

# Family Mediation Canada

# Membership Application



## **ABOUT FMC MEMBERSHIP:**

FMC and your provincial/territorial association are a part of a network of interdisciplinary professionals made up of private and court connected mediators, lawyers, social workers, judges, human services, health care professionals, clergy, and students. We work together to create a better way to provide for cooperative conflict resolution.

## **WHAT WE DO:**

- FMC has the only national certification program for family mediators
- FMC is a clearing-house of information for family mediators and other professionals interested in the field
- FMC has earned nationwide respect, and is recognized by both government and non-government organizations as a leader in family mediation
- FMC works in partnership with government agencies and with non-government organizations, to promote the best interests of the public and to advance the use of mediation as an alternate form of dispute resolution
- FMC does more than any other organization in Canada to offer learning opportunities for family mediators, through its conferences and webinars
- FMC provides awareness at a national level to consumers and other professionals on the benefits of mediation

**WHAT FMC CAN DO FOR YOU?  
MEMBERS ONLY...**

- are given the opportunity to seek national FMC Mediator Certification
  - will be listed on our web site *member listings*, for consumer referrals
  - are referred to consumers upon their request for mediators in their area
  - can take advantage of our group rates on Professional Liability Insurance
  - benefit from a national voice for the field of mediation
  - receive a reduction on FMC conference and webinar rates
  - receive subscriptions to our national publications, *Resolve* and *Resolve Express* and receive discounted rates on publication advertising
  - receive discounted rates on promotional materials
  - can link their website to FMC's website
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**MEMBER INFORMATION**

**(Please enter the address that you would like posted on FMC's website)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_

Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

**HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT FMC?**

Were you referred to FMC by a member?

Yes  No

If yes, who can we thank for your membership? \_\_\_\_\_

If not referred by a FMC Member, how did you hear about Family Mediation Canada?

**PAYMENT INFORMATION:**

**(FMC's membership year is 12 calendar months)**

- I am a New Member
- I am a previously lapsed member, renewing

**Fees:**

**National Membership Dues - \$125.00**

(This fee is applicable to Alberta, British Columbia, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Newfoundland, Nunavut, Northwest Territories, Ontario, Quebec, Saskatchewan, Yukon, USA and International Members.)

**Two Years Membership Dues - \$225.00**

**Supporting/Student Membership Dues - \$25.00**

(Please note: The benefits of the website, member referral service and insurance rates are not extended to supporting/student members.)

***Plus...***

**Provincial Membership Dues:**

**Nova Scotia - \$20.00**

**Prince Edward Island - \$25.00**

**Amount to be paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_** (per the membership rates information above)

**Payment Method:**     Cheque     Visa     M/C     Amex

**Credit Card #:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Expiry Date:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**Name on Card:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATION:**

DEGREE/CERTIFICATE	INSTITUTION	YEAR OF COMPLETION

**ISSUES MEDIATED:**

**(Please check all that apply)**

- Separation/Divorce (Access, Custody)
- Separation/Divorce (Financial, Property)
- Separation/Divorce (Comprehensive)
- Victim/Offender
- Small Claims
- Organizational
- Child Welfare
- Parent-Teen
- Children and School
- Personal Injury
- Commercial
- Environment/Land Use

**LANGUAGES: (Please check all that apply)**

- English
- Spanish
- Italian
- French
- German
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**A FEW QUESTIONS ABOUT YOU: (Please check all that apply)**

- I am currently practicing mediation;  
~How many years have you been practicing mediation? \_\_\_\_\_
- I want to be included on the FMC referral listing
- I provide mediation training
- I provide internship, mentoring or supervision opportunities
- I am a judge
- I am a policymaker/legislator

**MEDIATION COURSES TAKEN:**

COURSE	INSTRUCTOR	HRS	DATE COMPLETED

**PLEASE INDICATE YOUR TOP THREE REASONS FOR JOINING FMC:**

**(Please check all that apply)**

- National Voice
- Member Referrals
- Group Insurance
- Promotional Material
- Networking Opportunities
- Certification Program
- Resolve Magazine
- Discounted Ad Rates
- Conferences/Webinars
- Website Link

**Are you interested in becoming more involved with FMC? FMC is always looking for members who would like to play a critical role in developing this organization from the inside. If any of the following committee's are of interest to you please select one:**

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|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> FMC's Board of Directors            | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership Committee |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Governance Committee                | <input type="checkbox"/> Awards Committee     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Certification Committee             | <input type="checkbox"/> Education Committee  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Conference Committee                | <input type="checkbox"/> Diversity Committee  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Outreach/Website Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____         |

**BACKGROUND CATEGORY: (Please check applicable category)**

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|--|---------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social and Human Services | <input type="checkbox"/> Law    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Health |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____              |                                 |

**PLEASE SELECT YOUR POSITION:**

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Administrator       | <input type="checkbox"/> Lawyer              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Worker       | <input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private Business    | <input type="checkbox"/> Civil Servant       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paralegal           | <input type="checkbox"/> Physician           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychologist        | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatrist        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Nursing | <input type="checkbox"/> Therapist/Counselor |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Teacher/Professor   | <input type="checkbox"/> Clergy              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lay Person          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____        |

**OTHER SERVICES YOU PROVIDE: (Please check all that apply)**

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Assessments                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Arbitration           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Violence Counseling  | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Counseling     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Legal Counseling            | <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage Counseling   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parenting Education         | <input type="checkbox"/> Credit Counseling     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Survivors of Sexual Assault | <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Counseling |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elder Mediation             | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____          |

**PROFESSIONAL SETTING: (Please select the ONE that best applies)**

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Private Practice | <input type="checkbox"/> Court-based       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government       | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit Agency |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education        | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____      |

*Please share this membership form with anyone you feel would benefit from joining Family Mediation Canada.*

**Adherence to FMC's Code of Professional Conduct is a condition of Membership, to which I agree to abide.**

**<http://www.fmc.ca/pdf/CodeProfessionalConduct.pdf>**

Yes Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Family Mediation Canada**

**“Helping families succeed” since 1985**

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