

Online Dispute Resolution or ODR Being Hailed as the Future of Justice

ODR has introduced a technological shift to dispute resolution helped by progress in the speed and efficacy of online internet communications. One Florida family law dispute specialist leads the charge.

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. - Nov. 30, 2018 - [PRLog](#) -- Ever since the concept of [online dispute resolution](#) (ODR) first came about in the mid-1990s, the impact has dramatically shifted the momentum in resolving conflict outside the courtroom. ODR is a means to settle matters in an online environment in a swift, cost effective and comfortable matter without having to be in the same room with the other party. ODR can both compete with and complement traditional in-court proceedings and state-run judicial systems.

One Florida family law mediator has been using ODR for several years now with great success. Hear his comments in the video below:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SyDtthk5vC0&t=5s>

As Matthew Brickman of iMediate Inc. explains, through the brand iChatMediation.com he utilizes online dispute resolution to bring the parties in any mediation, arbitration, and negotiation into a virtual environment via iChat using a customized Cisco's WebEx communication platform proprietary to the company.

The advantages are clear:

1. Cost – ODR is often less expensive than traditional litigation/legal process.
2. Efficiency – ODR can resolve a dispute much faster than waiting for court dates.
3. Participation and Control – The parties using Online Dispute Resolution have more control of the outcome of the dispute than they would in court.
4. Flexibility – The parties using Online Dispute Resolution can work together for a more flexible outcome.
5. Location and Logistics – Since the environment is virtual, Online Dispute Resolution allows parties to settle their dispute from anywhere in the world with an internet connection.

About Matthew Brickman:

Matthew Brickman has been certified by the Supreme Court of Florida as a county civil family mediator who has worked in the 15th and 19th Judicial Circuit Courts since 2009 and 2006 respectively. He is also an appellate certified mediator who has mediated a variety of small claims, civil, and family cases that number in the hundreds. Read his [Customer Reviews](#).

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