

DIVORCE ROADMAP

Exploration

Is divorce right for you? Reflect on your relationship, needs, and future. Gather any necessary information and consider your options. An initial consultation with a family lawyer will help you gain clarity before making any life-changing decisions.

Discovery

During the separation period, key marital claims such as child custody, child support, spousal support, and property/debt division are addressed. We work with you to identify your goals and to pursue a path toward your next chapter.

Advocacy

Mediation, negotiation, litigation - no matter the route, we find the intersection of sharp strategy and relentless advocacy in every case. Our mission is to meet you where you are and guide you to where you need to be.

Separation

In North Carolina, a couple is considered separated for purposes of a future divorce once both spouses are residing under separate roofs with the intent of at least one spouse to end the marital relationship. For an absolute divorce, a year and a day of separation is required prior to filing the claim with the Court. More importantly, this year of separation is utilized to resolve the other legal matters that come with a marriage.

Support

Divorce takes a village. From legal advice to emotional support, building a strong team makes a difference. While an attorney helps navigate the legal realities, a therapist or financial analyst may prove critical to support your emotional and financial well-being every step of the way.

Divorce

You've made it - the end of the process is official! The legal end of a marriage is also the beginning of a new chapter. The paperwork is done, let the healing and rebuilding begin.