

Center for Dialog & Resolution
MEDIATION SERVICES COMPARISON CHART

	Settlement Conference \$250 per party	Facilitative Mediation \$200 per party
Court Requirements	Fulfills pre-trial court requirement and the center files a service report with the court.	Fulfills dispute resolution requirement; may fulfill pre-trial requirement
Attorney's role (if you have an attorney)	Represents their client in settlement negotiations. <i>If parties are self-represented, they will be referred to facilitative mediation, to fulfill the court requirement.</i>	Clients speak for themselves during mediation. Attorney may be present to observe the process and support their client with legal advice during breaks.
Room set up	Shuttle-style mediation with THREE (3) rooms.	Joint session with Parties and Mediators in ONE (1) room.
Process	Settlement focused, directive, and evaluative. Agenda is set by unresolved legal issues.	Collaborative style that allows the parties to resolve conflict through structured communication. Agenda is not limited to legal issues.
Professional Mediator Volunteer	One Attorney-Mediator with at least FIVE (5) years' practice and CDR Settlement Conference Training.	Co-mediation model with TWO (2) Facilitative Mediators. No Attorney-Mediator.
Materials	As required by local court rules, a brief summary of case, positions, and possibility for settlement are due to CDR TWO (2) working days prior to session.	Parties bring relevant documents to the session.
*Support Person	Support People are always welcome in the waiting room. At the mediator's discretion, the Support Person may participate in the mediation.	Support People are always welcome in the waiting room. By mutual agreement a Support Person may be present in the mediation room.

FEES & POLICIES

The mediation process begins upon receipt of the Mediation Request and Payment. In order to prepare parties to mediate and before arriving for mediation, the Center will handle all scheduling, pre-mediation phone calls, official written correspondence, and any other forms of communication needed for preparation.

ALL PARTIES' FEES ARE DUE IN FULL *PRIOR* TO SCHEDULING A MEDIATION SESSION

Facilitative Mediation	\$200 per party – → \$100 additional for party requesting shuttle → \$100 additional for party phoning in from out of area
Workplace Facilitative Mediation	\$300 per party
Settlement Conference Mediation	\$250 per party
Landlord/ Tenant (2-hour session).....	\$50 per party; non-refundable
Parent and Teen.....	\$250 per family

Each mediation session has a set fee:

- Each party pays their portion of the fee, unless pre-negotiated or court ordered;
- Once a case is opened and regardless of the outcome, the Center For Dialog & Resolution will retain \$200 (\$100 per party) for administrative fees;
- Fees for all parties become non-refundable when a session is cancelled within 5 business days from the scheduled mediation date;
- All mediation sessions are scheduled for a maximum of 4-hours. It is at the discretion of the mediators to prolong the mediation for up to 30 additional minutes beyond the scheduled time;
- When an additional mediation session is requested following a completed mediation, standard mediation rates apply to schedule an additional session;

RESCHEDULING FEES:

- The party who postpones within 10 business days of the scheduled mediation date is responsible to pay a rescheduling fee (\$50);
- The party who postpones within two (2) business days of the scheduled mediation date is responsible to pay the rescheduling fee (\$200);
- Both parties must agree on and reschedule a new mediation within 60-days from the postponement date.