

FYI- updated Ontario.ca content- getting copies of family law documents from court

Updates to the “**Get copies of family law documents from court**” page on www.ontario.ca have been post, including some additional information.

All changes can viewed at: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/get-copies-family-law-documents-court>. I’ve also included a short snippet below for ease of reference.

How to get your divorce certificate

If your divorce was filed from July 1968 to the present and you wish to obtain your records, you will need the following information:

- the court location
- court file number
- the year your divorce was granted

If you cannot remember which court processed the application for your divorce, the federal [Central registry of Divorce Proceedings](#) may be able to give you the address of the court. They may also give you a reference number. You should give this number to court officials to help them find your file.

The Registry cannot give you detailed information about a divorce, your court file number, or a copy of your divorce certificate.

To contact the Registry:

- call [613-957-4519](tel:613-957-4519); or
- for the hearing impaired only [1-800-267-7676](tel:1-800-267-7676); or
- complete a Search Request Form ([HTML](#)) ([PDF](#)) and send it to the address provided on the form.

If you ask for the information by telephone, please make sure you have the following information at hand when you call:

- your full name on the day before the day of marriage
- your former spouse’s full name on the day before the day of marriage
- the date of birth for both you and your former spouse
- the date you married