



Special Needs Co-Parent Comparison

A neutral side-by-side view of what Alex Rivera and Jordan Rivera reported. This report does not label either parent as correct or incorrect. It highlights where you already agree and where a coordinated conversation may be helpful.

This document is for co-parent preparation and mediation. It is not legal advice, does not determine parental fitness, and does not diagnose.

Safety notice: this is a synthetic sample. If either parent's circumstances change, revisit the Family Violence & Communication Safety Assessment before continuing to share detailed information.

At a glance

87 shared questions compared. 93% aligned. 0% show different views.

Shared pathways: medical, educational, psychological

5 things you already agree on

A neutral snapshot of your strongest shared ground. Consider starting your co-parent conversation here.

1. Professional recommendations are followed in both homes.

Both scores are 100%
2. Supplies the child needs (medication, adaptive equipment, homework, comfort items) travel reliably between homes.

Both scores are 100%
3. Professional recommendations are followed in both homes.

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4. Supplies the child needs (medication, adaptive equipment, homework, comfort items) travel reliably between homes.

Both scores are 100%
5. Professional recommendations are followed in both homes.

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Step 1. Understand the Concern

Medical Needs

Alex Rivera

Ari has moderate persistent asthma and needs a daily controller inhaler.

Roughly how long has this been a concern?

Alex Rivera

1 to 3 years

This concern currently affects my child's daily life.

Jordan Rivera

Ari has moderate persistent asthma and needs a daily controller inhaler.

Jordan Rivera

1 to 3 years

Describe procedure

Aligned



Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

How time-sensitive is this concern?

Jordan Rivera

3 - Unsure

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Ongoing / stable

Jordan Rivera

Ongoing / stable

Aligned

Educational Needs

Describe
a specific

Alex Rivera

Ari has an IEP for dyslexia and reads below grade level.

Roughly how long has this been a concern?

Jordan Rivera

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Aligned

Alex Rivera

1 to 3 years

This concern currently affects my child's daily life.

Jordan Rivera

1 to 3 years

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

How time-sensitive is this concern?

Jordan Rivera

3 - Unsure

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Ongoing / stable

Jordan Rivera

Ongoing / stable

Psychological or Behavioural Needs

Describe
need, or a

Alex Rivera

Ari has diagnosed anxiety and needs weekly therapy plus a coordinated bedtime routine.

Roughly how long has this been a concern?

Jordan Rivera

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Aligned

Alex Rivera

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Jordan Rivera

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Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

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Jordan Rivera

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Alex Rivera

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Jordan Rivera

Ongoing / stable



Step 2. Identify the Child's Current Needs

Medical Needs

Which of

Both parents selected: Chronic medical condition, Medication schedule, Specialist appointments

Are any of these additional areas also involved? Select all that apply, or leave blank.

Aligned

Both parents selected: Sleep or fatigue issues

Educational Needs

Which of

Both parents selected: Classroom accommodations, IEP or Section 504 services, Tutoring or academic support

Are any of these additional areas also involved? Select all that apply, or leave blank.

Aligned

Both parents selected: Family stress affecting the child

Psychological or Behavioural Needs

Which of

Both parents selected: Anxiety-related supports, Counselling or psychotherapy, Emotional-regulation strategies

Are any of these additional areas also involved? Select all that apply, or leave blank.

Aligned

Both parents selected: Sleep or fatigue issues

Step 3. Review Professional Recommendations

Medical Needs

Who is c
treating y

Both parents selected: Paediatrician, Specialist physician

What does the most recent medical recommendation include? Select every category that applies.

Aligned

Both parents selected: As-needed / rescue medication, Daily medication, Follow-up testing or imaging

Do you have the recommendation in writing (report, plan, prescription, IEP, etc.)?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Yes

Jordan Rivera

Yes

I understand the current recommendations for my child.

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

4 - Agree

Educational Needs

Who is c
who has e



Both parents selected: IEP or 504 team, Teacher

What does the most recent educational recommendation include? Select every category that applies.

Aligned

Both parents selected: Classroom accommodations, Special-education services (IEP), Tutoring or academic support

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Alex Rivera

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Jordan Rivera

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Psychological or Behavioural Needs

Who is currently
has evaluated

Both parents selected: Psychologist, Therapist or counsellor

What does the most recent clinical recommendation include? Select every category that applies.

Aligned

Both parents selected: Coping-skills tools, Sleep or daily-routine changes, Weekly therapy or counselling

Do you have the recommendation in writing (report, plan, prescription, IEP, etc.)?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Yes

Jordan Rivera

Yes

I understand the current recommendations for my child.

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

4 - Agree

Step 4. Each Parent's Understanding

Medical Needs

Both parents

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

4 - Agree

Both parents attend key appointments, meetings, or evaluations.

Close alignment

Alex Rivera

3 - Unsure

Jordan Rivera

5 - Strongly agree

My co-parent and I can discuss this concern openly and calmly.

Aligned

Alex Rivera

3 - Unsure

Jordan Rivera

3 - Unsure



My co-parent and I use the same words when describing the concern to our child.

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

4 - Agree

I believe my co-parent understands what our child is going through.

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

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Educational Needs

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Jordan Rivera

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Step 5. Coordination Between Homes

Medical Needs

Daily rout

Alex Rivera

3 - Unsure

Professional recommendations are followed in both homes.

Jordan Rivera

5 - Strongly agree

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

My co-parent and I share updates about appointments, changes, and new information promptly.

Jordan Rivera

4 - Agree

Aligned

Alex Rivera

3 - Unsure

Supplies the child needs (medication, adaptive equipment, homework, comfort items) travel reliably between homes.

Jordan Rivera

3 - Unsure

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Transitions and handoffs happen without disrupting the plan.

Jordan Rivera

4 - Agree

Aligned

Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

3 - Unsure

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Alex Rivera

4 - Agree

Jordan Rivera

3 - Unsure

Step 6. Agreement and Disagreement

Medical Needs

Where do

Alex Rivera

Both parents agree the daily inhaler is non-negotiable.

Where do you and your co-parent see it differently?

Jordan Rivera

Both parents agree the daily inhaler is non-negotiable.

Both resp

Alex Rivera

How to handle sleepovers at friends' houses.

Which type of gap best describes the disagreement?

Jordan Rivera

How to handle sleepovers at friends' houses.

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Different priorities

Jordan Rivera

Different priorities

Educational Needs

Where do



Alex Rivera

Both parents attend IEP meetings.



Where do you and your co-parent see it differently?

Alex Rivera
Whether tutoring should continue over summer.
Which type of gap best describes the disagreement?

Alex Rivera
Different priorities

Psychological or Behavioural Needs

Alex Rivera
Both parents believe therapy is important.
Where do you and your co-parent see it differently?

Alex Rivera
How much to talk about therapy content with each other.
Which type of gap best describes the disagreement?

Alex Rivera
Different priorities

Step 7. Practical Co-Parenting Options

Medical Needs

Both parents selected: Emergency-care instructions posted in both homes, Shared calendar for medical appointments
Any additional cross-cutting options to consider?

Both parents selected: Written communication log

Educational Needs

Both parents selected: Both parents attend IEP or 504 meetings, Both parents on the school contact list
Any additional cross-cutting options to consider?

Both parents selected: Regular parent-only check-ins

Psychological or Behavioural Needs

Both parents selected: Consistent bedtime and morning routines in both homes, Shared coping-skills toolkit that travels with the child

Jordan Rivera
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Jordan Rivera
Whether tutoring should continue over summer.

Jordan Rivera
Different priorities

Jordan Rivera
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Jordan Rivera
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Jordan Rivera
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Aligned

Where do

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Aligned

Select the

Aligned

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Aligned

Select the



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Aligned

Both parents selected: Regular parent-only check-ins

Step 8. Create an Action Plan

Medical Needs

What is th

Alex Rivera

Schedule the next professional appointment

Jordan Rivera

Schedule the next professional appointment

When could you and your co-parent meet (or send a written proposal) to discuss this plan?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Within 2 weeks

Jordan Rivera

Within 2 weeks

Which paediatrician, specialist, or therapist would be most useful to consult next?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Specialist physician

Jordan Rivera

Specialist physician

Do you have any concerns about the plan you would like to raise before finalising it?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

No concerns

Jordan Rivera

No concerns

Educational Needs

What is th

Alex Rivera

Schedule the next professional appointment

Jordan Rivera

Schedule the next professional appointment

When could you and your co-parent meet (or send a written proposal) to discuss this plan?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Within 2 weeks

Jordan Rivera

Within 2 weeks

Which teacher, school counsellor, IEP team, or educational specialist would be most useful to consult next?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

IEP or 504 coordinator

Jordan Rivera

IEP or 504 coordinator

Do you have any concerns about the plan you would like to raise before finalising it?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

No concerns

Jordan Rivera

No concerns

Psychological or Behavioural Needs

What is th

Alex Rivera

Schedule the next professional appointment

Jordan Rivera

Schedule the next professional appointment



When could you and your co-parent meet (or send a written proposal) to discuss this plan?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Within 2 weeks

Jordan Rivera

Within 2 weeks

Which psychologist, therapist, psychiatrist, or behavioural specialist would be most useful to consult next?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

Child therapist or counsellor

Jordan Rivera

Child therapist or counsellor

Do you have any concerns about the plan you would like to raise before finalising it?

Aligned

Alex Rivera

No concerns

Jordan Rivera

No concerns