

Family Law — Preliminary Document Checklist

A general checklist for organising information in maintenance, divorce or domestic-violence matters.

Important: This checklist is for general legal information only. It is not a substitute for advice on the facts of a particular matter. Applicable law and requirements may change.

1. Identity & relationship documents

- Identity/address documents
- Marriage/relationship records where relevant
- Details of children/dependants where applicable

2. Financial information

- Income and employment details
- Banking/asset/liability records where relevant
- Household and dependent-expense information

3. Relevant communications / incidents

- Keep important communications in original form
- Maintain a factual chronology
- Preserve relevant medical, police or other official records where applicable

4. Existing proceedings

- Copies of notices, complaints, FIRs or court orders if any
- Case numbers and court details
- Previous settlements or agreements

Prepared as an informational resource for Vashistha Associates. Verify the current statutory position and applicable rules before relying on any checklist.