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Digital Privacy in Divorce Checklist

Passwords & Account Security

- Change all account passwords (email, social media, banking, cloud, streaming, etc.)
- Enable two-factor authentication (2FA) on all key accounts
- Remove your spouse from any shared access (“cloud”) accounts and photo storage
- Check for old, unused accounts using haveibeenpwned.com
- Use a password manager for strong, unique passwords (for your use only)

Devices

- Log out of and remove your accounts from devices you no longer use
- Review “trusted devices” in Google, Apple, and other accounts; remove as needed
- Scan for spyware or tracking apps
- Fully reset devices if you suspect surveillance
- Disable Bluetooth auto-pairing with cars or shared speakers
- Check “Find my” or “Find my device” for the presence of air tags or other tracking devices connected to your account.
- If your car make/model has an associated app, verify who has access to it.

Smart Home & Subscriptions

- Change passwords on smart devices (Alexa, Nest, etc.)
- Unlink a spouse no longer living in the home from all smart home accounts
- Cancel shared subscriptions (Amazon Prime, etc.). This may need to be a negotiated item if the subscription has been paid for
- Check smart TVs and devices for saved logins
- Remove shared payment methods from online services; this may be a negotiated item as to which one of you will continue to pay.

Cloud & Shared Media

- Review and remove access to shared cloud photo albums
- Block or filter messages from your ex
- Stop sharing or delete sensitive media from shared platforms
- Back up personal photos/videos to a secure external drive
- Disable automatic cloud backups (Google Drive, iCloud)

Legal, Financial & Recovery

- Notify your attorney and financial contacts of new contact info
- Update recovery phone numbers and emails on all accounts
- Open new personal bank accounts if needed
- Monitor your credit regularly
- Set up credit alerts or freeze your credit for safety
- Remove your ex from any shared online businesses (Etsy, PayPal, etc.)

Social Media & Online Identity

- Update privacy settings across all social media accounts
- Unlink your ex from shared logins or accounts
- Avoid sharing personal updates during legal proceedings
- Clean up your digital footprint (old usernames, bios, posts)
- Set Google Alerts on your name to monitor online mentions
- Limit visibility of past posts (Facebook: "Limit Past Posts" tool)

Protecting your privacy in divorce is a key step toward safeguarding your future. For a detailed analysis of your situation, and answers to all your questions about divorce, call us today to schedule a consultation with one of our highly skilled family law attorneys. Get a strategic plan with concrete action steps.

Call us today at 888-888-0919 to schedule your consultation or [use our online form](#).