

How to calendar Family Law cases

***For child custody cases mediation must be done prior to bringing the matter to Calendar Call:*

[https://www.nccourts.gov/assets/documents/local-rules-forms/updated%20Notice-%20cusmed%20CMO%202021%20w%20Hyperlinks ff flowchart.pdf](https://www.nccourts.gov/assets/documents/local-rules-forms/updated%20Notice-%20cusmed%20CMO%202021%20w%20Hyperlinks%20ff%20flowchart.pdf)

Once the matter is ready to be set for hearing, choose a Family Law Calendar Call date here:

<https://www.nccourts.gov/locations/orange-county/orange-county-local-administrative-schedules>

Two weeks in advance have your NOH/Calendar Request and filing fee to the clerk. Be sure to review the draft calendar call docket and inform the clerk if you have a timely filed NOH and the matter is not listed.

A couple of days to the day before calendar call the TCC will post the availability of judges on the same link above. Pick three agreeable dates to propose in the event there is a last-minute change, or the date fills up before the matter is called.

NOTE: Hearing dates are not given except at calendar call!!

Attached is a blank NOH for Orange Family Law Calendar Call. Once the matter is set, submit “subsequent Notice of Hearing” and no payment is due.

[Notice of Hearing/Calendar Request - Fam](#)

How to calendar Non-Family Law cases

***Cases eligible for arbitration must go through arbitration.*

When the matter is ready to be set a hearing date, choose a Non-Family Law Calendar Call date here:

<https://www.nccourts.gov/locations/orange-county/orange-county-local-administrative-schedules>

Two weeks in advance have your NOH/Calendar Request and filing fee to the clerk. Be sure to review the draft calendar call docket and inform the clerk if you have a timely filed NOH and the matter is not listed.

A couple of days to the day before calendar call the TCC will post the availability of judges on the same link above. Pick three agreeable dates to propose in the event there is a last-minute change, or the date fills up before the matter is called.

Attached is a blank NOH for Orange Family Law Calendar Call. Once the matter is set, submit “subsequent Notice of Hearing” and no payment is due.

NOTE: Hearing dates are not given except at calendar call!!

[Notice of Hearing/Calendar Request - Non Fam](#)

For other case types see Order from Chief District Court Judge here:

<https://www.nccourts.gov/documents/local-rules-and-forms/administrative-order-in-re-establishing-district-court-civil-administrative-court-dates-and-calendar-rules>