

**RAMSEY COUNTY FEE SCHEDULE
FINANCIAL EARLY NEUTRAL EVALUATION**

Effective June 1, 2011

NOTE: Each party's FENE hourly rate is to be determined individually.

For Parties Who Are Represented By Counsel:

The FENE fee for a party represented by counsel is one-half the hourly rate charged by that party's counsel. Counsel shall provide Court and the FENE evaluator with his or her hourly rate. In the event that more than one attorney at a firm represents the party, the highest hourly rate charged to the party shall be used to determine that party's FENE hourly rate.

For Parties Not Represented By Counsel:

The FENE fee for a party who is not represented by counsel is to be determined based upon their gross annual income using the following sliding fee scale:

0-\$25,000 gross per year:	\$25 per hour
\$25,000 - \$50,000 gross per year:	\$50 per hour
\$50,000 - \$75,000 gross per year:	\$75 per hour
\$75,000 - \$100,000 gross per year:	\$100 per hour
\$100,000 - \$125,000 gross per year:	\$125 per hour
\$125,000 - \$150,000 gross per year:	\$150 per hour
Over \$150,000 gross per year:	\$175 per hour

For Parties With A Current IFP:

1. The FENE fee for a party who has a current IFP and **who is not represented by counsel, or has a pro bono attorney**, shall be a one-time flat fee of \$50.
2. The FENE fee for a party who has a current IFP and **who is represented by counsel**, shall be one-half the hourly rate charged by that party's counsel. Counsel shall provide Court and the FENE evaluator with his or her hourly rate. In the event that more than one attorney at a firm represents the party, the highest hourly rate charged to the party shall be used to determine that party's FENE hourly rate.