

28th Annual AB 1058 Child Support Training Conference
BEGINNING GUIDELINE CALCULATOR TRAINING & CERTIFICATION
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Hypo # 1

1 child – No timeshare with NCP

Gross monthly incomes:

- NCP: \$18 per hour full time (40 hr./wk.)
- CP: Receiving aid and in the Welfare to Work Program, no reported income

Tax filing status:

- NCP: Single & one
- CP: Head of Household & two

Other factors:

- NCP: \$25 Necessary job-related expenses and other child support paid of \$275

What are your income findings and the monthly guideline child support?

Hypo # 1 Results:

NCP income:

- Gross: \$3,120
- Net: \$2,298

CP income:

- Gross and net: \$0
- Child support: \$575

HYPO # 2

Timeshare with Bob (NCP):

- 10 yr. old Alice = 24%
- 5 yr. old Ted = 5%

Gross monthly incomes:

- Bob: \$10K Self-Employed + \$3K non-tax. income + \$1050 interest
- Carol: \$5K W-2 + \$12K *annual* bonus

Tax filing status:

- Bob: Single & one
- Carol: Head of Household & three

Other factors:

- Bob: \$2,200 mortgage int., \$350 Prop tax + \$375 pre-tax health ins + other child support of \$675
- Carol: \$95 union dues + \$575 post tax health ins. + \$275 non-Roth IRA, Texas resident

What is the net monthly income for Bob and Carol?

What is the total monthly guideline child support amount?

Allocation?

Alice support _____

Ted support _____

Hypo # 2 Results:

Bob's net income: \$10,056

Carol's net income: \$4,764

Total Child Support: \$2,520

- Ted Support: \$1,709
- Alice Support: \$811

HYPO # 3

Motion for support filed May 1, 2024. Matter Heard September 16,2024

Split custody case for 3 Children

Father: \$8,775 self emp. income plus \$775 non- tax VA disab. plus \$1,200 military ret., HH & 3 (has another natural child in the home for which you grant a full hardship). \$475 post tax health ins., has youngest child 75% of time

Mother: \$6,500 W-2, HH & 3, \$75 union dues, \$325 pre-tax health is., \$175 401(k), \$1235 Mortgage int., \$225 Prop. Tax, has eldest child 60% of time and middle child 50% of time

Your order effective 5/1/2024? Guideline monthly child support: _____, payable from _____ to _____.

- Allocation? 1st born____ 2nd born____ 3rd born____ (payable in what direction for each?)

What is the child support effective 9/1/2024?

Hypo # 3 Results:

▪ **Effective May 1, 2024**

- Guideline monthly child support:
 - \$301, payable from Father to Mother.
- Allocation:
 - 1st born \$420, payable from Father to Mother.
 - 2nd born \$287, payable from Father to Mother.
 - 3rd born \$406, payable from Mother to Father.

▪ **Effective September 1, 2024**

- Guideline monthly child support:
 - \$351, payable from Father to Mother.
- Allocation:
 - 1st born \$495, payable from Father to Mother.
 - 2nd born \$340, payable from Father to Mother.
 - 3rd born \$484, payable from Mother to Father.

HYPO # 4

First scenario: One child, 20% with NCP

- **NCP** has YTD total income of \$63,500 for period 12/23/23 to 8/16/24 plus non taxed \$1,275 VA disability, MFJ & 2, new spouse's income: \$4,500, \$750 pre-tax health insurance

- **CP** \$5,000 W-2 income, H/H & 2, pays other child support of \$450. \$75 union dues and \$325 post tax health insurance.

Second scenario:

- Same facts as above, but now **NCP** has a second case, and both cases are on your calendar. In this **second case** there are **2 children, 32%** timeshare with **NCP**

- **2nd CP** gets \$1,950 in unemployment benefits, files H/H & 3.

What is the guideline child support for: **Scenario 1?** _____

Scenario 2? 1st case _____

2nd case (1st born) _____ + (2nd born) _____ = _____

Hypo # 4 Results:

▪ **Scenario 1:**

- CS = \$1,137
- NCP gross \$9,390; net: \$6,897
- CP gross \$5,000; net: \$3,520

▪ **Scenario 2:**

• **1st case:**

- CS = \$898
- NCP gross \$9,390; net \$5,249
- CP gross \$5,000; net \$3,520

• **2nd case:**

- CS = \$1,648 total (1st born child \$618 + 2nd born child \$1,030)
- NCP gross \$9,390; net: \$5,999
- CP gross \$1,950; net: \$1,950,