

Roadmap Summary

Collaborative Settlement Process *for Separation & Divorce*

01.

Team Building



You meet with a collaborative professional: family lawyer, family professional or financial professional. Your spouse is invited to participate. You both will receive the list of other collaborative professionals to choose from.

02.

Information Gathering



Guided by the professional team, you and your spouse gather, organize and exchange all the necessary financial and parenting-related information.

03.

Interests & Options



The team works with you to explore each spouse's values, goals, concerns and priorities, to arrive at the most acceptable outcome.

04.

Decisions



You and your spouse weigh the options and make decisions that will address your concerns and meet individual needs.

05.

Finalizing & Implementing



The agreement in principle reached in Stage Four is turned into a legally binding contract signed by both spouses.