Printable list: 25 questions before you hire photo and video

Check each item off when it is settled.

- [ ] Is my date open, and how do I hold it?
- [ ] Who will photograph and who will film?
- [ ] What happens if that person gets sick?
- [ ] How many events like mine have you covered?
- [ ] Does the team speak Spanish and English?
- [ ] How many continuous hours are included, and starting when?
- [ ] How many locations are included on the event day?
- [ ] How many edited photos do I get, and can I download all of them?
- [ ] Does it include the full video, a highlight video or both?
- [ ] Does it include a photo session before the event?
- [ ] What costs extra: extra hours, album, prints, travel?
- [ ] How long does delivery usually take, and when does the clock start?
- [ ] Who chooses the photos, and how long do I have?
- [ ] What format do the photos and video come in?
- [ ] How long do you keep my files?
- [ ] Can I print my photos for personal use?
- [ ] Will you send me the contract before I pay?
- [ ] How much is the deposit, and how do I pay the rest?
- [ ] What happens if I cancel?
- [ ] Can I change the date, and how far ahead?
- [ ] Do you charge for travel, and where is the distance measured from?
- [ ] What does the contract say if equipment fails?
- [ ] When do you need the timeline?

- [ ] Do you want the list of people who can't be missed in the photos?
- [ ] What happens if it rains, it's very hot or another photographer is hired?