

Eyes 2018 Planning

Preplanned sessions:

Appellate Update (Hon. Darleen Ortega; Hon. Megan Jacquot)

Legislative Update (Leola McKenzie; Megan Hassen)

Differentiated Case Management (Leola McKenzie, Conor Wall, Judges and Staff TBD)

Additional ideas:

Incarcerated parents – what efforts are required? Logistics of visits, services, need for and appropriateness of contact between parent and child (Michael Livingston and Hon. Amy Holmes Hehn have offered to deliver this)

Motivational interviewing: Joanna Crawford (PSU); Tom O'Connor
(<http://transformingcorrections.com/videos/>)

Judicial ethics

Judicial Leadership and attorney standards - setting expectations for lawyers in your courtroom

Discovery requirements

Dependency procedure (amending petitions; social file issues)

IVE Funding (Understanding requirements) and Chafee funding

Guardian ad litem for parents

More sessions on hearings – this time using facts from an actual case that went up on appeal – review hearings, disposition and TPR – two levels – introductory for beginning judges and a more advanced level for those with more experience.

Positive youth development:

<https://www.bing.com/videos/search?q=dr+ginsburg+positive+youth+development&&view=detail&mid=67DD1562141177B3206167DD1562141177B32061&FORM=VRDGAR>

How to interpret comprehensive transition plans and to assess their adequacy

Ideas for handling contempt by DHS (failing to follow court orders)

ICWA (Judge Tennyson suggested peacemaking presentation by Sheldon Spotted Elk from Casey. Learn more here: <http://washtenawtrialcourt.org/Peacemaking>) Also, tribal judges have suggested a focus on emergency removals and active efforts.

Attachment/trauma/hard to place children

Strategies for handling youth over 18 who are no longer willing to cooperate with DHS or to comply with expectations of placement providers.

Pre-shelter issues: How DOJ trains on drafting petitions, eg appropriate pleading for jurisdictional language and talk about common bases for jurisdiction, like chaotic life style, incarceration and substance abuse allegations.

DHS 101 – walk through their perspective/work, eg what that are required to do, what their standards are for immediacy, etc. An explanation of the services provided. Update on placement crisis.

DHS changes

Crossover cases/issues (what to do in a delinquency case when you think DHS should be involved – what judges can and can not do)

Psychological abuse of children

How to help parents with school attendance

Court of Appeals panel

Mental Health issues – repeat of JELI presentation