

# FAMILY LAW BASICS

**Sessions:  
4 - 6 p.m.  
April 5, 12, 19, and 26, 2011  
Burleigh County Courthouse**

- April 5: Welcome by Justice VandeWalle  
Overview of Statutes and Rules / Property and Debt Listings – 90 minutes  
(Sherry Mills Moore)  
Professionalism in Family Law Context – 20 minutes (David Maring)
- April 12: (Feland)  
Child Support (Child Support Enforcement Agency w/ mock contempt hearing  
included.) – 90 minutes  
Electronic Communications in Family Law – The Ethics Concerns - 20 minutes  
(Justice Crothers)
- April 19: (Feland)  
Discovery Issues and Ethics - 15 minutes (Pat Garrity)  
Interim Order Hearings - 15 minutes (Ann Mahoney)  
Protection Orders - 15 minutes (**contact advocates**)  
Ethical Issues for Judges – 10 minutes (Justice Sandstrom)  
Mediation - 30 minutes (Cathy Ferderer)  
Parenting Plans - 25 minutes (Bethany Abrams / Sandy Kuntz)
- April 26: (Romanick)  
Financial Considerations - 30 minutes (Sheldon Smith)  
Security Issues - 20 minutes (Ralph Mowder)  
Summary Divorce Proceedings -15 minutes (John Grinsteiner)  
Post-Judgment Issues:  
Change of Residential Responsibility / Move Out of State / Parenting  
Coordinators - 40 minutes (Suzanne Schweigert)

- The sessions will run from 4 - 4:55 and from 5:05 - 6 p.m.
- We will provide binders. If there are materials to be included, we will copy them and have them available the day of the presentation. We will work with presenters – we like to get materials as early as possible, but the presenters are volunteers!
- There's still time to make adjustments as necessary. We could fill many more hours, but we're really aiming at the basics!