

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS

DIVISION

COUNTY, OHIO

IN THE MATTER OF:

A Minor

Name

Street Address

City, State and Zip Code

Case No.

Judge

Magistrate

Plaintiff

vs.

Name

Street Address

City, State and Zip Code

Defendant

**WARNING: This form is not a substitute for the benefit of the advice of legal counsel. It is highly recommended that you consult an attorney.**

**Instructions:** This form is used to establish parentage of the child(ren), be designated as the residential parent, or obtain parenting time (companionship and visitation) with the child(ren). A Request for Service (Uniform Domestic Relations Form 31), a Parenting Proceeding Affidavit (Uniform Domestic Relations Form - Affidavit 3) and an Affidavit of Basic Information, Income and Expenses (Uniform Domestic Relations Form - Affidavit 1) must be filed with this Complaint. The Court may require additional forms to accompany this document. You must check the requirements of the county in which you file. **YOU MUST UPDATE THE CLERK OF COURTS IF ANY OF THE ABOVE CONTACT INFORMATION CHANGES.**

**COMPLAINT FOR PARENTAGE,  
ALLOCATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES (CUSTODY), AND  
PARENTING TIME (COMPANIONSHIP AND VISITATION)**

Now comes Plaintiff and states as follows:

1. Plaintiff is a parent of the following child(ren):

Name of Child	Date of Birth
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

2. Defendant, \_\_\_\_\_ (name) is a parent of the following child(ren):

Name of Child	Date of Birth
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

3. The child(ren) has/have resided in \_\_\_\_\_ County, Ohio since \_\_\_\_\_ (date).

4. A parent-child relationship has been established for the following child(ren):

Name of Child	Date of Birth	Established by
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Acknowledgement of Paternity
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Order
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Court Order
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Acknowledgement of Paternity
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Order
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Court Order
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_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Order
_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/> Court Order

5. A parent-child relationship has not been established for the following child(ren):

Name of Child	Date of Birth
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

6.  No Court has issued an order of parenting or support for the following child(ren):

Name of Child	Date of Birth
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

The following child(ren) is/are subject to an existing order of parenting or support of another Court:

Name of Child	Date of Birth
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

7. Plaintiff requests that the Court: (*check all that apply*)

- Order genetic testing and determine the parent of the child(ren).
- Designate \_\_\_\_\_ (parent's name) as the parent of the child(ren) \_\_\_\_\_ (child(ren)'s name).
- Change the child(ren)'s name to \_\_\_\_\_.
- Correct the child(ren)'s birth certificate(s) to indicate the child(ren)'s parent.
- Adopt the proposed Shared Parenting Plan which is attached.
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- Designate the residential parent and legal custodian of the child(ren).
- Order reasonable parenting time (companionship or visitation).
- Order child support, allocate the income tax dependency exemption, and determine who should provide health insurance coverage for the child(ren).
- Order the Ohio Department of Health to prepare (a) new birth certificate(s) for the child(ren).
- Other: (*specify*) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Attorney or Self Represented Party Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Fax Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail

\_\_\_\_\_  
Supreme Court Reg No. (if any)