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## FAMILY LAW ASSISTANCE DURING COURT SHUTDOWN

### **ARE THE COURTS CLOSED?**

Not completely, but they are only hearing certain types of cases due to limited availability. Due to Court closures until April 24, 2020 (at a minimum), the courts are allowing phone calls for some cases. You do not need to appear for court, simply contact the court or your attorney to get information on the court call system.

### **If you need an emergency hearing...**

If you want or need to file documents with the court we can provide guidance. Contact [Christine@brumleylawfirm.com](mailto:Christine@brumleylawfirm.com) and we can respond with information to assist you.

### **If you have court scheduled before April 24, 2020...**

Your court hearing may be continued to a later date. This is not the case for criminal cases for individuals who are currently in jail. Contact [Christine@brumleylawfirm.com](mailto:Christine@brumleylawfirm.com) and we can respond with information to assist you.

### **If you do not want to have a phone hearing for your case...**

An attorney may be able to motion for continuance due to changes in the courts. Contact [Christine@brumleylawfirm.com](mailto:Christine@brumleylawfirm.com) and we can respond with information to assist you.