

**PETITION AND PAPERS FOR ORDER ABOUT PATERNITY, LEGAL
DECISION MAKING, SUPPORT and PARENTING TIME
(CHECKLIST)**

Use the forms if the following factors apply to your situation:

- You want a court order that declares paternity and legal decision making, parenting time, and support, **AND**
- The minor child(ren) resided (lived) in Arizona at least 6 months (or since birth if younger than 6 months) before you file the petition or you talked to a lawyer who advised you that even so you could pursue the case in Arizona.

Do not use the forms and instructions in this packet if the following factors apply to your situation:

- You already have an order of paternity but not legal decision making or support. Use the forms to get a court order establishing legal decision making instead.

READ: Signing and filing these documents will permanently affect the legal rights and responsibilities of all parties involved. Consult a lawyer to assist you in making an informed, intelligent decision. You may view the lists of lawyers by going to www.azbar.org.