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Court forms and instructions for family court matters (child support, custody, parenting time) are available at the Minnesota Court Forms website: www.courts.state.mn.us/ctforms

Other links:
MN Fathers & Families Network
www.mnfather.org

National Center for Fathering
http://fathers.com/

Fathers' Resource Program
Who We Are:
The MAHUBE-OTWA’s Fathers’ Resource Program provides supportive services to strengthen and empower children and their families; preparing them for a better tomorrow.

The Fathers’ Resource Program exists to provide support to parents so that children will feel secure, loved and connected to their parents.

Program Eligibility:
The MAHUBE-OTWA Fathers’ Resource Program is available in Becker, Clay, Grant, Morrison, Pope, Otter Tail, Todd, Traverse, and Wilkin.

All services are individually customized to your needs and completely confidential.

Services Available:

- **Assist Parents Complete ProSe Motions:** Modify child support, change custody, parenting time assistance, or establishment of custody and parenting time. The Fathers’ Resource Program does not provide legal counsel, but does assist with filling out court forms, gathering information to support motions and scheduling hearing.

- **Information:** parenting, discipline, child development and conflict resolutions.

- **One-On-One Support:** Parents experiencing difficulties with parenting issues, visitation schedules or relationship building.

- **Information and Referral:** Each individual will be assessed and given appropriate referrals or information.

The Importance of Fatherhood:
Research demonstrates that children benefit in a variety of ways when they have significant positive involvement both parents. These findings are increasingly being noted as a reason for strengthening the relationship between dads and their children.

Increased father involvement protects children from engaging in delinquent behavior and is associated with less substance abuse among adolescents, and a lower frequency of symptoms such as ‘acting out’, disruptive behavior, and depression.