

NOTICE OF RESUMPTION OF
LAW DIVISION PERSONAL INJURY
MANDATORY ARBITRATION PROGRAM

Effective April 1, 2025, the Law Division Personal Injury Mandatory Arbitration Program will resume (Motion Section Calendars A, B, C, D, E, F, H, R, X, and Z).

Referrals are limited in number in accordance with the hearings available at the Arbitration Center.

Referrals are only available for Category 1 motor vehicle cases, filed **after** January 23, 2025.

Referral orders for Standard Arbitration will be entered at the Initial Case Management court hearing if all parties have appeared. The arbitration hearing will be 5 months from the date of the referral order.

All written discovery, Rule 213(f)(1) depositions (parties and witnesses) are required to be completed **prior** to the arbitration hearing. A CMC discovery order will be entered at the same time as the referral order.

All other Category 1 cases, regardless of filing date, are **not** eligible for referral to the program.