



Establishing jurisdiction

- Enforcements courts
- List of attorneys from the central authority
- Obligation to get an attorney for the left behind parent
- The state pays for the attorney for the left behind parent
- Possibility to let the state pay for an attorney for the other parent



Gathering information

- Written evidence from the central authority
- Statements from foreign countries
- Oral hearings



Validating information

- Review of evidence is free
- Review of written evidence gathered by the parties
- Review of the oral hearing of the parents



Hearing the view of the child

- The judge talks with a 6 – 7 year old child
- A psychologist joins the talk



Settlement and mediation

- Obligation for the court to seek a settlement
- Mediation by another judge or an attorney
- A case of child abduction