



## LJuCR 2.5 MODIFICATION OF SHELTER CARE ORDER

### **(a) 30-Day Hearings.**

**(1) Scheduling.** The initial 30-day shelter care hearing must be scheduled by the petitioner by filing a Note for Calendar upon filing the action. If the child remains out of home and has not yet been found dependent as to all parents who have appeared, each 30-day shelter care hearing order must set an additional 30-day shelter care hearing.

**(2) Report.** The deadline for any report filed pursuant to RCW 13.34.065(7)(a)(ii) is noon three days before the 30-day shelter care hearing. Responses, if any, shall be filed and served by noon the day before the hearing. Working copies should be provided as outlined in LJuCR 1.8(b)(4).

**(3) Hearing.** The parties may waive or continue a 30-day shelter care hearing by submitting an agreed proposed order. Absent such agreement, the 30-day shelter care hearing will be held in open court.

**(b) Modification of Shelter Care Order.** A shelter care hearing order also may be modified upon motion filed in accordance with LJuCR 1.8.

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