conference Attendance	Court appearance	\$3,500 – \$6,500
Conference Outcome Memo	Summary + next steps	\$800 – \$1,500

5. Motions

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Motion Strategy Session	Issue framing + likelihood	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Notice of Motion Draft	Core document	\$800 – \$1,500
Affidavit Draft (Primary)	Main evidence document	\$3,000 – \$6,000
Exhibits Compilation	Organizing attachments	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Factum Draft	Legal argument	\$2,500 – \$5,000
Motion Materials Assembly	Full package	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Motion Coaching	Prep for self-argument	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Motion Attendance	Court appearance	\$4,000 – \$7,500
Reply Affidavit	Responding evidence	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Cross-Motion Materials	Defence drafting	\$3,500 – \$6,500

6. Evidence Development & Case Building

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Affidavit Draft (Additional)	Per affidavit	\$2,500 – \$5,000
Parenting Evidence Package	Organized parenting proof	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Chronology Document	Timeline of events	\$1,000 – \$2,000
Document Brief	Indexed evidence binder	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Disclosure Summaries	Key document summaries	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Issue List Creation	Legal issue breakdown	\$800 – \$1,500
Expert Coordination	Liaison + document prep	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Voice-of-Child / OCL Prep	Client preparation	\$1,500 – \$3,000

7. Settlement & Negotiation

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Settlement Strategy Session	Negotiation planning	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Offer to Settle Draft	Legal framing	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Offer Review (Incoming)	Risk analysis	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Negotiation Coaching	Scripts + positioning	\$1,200 – \$2,500
Lawyer-Led Negotiation	Direct negotiation	\$3,000 – \$6,000
Minutes of Settlement Draft	Final agreement	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Settlement Review Package	Final legal check	\$1,200 – \$2,500

8. Trial Preparation

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Trial Strategy Session	Case theory + themes	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Trial Record Preparation	Full compliance	\$4,500 – \$9,000
Trial Brief Draft	Legal arguments	\$3,500 – \$7,000
Book of Authorities	Case law compilation	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Witness Preparation	Per witness	\$1,200 – \$3,000
Cross-Examination Plan	Question outlines	\$2,500 – \$5,000
Direct Examination Prep	Question planning	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Exhibit List + Organization	Trial exhibits	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Trial Coaching Package	Self-rep prep bundle	\$4,000 – \$8,000

9. Trial

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Trial Attendance (Per Day)	Court representation	\$6,000 – \$10,000/day
Half-Day Appearance	Short matters	\$3,500 – \$6,000
Daily Trial Prep	Prep for next day	\$2,500 – \$5,000
Opening Statement Draft	Written/oral prep	\$2,000 – \$4,000
Closing Submissions (Written)	Final arguments	\$4,000 – \$8,000
Trial Coaching (Daily)	Self-rep support	\$2,500 – \$5,000/day

10. Post-Judgment & Ongoing Litigation

Service	Scope	Fee (CAD)
Draft Final Order	Court order drafting	\$1,500 – \$3,000
Order Review	Check for accuracy	\$800 – \$1,500
Enforcement Motion	Draft + file	\$3,500 – \$7,000
Contempt Motion	Enforcement escalation	\$4,000 – \$8,000
Variation Motion	Change existing order	\$4,000 – \$8,000
Stay Motion (Appeal)	Urgent relief	\$3,500 – \$7,000
Appeal Strategy Session	Legal advice	\$1,500 – \$3,000

Important Information

- All services are provided on a limited scope (unbundled) basis under a signed limited scope retainer agreement.
- Fees are payable in advance of the work being performed.
- Fee ranges reflect the complexity and scope of the particular matter. Your specific quote will be confirmed before work begins.
- Additional charges may apply for urgency, complexity, or expanded scope beyond the original engagement.
- HST will be applied to all fees where applicable.