



After-Hours Settlement Program

Features

Overview

You are on trial and have a jury that is less than favorable. Evidentiary rulings have changed the landscape of your case. Witnesses did not perform as planned. The trial judge has already made his recommendations. What now? Mediate your case with the After-Hours Settlement Program at ADR Systems.

Under this program, you can immediately set your case for a two-hour flat fee mediation with one of our experienced neutrals. It offers a fresh look at your case and gives parties one last opportunity for a resolution before it's sent to the jury.

- Due to trial constraints, the mediation would occur from 4-6pm or 5-7pm during the week
- Possible lunch-break mediation option if schedules permit
- Mediations are done telephonically or by video conference
- Your case manager will work with the parties to schedule the mediation and will provide administrative support

Case Types

- Personal injury cases are suitable for this program

Fees

- Flat fee rate of \$895 per party for two hours of mediation
- Parties may agree to go beyond the two hours at the neutral's standard hourly rate, split equally by the parties

Notable Parameters

- Mediators are booked for two-hour sessions
- Mediators are selected by agreement of the parties subject to availability
- Only a brief summary submission is requested, no more than 10 pages

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Benefits

Risk Management

Eliminate the uncertainty of a jury verdict at trial.

Fresh Perspective

This program provides one more chance to resolve the dispute with a mediator who has a fresh perspective on liability, causation and damages.

Mediator Leverage

Let the mediator deliver difficult news to your client, when necessary, as they are skilled at doing this. Leverage your mediator to help your client understand how your case stands from the perspective of a trial judge.

Limit Exposure

The mediator can work with the parties to limit exposure.

Flexible Scheduling

We will quickly find an agreeable time to mediate. We have flexibility in scheduling and have experienced neutrals on call daily to accommodate these urgent requests.

Minimal Cost

Since these mediation sessions are short in duration and fees are split between the parties, there is minimal cost but maximum reward when the case is settled.