

**HENNEPIN COUNTY SENE FEE**  
**SCHEDULE<sup>1</sup>**

**SOCIAL EARLY NEUTRAL EVALUATION**  
Effective September 11, 2019

Initial SENE Sessions are 4 Hours.

**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 one-half 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 (\$100 for initial 4-hour session)
\$25,000 - \$50,000 gross per year:	\$50 per hour (\$200 for initial 4-hour session)
\$50,000 - \$75,000 gross per year:	\$75 per hour (\$300 for initial 4-hour session)
\$75,000 - \$100,000 gross per year:	\$100 per hour (\$400 for initial 4-hour session)
\$100,000 - \$125,000 gross per year:	\$125 per hour (\$500 for initial 4-hour session)
\$125,000 - \$150,000 gross per year:	\$150 per hour (\$600 for initial 4-hour session)
Over \$150,000 gross per year:	\$175 per hour (\$700 for initial 4-hour session)

**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 one-half 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.

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<sup>1</sup> This Fee Schedule applies to those SENEs using rostered providers not done through Hennepin County Family Court Services.