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Advanced Family Law Software Workshop
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1. Creating Financial Affidavits
 - a. Use the Lawyer tab.
 - b. All data will flow over from the Financial tab.
 - c. The last link in each section is the actual financial affidavit.

2. What's new in Family Law Software this year
 - a. Personal items and vehicles may now be divided between the parties.
 - b. New PDF generator – faster, more error-free.
 - c. Phone apps updated for CA, CT, FL, IL, NJ, NY, PA.
 - d. Updated Canada tax calculations.
 - e. For defined benefit pensions, added RP-2014.
 - f. Improved What-If Analysis
 - i. More expenses about which to ask “what if”
 1. College, Children's Mortgage
 - ii. Less focus on filing status
 - g. Improved after-tax property division
 - i. Alert when not enough years to specify retirement tax rate
 - ii. Unearned Income Medicare tax now being applied
 - h. New forms and calculations
 - i. New York Maintenance
 - ii. Illinois statewide disclosure
 - iii. Michigan child support
 - iv. Michigan Affidavit
 - v. Minnesota Affidavit
 - vi. California spousal support – now matches DissoMaster
 - vii. Updates to guidelines in Connecticut, Missouri, New Jersey, Washington state
 - i. Selected smaller things
 - i. Option to omit spouse name from Financial report
 - ii. More alerts (especially on Lawyer tab).
 - iii. New link to change default folder on Files tab

3. Advanced Topics
 - a. Property Division After-Tax
 - i. “% paid in tax” is % of total value paid in tax. (“Effective” or “Average” tax rate, not marginal tax rate.)
 - ii. Check the calculation lines.
 - b. Defined Benefit Pensions
 - i. Match benefit amount to “as of” date.

- ii. Read pop-up help.
- c. Rental Real Estate
 - i. Pay attention to % of mortgage allocable to rental property.
- d. Your questions