

## **Mediation Fee Schedule**

Rates are subsidized by grants and donations and do not reflect the true market value of services.

- Clients will be invoiced separately. We must receive payment or a Fee Waiver Application from both/all parties prior to mediation.
- If a party does not show up for a mediation session and we do not receive contact from that party prior to 24 hours, we will keep the **full** fee of the no-show party. We will refund the party who does attend (if the mediation is not rescheduled).
- Staff may modify/waive fees for parties in certain circumstances (see page 2). The fee of the other party will
  not be impacted. No one will be turned away due to inability to pay.

Initial Consultation:	1 hour free / party
Mediation (most case types):*	\$175/session/party (most sessions are about 2 hours;
	fee covers up to 3 hours.)*
	If part of Washington's Eviction Resolution Pilot
	Program, services are FREE
Mediation (agricultural, through Oregon's USDA Certified	4 Hours FREE if Oregon-based.
Agricultural Mediation Program):	\$175/session/party if Washington-based.
	No hourly cap if involving USDA agencies in Oregon.
	\$50/hour for mileage/travel for mediators (max \$200)
Farm Succession Planning:**	\$100/hour/family unit. Up to max rate of \$300/hour
	"Family unit" is defined as family owners of the
	company, i.e. all family members with ownership
	shares.
Individual meetings with parties prior to or between sessions (less common):	\$50/hour/party
Agreement drafting / reviewing with parties, if outside of	\$50/hour/party
session:	\$30/110di/party
Missed session/cancellation, less than 24 hours notice:	\$50 cancellation fee for canceling party
Rescheduling, greater than 24 hours notice:	\$15/per party

<sup>\*</sup>For mediations involving parties from the same household (e.g. parent/teen), the rate is \$175/session/household. For mediations involving parties from the same workplace, the rate is \$175/session/workplace.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Farm Succession planning is defined as passing ownership of the farm (including land, machinery, livestock, and contracts) to the next generation. Succession planning does not include the distribution of assets common to marriage dissolution, which is included in OCAMP's covered mediation services. The rate of \$100/hour/family unit covers mediated planning discussions. Additional contracted services, including evaluations of farm activities, drafting legal documents, and other specialty services would incur an additional cost.



## **Mediation Sliding Scale Fees**

You are welcome to apply for reduced fees based on income. If you are interested in reduced fees, please let the service coordinator know, and provide some sort of verification of income (paystubs, W-2, bank statement, etc.) for our records. No one will be turned away due to inability to pay.

GROSS INCOME	Per session/per party
\$29,999 or less annually	\$70
\$30,000-\$59,999	\$100
\$60,000+	\$175 (regular rate)

Staff have the discretion to fully waive fees under circumstances of extreme financial hardship. Staff may also modify fees for parties in certain circumstances. Those requesting fully waived fees will be asked to complete a Fee Waiver Application.

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