

## **MISSISSIPPI ACCESS AND VISITATION PROGRAM (MAV-P)**

### **Guidelines for MAV-P monitored visitation as outlined in court orders.**

The purpose of the following guidelines is to establish meaningful visitation between the non-custodial parent and his or her children as outlined by the court. Each MAV-P participant shall be required to follow these visitation guidelines.

1. Participants will arrive punctually at the arranged times for the start and end of visits.
2. Participants may not follow or harass visitation participants including the MAV-P coordinator, before, during or after visitation.
3. No participant may make a threat of violence or threaten to break any court order during a visitation, including the transitions before and after a visit.
4. During visitation, the non-custodial parent may not physically discipline or threaten to discipline a child.
5. Neither parent or any other visitor may make negative comments to the child(ren) about the absent parent, his or her partners or family members.
6. Participants may be required to self-report the results of the visitations to the MAV-P coordinator. Written records of the visitations will be maintained by the MAV-P coordinator. The MAV-P coordinator has the authority to shorten or terminate MAV-P services based on the results of the participants' self-reports. Written records/results of visitations will be submitted to the courts when requested.

Failure to abide by these guidelines will be reported to the court and may result in suspension of the visitation.