

**NOTICE OF MANDATORY ATTENDANCE OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM
IN CASES INVOLVING CHILDREN**

Pursuant to Administrative Order #02-35-S mandatory attendance at an educational program (seminar) is established as a required policy in Seminole County for all parties in family law actions where they are minor children involved, effective January 1, 1995. In all domestic relations cases involving divorce, separate maintenance, paternity, change of custody or modification of visitation filed after that date, the parties shall attend and complete an approved four (4) hour seminar/program, within sixty (60) days of service of the petition upon respondent, and shall file a certificate of completion with the Clerk of the Circuit Court; otherwise, they shall bring the certificate with them to the next scheduled hearing. Except as authorized by the Administrative Order, no judge shall enter an order of final judgment, other than emergency orders, without proof of such compliance being received from the parties, and filed in the court file. All parties to whom this requirement applies, unless excused by the judge, shall be responsible for enrolling in and completing such course, and for paying the required fee as established by providing agency by the party attending.

Agencies approved the court for providing such education are listed below:

SEMINOLE COUNTY:

CHILD OF DIVORCE

**Child & Family Consultants
(321) 768-6800**

HELPING FAMILIES COPE WITH DIVORCE

**Center for Counseling & Consulting, Inc.
(407) 678-6655 ext. 3**

CHILDREN OF DIVORCE TRANSPARENTING

**Family Counseling Center of Brevard
(321) 632-5792**

PARENTING EDUCATION & DIVORCE STABILIZATION COURSE

**Alternative Behavior Services
(321) 951-3993**

COPING WITH DIVORCE

**Dr. John Grbac, Psy.D.
(407) 447-5437
www.DrJohnGrbac.com**

2 PARENTS 2 HOMES

**Stephanie Byrd, MS, LMFT
(321) 821-4410
Teresa Harris, Psy.D, LMHC
(321) 576-2299
Nancy Vega-Brady, MA, LMHC
(321) 355-8673
www.2parents2homes.com**

PARENTING COURSE

**Psychological Wellness
(407) 830-6033
www.pwcsinc.com**

A BETTER DIVORCE COURSE

Beverly Y. Dabrio, MA

Maurice Martinez, MA

(407) 276-1808

www.betterdivorcecourse.com

TRANSPARENTING

Dr. Sheryl Ferguson

(954) 476-0255

www.thepsychcenter.net

DIVIDED LOYALTIES

Psychological Affiliates, Inc.

(407) 740-6838

www.psychologicalaffiliates.com

FAMILY STABILIZATION & DIVORCE

MOMMY, DADDY AND ME

(321) 433-3570

(321) 723-2927

www.yellowumbrella.org

PARENT EDUCATION & FAMILY STABILIZATION COURSE

Western Judicial Service, Inc.

(321) 631-6976

www.westernjudicial.com

A CHILD'S LIFE

Life Works Parenting Tools

(722) 288-9886

www.lwpt.org

GEE RESOLUTIONS COUNSELING CENTER

Kevin Lewis, LMHC

(321) 631-8569

(321) 631-8570

A PARENTING & DIVORCE COURSE EDUCATION PROGRAMS

(800) 767-8193

www.educationprograms.com

www.onlinedivorceprogram.com

SURVIVING DIVORCE – A GUIDE FOR PARENTS

Danica Joan Fields, M.Ed.

(888) 310-6630 ext. 3

www.kidsneedboth.org/classes

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Pursuant to Administrative Order VL-FM-98-004 mandatory attendance at a parenting education course is established as a policy in Volusia County for all parties in family law cases involving visitation or custody issues. It is the responsibility of the Petitioner to provide the Respondent with a copy of these instructions and the list of providers.

Each party required to attend shall successfully complete the chosen program within 90 days of receipt of these instructions or before the scheduled trial date, whichever is sooner. Each party who successfully completes the program shall file a Certificate of Completion with the Clerk of the Court, who shall file said Certificate in the appropriate case file.

Failure to attend may result in appropriate sanctions.

PARENTING EDUCATION COURSE PROVIDERS
Sec. 61.21, Florida Statutes

VOLUSIA COUNTY:

FAMILY & PARENT STABILIZATION CLASS

Mental Health America of East Central Florida

Bob Decker, Ph.D., NCC, LMHC

(386) 252-5785

www.mhavolusia.org

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