

**SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT**  
**FAMILY COURT DIVISION**  
**SOCIAL EARLY NEUTRAL EVALUATION**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

The Second Judicial District Family Court Division seeks applications for private Social Early Neutral Evaluation ("SENE") providers.

- I. All candidates shall have:
  - A. Completed or taught certified training pursuant to Minn. Gen. R. Prac. 114.13(e), and
  - B. Accepted the attached SENE fee structure.
  
- II. Attorney candidates shall have:
  - A. At least five (5) years of experience as a family law attorney, and
  - B. An attorney license in good standing with the Minnesota Supreme Court, either in active or retired status.
  
- III. Other professional candidates shall have:
  - A. At least five (5) years of experience as a professional working in the area of family law with parenting matters, and
  - B. A professional license in good standing with the State of Minnesota, either in active or retired status.

Interested applicants that meet the above-mentioned criteria should send a resume and cover letter that includes the names of other SENE providers they have worked with or with whom they would like to work, by Friday, June 7, 2013 to:

Second Judicial District Family Court Division  
ATTN: Susan Segerstrom  
Room 160 Ramsey County Courthouse  
15 West Kellogg Boulevard  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55102.

**RAMSEY COUNTY FEE SCHEDULE**

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Effective April 1, 2010  
Revised: May 2013

**NOTE:** Each party's SENE hourly rate is determined individually.

**For parties represented by counsel:**

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

**For parties not represented by counsel:**

The SENE fee for a party 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 SENE 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 \$50.00.
2. The SENE fee for a party who has a current IFP and **who is represented by counsel,** shall be the hourly rate charged by that party's counsel. Counsel shall provide Court and the SENE evaluator(s) 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 SENE hourly rate.