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Nevada Child Support Guidelines

For Income Above \$1561 per month

EFFECTIVE 2/1/20

In addition to the child support obligation, parties are responsible for the following:

- Split 50/50 the portion of medical care not covered by insurance
- Split 50/50 the cost of child care.

Link to a child support worksheet:

<https://DiscountLasVegasLawyer.com/CHILD-SUPPORT-WORKSHEET-2020.pdf> -

You might have to download it before using it, or the calculations won't be made automatically as it's designed to do.

If you are our client, or plan on becoming our client, there is no need for you to complete the worksheet. **We complete it for you.**

HOW CHILD SUPPORT IS CALCULATED 2020 UPDATE

NAC 425.140 Schedule for determining base child support obligation based on number of children and monthly gross income of obligor. (NRS 425.620) Except as otherwise provided in **NAC 425.145**, the base child support obligation of an obligor must be determined according to the following schedule:

1. **For one child**, the sum of:
 - (a) For the **first \$6,000** of an obligor's monthly gross income, **16 percent of such gross income**;
 - (b) For **any portion of** an obligor's monthly gross income that is **greater than \$6,000 and equal to or less than \$10,000**, **8 percent of such a portion**; and
 - (c) For **any portion of** an obligor's monthly gross income that is **greater than \$10,000**, **4 percent of such a portion**.
2. **For two children**, the sum of:
 - (a) For the **first \$6,000 of** an obligor's monthly gross income, **22 percent of gross income**;
 - (b) For **any portion of** an obligor's monthly gross income that is **greater than \$6,000 and equal to or less than \$10,000**, **11 percent of such a portion**; and

(c) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$10,000, 6 percent of such a portion.**

3. **For three children, the sum of:**

(a) For **the first \$6,000 of an obligor's monthly gross income, 26 percent of such income;**

(b) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$6,000 and equal to or less than \$10,000, 13 percent of such a portion;** and

(c) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$10,000, 6 percent of such a portion.**

4. **For four children, the sum of:**

(a) For **the first \$6,000 of an obligor's monthly gross income, 28 percent of such income;**

(b) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$6,000 and equal to or less than \$10,000, 14 percent of such a portion;** and

(c) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$10,000, 7 percent of such a portion.**

5. **For each additional child, the sum of:**

(a) For **the first \$6,000 of an obligor's monthly gross income, an additional 2 percent of such income;**

(b) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$6,000 and equal to or less than \$10,000, an additional 1 percent of such a portion;** and

(c) For **any portion of an obligor's monthly gross income that is greater than \$10,000, an additional 0.5 percent of such a portion.**

(Added to NAC by Div. of Welfare & Supp. Services by R183-18, 10-30-2019, eff. 2-1-2020)

NAC 425.125 Court authorized to impute income to obligor who is underemployed or unemployed without good cause; consideration of circumstances of obligor. ([NRS 425.620](#))

1. If after taking evidence, the court determines that an obligor is underemployed or unemployed without good cause, the court may impute income to the obligor.

2. If the court imputes income, the court must take into consideration, to the extent known, the specific circumstances of the obligor, including, without limitation:

(a) The obligor's:

(1) Assets;

- (2) Residence;
 - (3) Employment and earnings history;
 - (4) Job skills;
 - (5) Educational attainment;
 - (6) Literacy;
 - (7) Age;
 - (8) Health;
 - (9) Criminal record and other employment barriers; and
 - (10) Record of seeking work;
- (b) The local job market;
 - (c) The availability of employers willing to hire the obligor;
 - (d) The prevailing earnings level in the local community; and
 - (e) Any other relevant background factors in the case.

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NAC 425.130 Consideration of costs of child care paid by either or both parties. ([NRS 425.620](#))

The court must consider the reasonable costs of child care paid by either or both parties and make an equitable division thereof.

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