

Family law Fees

Solicitors 5 years + qualified experience **£250 per hour**

Other qualified Solicitors **£200 per hour**

Trainee Solicitors and Paralegal **£180 per hour**

Our fee ranges vary depending on the application being made, the complexity of the matter, and the experience of our specialist advisor assisting you. We agree the fee in advance to give you peace of mind.

Our fee includes:

- Consultation in detail and confirming the most appropriate action
- Giving you advice on the specific aspect of your case
- Advice on jurisdiction and legislation
- Where necessary, helping you obtain further evidence (such as social service reports, independent expert reports, bank statements and taking statements of any witnesses)
- Assistance in completing and submitting applications forms
- Email or phone contact to keep you up-to-date regarding your application
- Liaising, where necessary, with third parties, including the Court officials.

Our fee does not include:

- VAT (where applicable)
- Application fees
- Third party providers' fees
- Interpreting or translation fees
- Independent expert reports, where required
- Barristers' fees, where required
- Courier fees
- Further work, where necessary, following submission of application. This can be agreed with a further fixed fee or an hourly rate, as appropriate should the need arise.

Initial Consultation

- Initial Consultation involves an in-person conference at our offices with one of our specialists, during which we take full instructions regarding your circumstances so that we can offer full advice regarding the options that are available to you. Following the consultation, we confirm our advice in a letter with details of all the options available.

Fixed fee ranges from £150 – £500

Divorce

On average, this type of work takes between 10 - 15 hours to complete. Depending on the complexity of the case the average costs are between £2000-£20,000. Our standard fixed fee for a non-complex petition is £2000. All figures exclude VAT.

Child arrangements

On average, this type of work takes between 15-50 hours to complete per matter. The average costs are between £2,500- £5000 depending on the fee-earners hourly rate and complexity of the case. Our standard fixed fee is £2,500 for non-complex applications. All figures exclude VAT.

Protective orders

On average, this type of work takes between 10-25 hours to complete per matter. The average costs are between £2,000-£4500 depending on the fee-earners hourly rate and complexity of the case. Our standard fixed fee is £2000 for non-complex matters. All figures exclude VAT.