



San Diego Superior Court Family Law eFiling

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The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL courtfiling.net. The page features a dark blue header with navigation links: Home, Pricing, Blog, About, and Contact. Below the header is the CourtFiling.net logo and a row of buttons for state selection: California, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, and Texas. A yellow banner below the navigation contains a COVID-19 information link. The main content area features a large image of a computer monitor displaying the CourtFiling.net dashboard. To the right of the monitor, the text reads "Fast & Secure Court eFiling Services" followed by "Select a state to get started:" and a dropdown menu with a thumbs-up icon and the text "- Select your state -". A "Live Chat Support" button is located in the bottom right corner of the page.



Today's Agenda



- eFiling Updates & Deadlines
- State and Local eFiling rules
- FAQs
- Reasons for Rejected Documents
- Dashboard Overview
- Initiating a New Case
- Filing on an Existing Case
- Q&A



San Diego Family Law eFiling is permissive as of May 26, 2020.



We're taking off in
San Diego!



Permissive v. Mandatory

- Permissive
 - eFiling is allowed
- Mandatory
 - eFiling is required



EFSP v. EFM

- Electronic Filing Service Provider (EFSP):
 - A company/organization that provides a portal to submit documents (filings) to the court electronically.
- Electronic Filing Manager (EFM):
 - A portal for court clerks to receive efilings from filers and choose to accept or reject the documents.

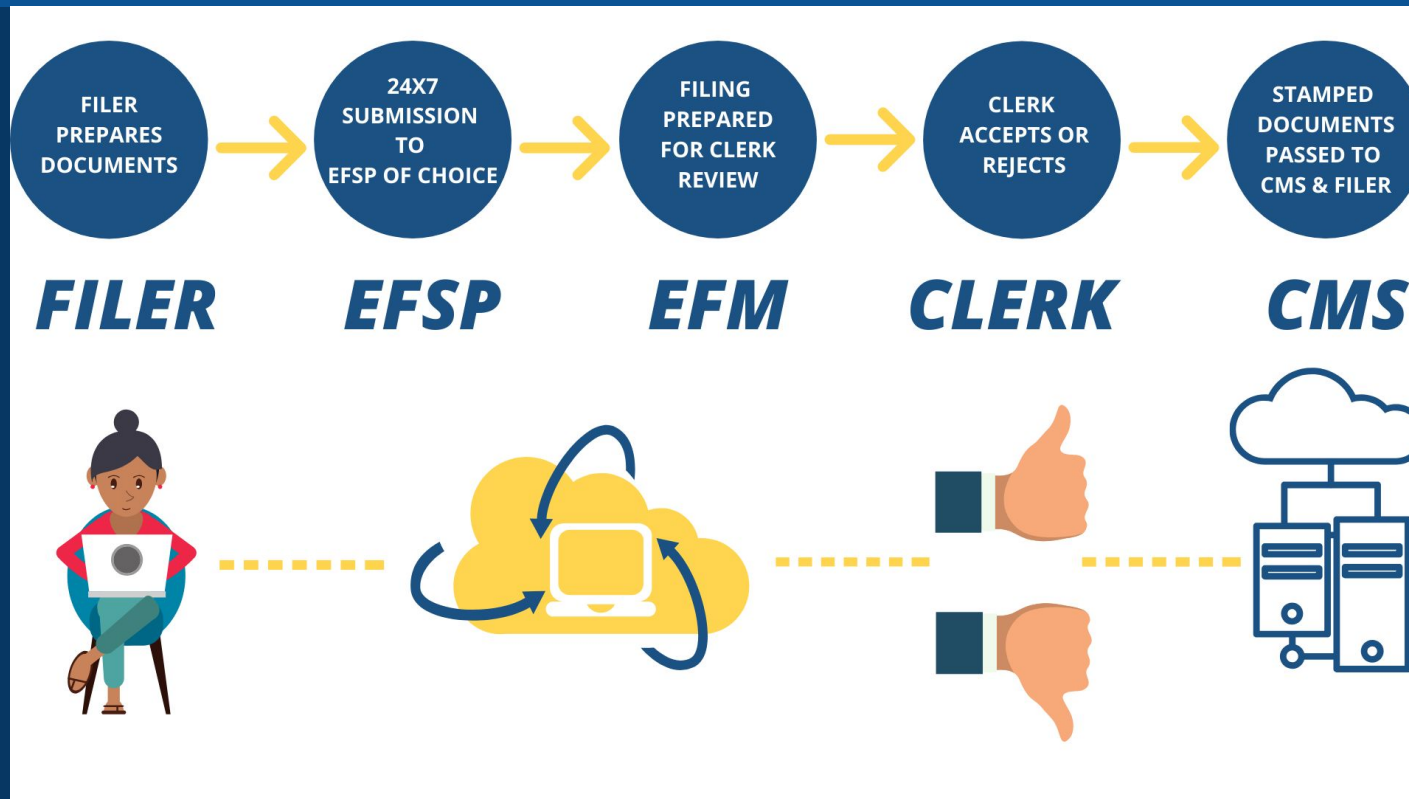




How It Works...



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State Rules





State Rules

- California Rules of Court, rules 2.250-2.261 and California Code of Civil Procedure 1010.6
 - Filed & Received Ribbons (CRC 2.259(e))
 - Filing Hours (CRC 2.253(b)(7))
 - Electronic Signatures (CRC 2.257, CCP 1010.6)
 - Electronic Certification (GC 68150(g))
- Click [here](#) for all California eFiling Rules





Local Rules

ORDER NO. 052220-55 , dated May 22, 2020

Click [here](#) for the San Diego eFiling Guide





Local Rules

ORDER NO. 052220-55 , dated May 22, 2020

- Service of Notice
- “Imaged” Identified
- Original Documents
- Proposed Orders
- Exhibits
- Confidential Documents
- Lodged Documents





Family Law eFiling Exception List: Case Types

- No eFilings are permitted for the following case types:
 - Domestic Violence (DVPA) Cases
 - Surrogacy Cases
 - Family Support Division Cases





Family Law Exception List: Document Type

- Application and Order for Publication/Posting
- Department of Child Support Services/Family Support Division Filings
- Domestic Violence Paperwork (Initial and Subsequent Filings)
- Earnings Assignment Orders/ Income Withholding Orders
- Ex Parte Filings
- Findings and Orders After Hearing
- Judgments
- Mandatory Settlement Conference Briefs
- Notice of Lodgments Accompanying Exhibits
- Order on Request to Continue Hearing (FL-307)
- Proposed Orders
- QDRO's
- Request for Dismissal
- Request to Continue Hearing (FL-306)
- Requests to Appear Telephonically
- Stipulations and Orders
- Subpoenaed Documents
- Surrogacy Filings
- Trial Exhibits
- Writs/Abstracts



Frequently Asked Questions





FAQs



- What is the expected turnaround time?
 - Turnaround time will depend on the type of document filed. The Court attempts to confirm the filing or receipt of documents within two business days. Proposed orders, writs, abstracts, and other documents requiring review and/or further action by the Court may take longer than two days to process.





FAQs



- What are the eFiling Hours?
 - You may submit your filings electronically 24 hours a day. Any eFiling received by the Court before midnight will be deemed received or filed on the same business day if accepted. Any eFiling submitted after midnight will be deemed received or filed as of the next business day if accepted.





FAQs



- What do I do if my documents are rejected?
 - Any Notice of Rejection sent by the Court will include the reason for the return of the document. If your document is rejected, correct the deficiency and resubmit the document via eFiling. If the document is not timely filed as a result of the rejection or filing error, you will need to apply to the Court for relief or other corrective order.





Reasons for Rejection



ACCEPTED

REJECTED





Common Reasons for Rejection



- Failing to follow California Rules of Court
- Documents are not submitted as separate PDFs in the same transaction/envelope,
- Incorrect case number, filing document name, or court location
- Mismatched party information
- Incorrect case type or case category selected.
- Duplicate submission.
- Submitted after filing deadline.
- Document is not bookmarked and/or text searchable.





eFiling Demonstration through the CourtFiling.net





QUESTIONS & ANSWERS



CourtFiling Support or demo?

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