



# Family Law

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## Q

I just found out that my wife is cheating on me. I'm done with the marriage, but what do I do next, the information out there is so confusing!

## A

Save yourself frustration and the risk of going down the wrong path, by making an appointment with a family lawyer that you can trust, as soon as possible. Much of the information out there is out of date or skewed towards the American system.

Your best bet is to take a moment and write down specific questions you might have, such as:

1. If I leave the house, is it still half mine?
2. What happens to my workplace pension? I started working there before we met.
3. I want the kids living with me half the time, how do we do this?
4. What about the children's activities such as horseback riding? It is too expensive now.
5. Why should I pay spousal support if she is living with someone else?
6. My parents lent us money for the down payment, how do they get that money back?
7. My wife took all the children's

baby pictures and won't share them with me, what do I do?

8. How much do I have to pay towards my eldest's college expenses?

When I meet with a client, the joint objective is to give the client the maximum information to enable them to plan the separation from their spouse [common law or married] efficiently and with a minimum of emotional and financial wear and tear. I discuss the basic areas concerning the children [support, activities, parenting time, and decision-making], spousal support, and issues of property equalization, taking care to answer the client's specific questions. The client then chooses to retain our services or come back later.

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