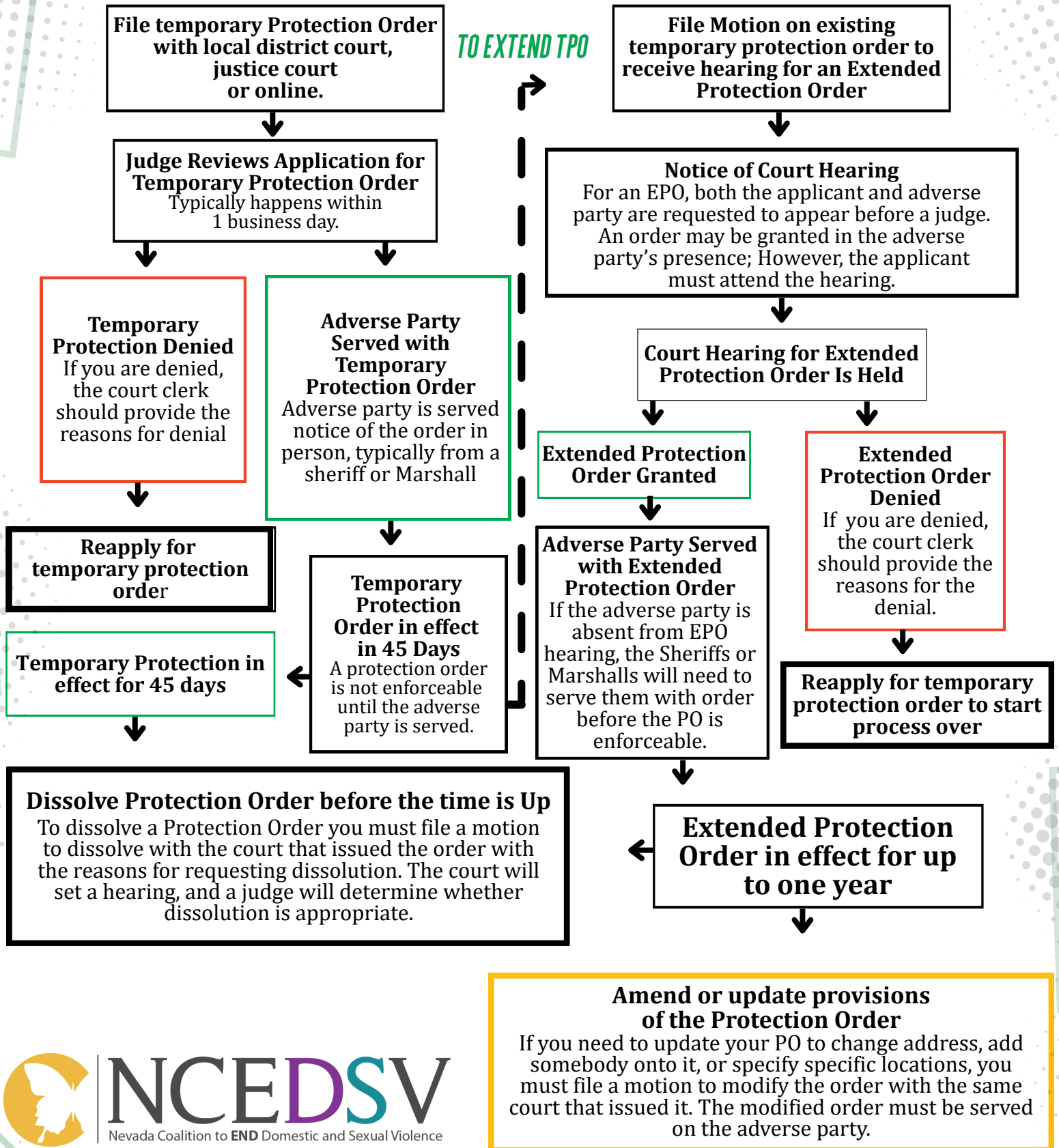


TEMPORARY ORDER OF PROTECTION

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SEXUAL VIOLENCE PROTECTION ORDERS IN NEVADA



A protection order in Nevada is a legal document from a judge that helps keep someone safe from another person who has hurt them or is threatening to hurt them. It tells that person to stay away and not contact the person asking for protection.

There are different types of protection orders in Nevada, depending on the situation. Some examples include:

- **Domestic Violence Protection Order**- for people who have been abused by someone close to them (like a partner or family member).
- **Stalking or Harassment Protection Order**- for people being followed, threatened, or bullied.
- **Sexual Assault Protection Order** – for survivors of sexual violence.

Protection orders can tell the harmful person to:

- Stay away from the person’s home, school, or work
- Not call, text, or message them
- Move out of a shared home

There are two main types:

- **Temporary Protection Order (TPO)**: Lasts for up to 45 days.
- **Extended Protection Order (EPO)**: Can last up to one year, after a court hearing.

===== GLOSSARY =====

Adverse Party- The adverse party is the person on the other side of a court case. If you ask the court for protection, the adverse party is the person you’re asking to be protected from.

Court Hearing- A court hearing is a meeting at a courthouse where a judge listens to both sides of a problem and decides what is fair or what should happen.

Dissolve- To dissolve a protection order means to officially end it. The judge decides the order isn’t needed anymore, so it is canceled.

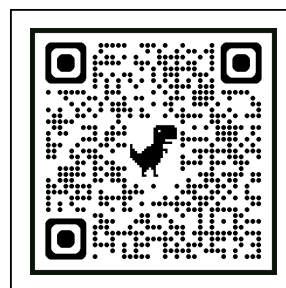
Extended Protection Order- An extended protection order is when a judge decides that a temporary protection order should last longer. This helps keep someone safe for more time, usually for months or even a year.

Motion- A motion is a request someone makes in court to ask the judge to do something, like make a decision or change something in a case.

Served- “Served” means someone officially gave court papers to a person so they know about a court case. It has to be done in a certain way so the court knows the person received the papers.

Temporary Protection Order (TPO)- A temporary protection order is a document from a judge that tells someone to stay away from another person for a short amount of time. It helps keep people safe until the court can decide what to do next.

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