

# Program Agenda at a Glance (for Judicial Officers Only)

**Sunday, August 14, 2011  
Oregon Garden Resort**

<b>9:30 am</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>10:00 am - 12:00 pm</b>	<p><b>Pre-Session: Juvenile Dependency 101</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Daniel Murphy, Linn County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> </ul> <p>This session is designed for judges who have been newly assigned to juvenile matters, or who would like a review of basics of child abuse and neglect law and procedure. Topics covered will include the Adoptions and Safe Families Act (ASFA), Oregon laws and rules, and resources available to judges in child abuse and neglect cases. Bring questions!</p>
<b>10:30 am - 12:00 pm</b>	<p><b>Pre-Session: JCIP eForms Demonstration</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Leola McKenzie, Director, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>JCIP has been working to create interactive eForms for the model juvenile dependency forms. This workshop will provide hands-on training on how to use the forms and best practices. JCIP anticipates that these forms will be a bridge to Oregon eCourt.</p>
<b>12:00 pm - 1:00 pm</b>	<b>Lunch for Pre-session participants &amp; Registration</b>
<b>1:00 pm - 1:30 pm</b>	<p><b>Welcome</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable David V. Brewer, Chief Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals</i></li> </ul>
<b>1:30 pm - 2:45 pm</b>	<p><b>Reasonable Efforts in Challenging Budget Times</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Patricia A. Sullivan, Malheur County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Paulette E. Sanders, Lincoln County Circuit Court Referee</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Lois Day, Administrator, Office of Safety and Permanency for Children, DHS</i></li> </ul> <p>Oregon's ongoing budget crisis has resulted in fewer services being available. Courts are sometimes asked to adjust the standard for reasonable efforts downward, based on budget limitations. There is no exception under federal or state law and creating an exception would contradict with the needs of children and their families. Especially in times of diminished resources, we all have to work together to ensure that reasonable efforts are made to prevent children from entering foster care and to achieve permanency. This panel will discuss specific strategies that courts can use to understand resource issues and to ensure that budget constraints do not negatively impact children and families.</p>
<b>2:45 pm - 3:00 pm</b>	<b>Break</b>

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3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	<p><b>Legislative Update</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Leola McKenzie, Director, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>Bills presented in the 2011 Legislative Session regarding juvenile law and child welfare will be discussed.</p> <p><b>Senate Bill 964</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Patricia Crain, Jackson County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Lisa Greif, Jackson County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> </ul>
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	<p><b>2011 Reassessment Results</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Torrey Giaquinta, JCIP Data Analyst</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Lynn Travis, Attorney, Travis Consulting, Co.</i></li> </ul> <p>This workshop will discuss the results of the 2011 Reassessment of Juvenile Dependency Case Processing in Oregon's Courts, comparison with previous assessments, and recommendations.</p>
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm	<p><b>Social Time and Dinner with guest speaker Esther Stutzman</b></p> <p>Ms. Stutzman will provide a brief background of the Kalapuya people, leading into how stories have shaped and influenced the everyday life of the Native people. She will tell traditional stories of the ancestors, from long ago.</p>

### Monday, August 15, 2011 Oregon Garden Resort

7:30 am - 8:15 am	<b>Breakfast</b> ( <i>Morning Glory Room</i> )
8:15 am - 8:45 am	<b>Welcome and JCIP Update</b>
8:45 am - 10:15 am	<p><b>ICWA for Judges: Beyond the Basics</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Lea Ann Easton, Attorney, Dorsay &amp; Easton</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Cheryl Baldomaro-Lucas, Child Welfare Program Manager, DHS</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>This session will provide a brief overview of the ICWA and then focus on "Expert Witness" qualifications and testimony, "Active Efforts" requirements, and ICWA placement preferences.</p>
10:15 am - 10:30 am	<b>Break</b>
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	<p><b>Appellate Update</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>An in-depth discussion of significant Oregon appellate court decisions in juvenile court dependency and delinquency cases issued since August 2010, with an emphasis on emerging trends or changes in the court's legal analysis.</p>

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12:00 pm - 1:15 pm	<p><b>Lunch</b></p> <p><b>Presentation of the Chief Justice Juvenile Court Champion Awards</b> <i>The Honorable Thomas A. Balmer, Oregon Supreme Court Justice</i></p>
1:15 pm - 2:00 pm	<p><b>Guardian ad Litem</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Julie McFarlane, Attorney, Youth, Rights &amp; Justice, Attorneys at Law</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Jeff Carter, Attorney, Jeff J Carter PC</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>This session will discuss the substance and application of the law in dependency cases that involve Guardians ad Litem.</p>
2:00 pm - 3:00 pm	<p><b>VIBs</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>eSubmission of Documents to/from the Courts, CRB, and DHS</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Ronald J. Pahl, Umatilla County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Patricia Sullivan, Malheur County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Christina Jagernauth, CRB Analyst/Field Lead</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Parent Orientation Pilot Project - Multnomah County</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Nan Waller, Multnomah County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Abbey Stamp, Multnomah County Juvenile Court Improvement Coordinator</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Angelina Rivera-Richart, Parent Mentor, Parents Anonymous</i></li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Open Discussion</b></li> </ul>
3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	<b>Break</b>
3:15 pm - 3:45 pm	<p><b>Social File Best Practices</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Douglas Van Dyk, Clackamas County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Linda Hughes, Multnomah County Juvenile Court Referee</i></li> </ul> <p>The Social File Workgroup created a best practices document in preparation for Oregon eCourt. This session will review the best practices and explanations from the workgroup.</p>
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm	<p><b>Termination of Parental Rights</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Douglas Van Dyk, Clackamas County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Michael Livingston, Juvenile Law Staff Counsel, Juvenile Court Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>This session will discuss a pilot project in Clackamas County to reduce the</p>
4:15 pm - 5:00 pm	<p><b>Child Welfare Update</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Erinn Kelley-Siel, Director, Department of Human Services</i></li> </ul> <p>Overview of child welfare system improvement efforts, including updates on: 1) the state's efforts to safely and equitably reduce the number of children in foster care; and 2) the state's efforts to improve the safety and well-being of children in foster care.</p>
<b>Dinner on your own.</b>	

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# Model Court Day: Summit on Child Abuse & Neglect Program Agenda at a Glance

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**Tuesday, August 16, 2011**  
**Salem Conference Center**

<b>8:00 am - 8:30 am</b>		<b>Registration</b>
<b>8:30 am - 8:40 am</b>	<b>Welcome</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Thomas A. Balmer, Oregon Supreme Court Justice</i></li> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Nan Waller, Statewide Convener, Safe and Equitable Foster Care Reduction Partnership and Multnomah County Circuit Court</i></li> </ul>
<b>8:40 am - 9:30 am</b>	<b>Safe and Equitable Foster Care Reduction: Why is it important to Oregon?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Dr. William C. Bell, President and CEO of Casey Family Programs</i></li> </ul> <p>Dr. Bell will speak about the Casey Family Programs' vision of safe and equitable foster care reduction, how it applies to Oregon and other state's efforts to address this issue.</p>
<b>9:30 am - 10:45 am</b>	<b>Life Beyond Foster Care? The Importance of Legal Permanency</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Dr. Mark Courtney, Professor, University of Chicago School of Social Service Administration</i></li> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Lisa Greif, Jackson County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> </ul> <p>Dr. Courtney will share findings from his research on permanency, foster care outcomes, and transitioning youth and how these relate to the findings from Oregon's Permanency Roundtables. Judge Greif will address the court's role in ensuring permanency.</p>
<b>10:45 am - 11:05 am</b>		<b>Break</b>
<b>11:05 am - 12:15 pm</b>	<b>Finding and Engaging Relatives - Panel</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Jim Fun, Washington County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>David Pike, Branch Manager, DHS Multnomah County Midtown Branch</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Amanda Monet, DHS Family Finding Coordinator and Resource Developer</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Christy Obie-Barrett, Executive Director, A Family for Every Child, Lane County</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Ali Mostue, Family Finding Implementation Coordinator, Deschutes County</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Frannie McMahon, DHS Coos County</i></li> </ul> <p>The panel will discuss what they have learned and the successes in their respective County's efforts to find and engage relatives.</p>
<b>12:15 pm - 1:30 pm</b>		<b>Lunch - Remarks by Senator Ron Wyden</b>

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<p><b>1:30 pm - 2:45 pm</b></p>	<p><b>Isn't There Another Way? Implementing Differential Response</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Lois Day, Administrator, Office of Safety and Permanency for Children, DHS</i></li> </ul> <p>Ms. Day will discuss DHS' plans for implementing differential response in Oregon.</p> <p><b>Strengthening, Preserving and Reunifying Families - Panel</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable Patricia Crain, Jackson County Circuit Court Judge</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Senator Alan Bates, District 3, Medford, Oregon</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Dr. Rita Sullivan, Executive Director, OnTrack, Inc.</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Pam Bergreen, Program Manager, Department of Human Services</i></li> <li>◆ <i>Sarah Robbins, Attorney, Southern Oregon Public Defender, Inc.</i></li> </ul>
<p><b>2:45 pm - 3:00 pm                      Break</b></p>	
<p><b>3:00 pm - 3:20 pm</b></p>	<p><b>Review County Specific Data</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Anna Cox, Child Welfare Research Analyst, Department of Human Services</i></li> </ul> <p>County level data on Legal Permanency and Relative Placement will be presented.</p>
<p><b>3:20 pm - 3:50 pm</b></p>	<p><b>National Perspective</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>Commissioner Bryan Samuels, Administration on Children Youth and Families</i></li> </ul> <p>Commissioner Samuels will share his vision for child welfare and speak about national policy and progress in foster care reduction.</p>
<p><b>3:50 pm - 4:00 pm                      Closing Remarks</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ <i>The Honorable David V. Brewer, Chief Judge, Oregon Court of Appeals</i></li> </ul>	

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