

**GUAM FAMILY LAW OFFICE**

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**CHILD SUPPORT WORKSHEET**

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Before you meet with Attorney Bill Pesch, please provide the following information. Fill out all questions to the best of your knowledge. If this is to be a consent matter, it is important that you discuss the answers with the other parent. You may attach additional sheets of paper, if needed.

**FULL NAME OF FATHER:** (Please do not use initials)

First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_ Last: \_\_\_\_\_

**FULL NAME OF MOTHER:** (Please do not use initials)

First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_ Last: \_\_\_\_\_

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE RELATIONSHIP:**

Are, or were you and the other parent ever married? [ ] Yes [ ] No

If so, date of marriage: \_\_\_\_\_ If divorced, date of divorce: \_\_\_\_\_

If you and the other parent aren't married, when did you begin your relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

When did you and the other parent end the relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE FATHER:**

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of birth: City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Job/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer`s Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**INFORMATION ABOUT THE MOTHER:**

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of birth: City/Town \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Work phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Job/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**MILITARY SERVICE:**

Is either Father or Mother currently serving in the military **or** has either served in the military?

**FATHER:**             Yes                     No

If so, Branch of Service: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Service: From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

If Retired, how much is the **gross** monthly military retirement check: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**MOTHER:**             Yes                     No

If so, Branch of Service: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Service: From: \_\_\_\_\_ To: \_\_\_\_\_

If Retired, how much is the **gross** monthly military retirement check: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**CHILDREN OF THIS RELATIONSHIP and CUSTODY:** *Please list all children of the relationship under the age of 18.*

Full Name	Date of Birth	Sex
_____	_____	____ Male ____ Female
_____	_____	____ Male ____ Female
_____	_____	____ Male ____ Female

\_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_Female  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_Female  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_Female

With which parent does the child live most of the time?  Father  Mother  Equal with both

**CHILD SUPPORT, MEDICAL AND DENTAL INSURANCE, and LIFE INSURANCE:**

**A. CHILD SUPPORT: Child support is considered a right of the child and not of the parents. Parents cannot waive child support. The judge will not determine custody unless there is also an order for child support.** The amount of child support is determined by the Attorney General's Child Support Guidelines. There is very little flexibility in setting the amount of child support. The non-custodial parent **MUST** provide the custodial parent with support for the child/ren **AND** provide medical and dental insurance for the child/ren, if financially able to do so. The judge will order child support even if joint physical custody is awarded if there is a difference in the gross pay of the parents. Child support payments are usually made by automatic payroll deduction through the Attorney General's Office. PLEASE ANSWER ALL THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS TO HELP DETERMINE THE LEVEL OF CHILD SUPPORT.

1. What is EXACT GROSS monthly salary of father? \$\_\_\_\_\_ ***(You MUST attach last three pay stubs from your employment.)***

2. What is EXACT GROSS monthly salary of mother? \$\_\_\_\_\_ ***(You MUST attach last three pay stubs from your employment.)***

3. Are any of the children attending day care?  Yes  No

Is so, which child/ren: \_\_\_\_\_

If so, what is MONTHLY day care cost PER CHILD? \$\_\_\_\_\_

4. Are any of the children attending a private school?  Yes  No

If so, which child/ren: \_\_\_\_\_

If so, what is ANNUAL cost, including tuition, registration fees, and special assessments?

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

5. Is either Father  or Mother  paying spousal support (alimony) to a former spouse because of a court order?

Yes  No If so, how much is the payment? \$\_\_\_\_\_

6. Is either Father  or Mother  paying child support for another child/ren not of this relationship because of a court order?  Yes  No

If so, how much is the payment? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

7. Will the parents agree to extend child support beyond the child/ren's 19<sup>th</sup> birthday? Yes [ ] No [ ]  
(Under Guam law, child support is only required up to the 19<sup>th</sup> birthday or high school graduation, whichever comes first. However, if the parties agree, child support may be extended beyond this).

If so, up to what age will child support continue? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Are any children of the marriage between the ages of 13 and 18? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

- B. **MEDICAL and DENTAL INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CHILD/REN:** Normally, the non-custodial parent is required by law to provide the child/ren with medical and dental insurance.

1. Who is currently providing the child/ren with medical and dental insurance? [ ] Father [ ] Mother

2. Under which company or health and dental plan are child/ren currently covered?  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. What is the monthly current cost of the insurance? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

4. As part of this custody case, who will provide medical and dental insurance? [ ] Father [ ] Mother

5. Will the insurance coverage extend beyond the 18<sup>th</sup> birthday? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, up to what age will health and dental insurance continue? \_\_\_\_\_

- C. **LIFE INSURANCE COVERAGE:** Normally, both father and mother will agree to designate each child as a beneficiary of a life insurance policy and guarantee a minimum amount of coverage for each minor child.

1. Does Father currently have a life insurance policy? Yes [ ] No [ ] If so, is it: [ ] whole life [ ] term

With what company? \_\_\_\_\_ How much coverage? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

2. As part of this custody case, will Father designate the minor/s of this relationship as beneficiaries under his life insurance policy? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, for each minor Father designates as a beneficiary under his life insurance policy, how many dollars of coverage will that child get? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Will this coverage extend beyond the child/ren's 18<sup>th</sup> birthday? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, up to what age will insurance coverage continue? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Does Mother currently have a life insurance policy? Yes [ ] No [ ] If so, is it: [ ] whole life [ ] term

With what company? \_\_\_\_\_ How much coverage? \$\_\_\_\_\_

4. As part of this custody case, will Mother designate the minor/s of this marriage as beneficiaries under her life insurance policy? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, for each minor Mother designates as a beneficiary under her life insurance policy, how many dollars of coverage will that child get? \$\_\_\_\_\_

Will this coverage extend beyond the child/ren's 19<sup>th</sup> birthday? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, up to what age will insurance coverage continue? \_\_\_\_\_

**D. MISCELLANEOUS CHILD SUPPORT ISSUES:**

1. Who will take the tax deduction for the child/ren? *(Please keep in mind that the IRS requires the deducting parent to certify that s/he provides at least 50% of the cost of supporting the child. This can be a difficult burden for non-custodial parents to meet. However, the IRS will accept a written agreement between parties altering this preference.*

Father [ ] Mother [ ] Other arrangement: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Do you wish to make special provisions for the expense of your child/ren's college education? Yes [ ] No [ ]

If so, what are these provisions? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Does the other parent have an attorney with regard to this matter? [ ] Yes [ ] No

If so, who: \_\_\_\_\_

4. How did you find out about the Guam Family Law Office?

[ ] Newspaper [ ] From sign on building

[ ] From the internet [ ] Referral from \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] Other (Please explain): \_\_\_\_\_

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