



TYPES OF COURT APPEARANCES

- **Hearing** | Includes, but is not limited to, an appearance for testimony/evidence for a new or interim issue, for a pending motion, or, in child support violation cases, for a willfulness determination or for a post-dispositional review.
- **Trial** | Includes, but is not limited to, a fact-finding hearing for final resolution on a case where parties may present evidence in support of or in opposition to the petition. A trial typically occurs at the final stage of litigation.
- **Return of process** | Includes, but is not limited to, the first appearance in court following the filing of a petition.
- **Conference** | Includes, but is not limited to, a status check or compliance conference.