



# The Ready Resource

*Providing Up-To-Date Trainings and Resources for  
Judicial Officers*

While we recognize that dealing with the COVID-19 crisis is a stressful and overwhelming time for judicial officers and those that work for the court and that many of you and your staff may be stretched thin, we want to take this opportunity to offer our continued support and the latest virtual and remote technical assistance (TA) and judicial education opportunities and resources available from the NCJFCJ's Comprehensive Training and Technical Assistance to Judges program.

## Technical Assistance to Judicial Officers and Courts

The NCJFCJ staff are available to assist with customizing training curricula, providing information and resources on specific topics, and offering connections among courts and judicial officers working to improve responses to intimate partner violence. Please contact Jennifer Arsenian for more information at [Jarsenian@ncjfcj.org](mailto:Jarsenian@ncjfcj.org) or visit the NCJFCJ website at <https://www.ncjfcj.org/family-violence-and-domestic-relations/>.

### Remote Technical Assistance (TA )

- **Facilitation Assistance:** We can provide TA on tips for facilitating remote meetings and provide facilitation for conversations regarding systems change.
- **Webinars:** We have several recorded webinars and live webinars scheduled (see below). We can also conduct a webinar for your jurisdiction on a specific topic.
- **Resources:** NCJFCJ has a library of resources available through the link listed below. In addition, we provide information based on specific questions from judicial officers. Please feel free to contact us with questions or information requests.
- **Making Connections:** If you are looking for other judicial officers or courts engaged in similar work or looking for model responses, please contact us. We can

support peer-to-peer remote connections to increase awareness of innovative practices and information sharing.

## National Judicial Institute on Domestic Violence (NJIDV)

The NJIDV hands-on, interactive workshops, Enhancing Judicial Skills (EJS) and Continuing Judicial Skills (CJS), offer information on the dynamics of domestic violence, decision-making, judicial leadership, and specialized topics and dockets (CJS), such as civil protection orders, supervised visitation, and cyberviolence, as well as practical advice from experienced judges and other professionals on how to handle all aspects of these complex cases fairly and effectively. Resources are available on the NJIDV website, at [www.njidv.org](http://www.njidv.org) here, related to the topics covered by EJS/CJS programs.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the EJS workshop scheduled for June has been canceled as has the CJS workshop scheduled for September. However, as of today, we are still planning to hold the December EJS in Santa Fe, NM.

### Mark your Calendar

**EJS:** December 6-9, 2020 in Santa Fe, NM (Pending Approval)

## Webinars

### Recorded Webinars

To view webinars on domestic violence, including firearms, stalking, and immigrant survivors: <https://njidv.org/resources.html>

To view webinars on access to justice, animal cruelty, civil protection orders, and more: <https://www.ncjfcj.org/webinars/>

## Other Resources from NCJFCJ

### [NCJFCJ COVID-19 Resources and Updates](#)

The National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (NCJFCJ) is continuing to update resources related to COVID-19 and posts updated information as it is made available.

### [Judicial Engagement Network \(JEN\)](#)

JEN is a national community of engaged judges and judicial officers leading efforts to improve community responses and judicial and court practices to domestic and dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking. This is a project for judges, by judges, which the

NCJFCJ supports through the provision of technical assistance, tools, and training. The JEN offers virtual forums and conferencing for remote discussions. See the [JEN flyer](#) for more information or contact Jennifer Arsenian at [jarsenian@ncjfcj.org](mailto:jarsenian@ncjfcj.org).

### **Civil Protection Orders**

NCJFCJ offers technical assistance to courts, judges, and other professionals (civil attorneys, law enforcement, advocates) to address challenges and emerging needs identified by those involved in the issuance, service, and enforcement of protection orders. NCJFCJ's technical assistance, training, and resource development offer courts and communities the opportunity to enhance their ability to safeguard victims of domestic violence, provide for children's safety and well-being through the use of child-related relief in civil protection orders, and hold abusers accountable. For more information and to request TA, please visit the [Civil Protection Order project website](#).

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