Representing Victims of Domestic Violence in Family Court



24 Aviation Road, Ste. 101, Albany Registration 8:30 – 8:50 Program 8:50 – 4:00

Sponsored by: THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE LEGAL TRAINING COALITION (The Legal Project; Empire Justice Center; Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York; Albany Law School Domestic Violence Clinic)

6 1/2 HOURS OF TRANSITIONAL CLE CREDIT, including 1 hr ethics and 1 hr diversity

Dynamics of Domestic Violence & Safety Planning: Wendi Gapczynski, *DVHRT/Outreach and Education Coordinator, YWCA Northeastern NY*

Family Offense Basics: Joanna Davis, Esq., Staff Attorney, Legal Aid Society of Northeastern New York Custody and Visitation Overview: Susan Pattenaude, Esq., Senior Attorney/Director of Pro Bono Services, The Legal Project

Client Interviewing: Live Demonstration Moderated by Susan Pattenaude, Esq., The Legal Project

REGISTRATION & CLE FEES - PLEASE REGISTER BY NOV. 6TH; SPACE IS LIMITED.

Registration priority will be given to attorneys willing to take pro bono cases in our service areas.

F ree:	Attorney willing to accept at least one <i>pro bono</i> case annually from The Legal Aid Society of		
	Northeastern New York and The I	Legal Project.	
The Legal Pr	oject needs volunteers in A lban y, Rei	nsselaer, Saratoga	and Schenectady Counties; The Legal Aid
Society needs	volunteers in those counties as well	as Columbia, Gre	ene, Clinton, Montgomery, Fulton and
Schoharie Co			•
\$140:	Attorney not wishing to provide <i>pro bono</i> representation		
 \$70:	Lawyers for Children/18-B Assigned Counsel not wishing to provide <i>pro bono</i> representation		
\$70:	Paralegal or Legal Assistant	\$20:	Domestic Violence Advocate
**	I unch provided at no additional	cost - nlan on st	aying with us for the entire day.**
Name:	Lunch provided at no additional	Employer:	
		Employer	
Address:			
	Fax:		Email:

Mail Registration & Fee to: The Legal Project, 24 Aviation Road, STE 101, Albany, NY 12205, <u>OR</u> if no payment is required, register by email at spattenaude@legalproject.org or fax completed registration to (518) 435-1773.

For more information, call Susan Pattenaude at (518) 435-1770 or email spattenaude@legalproject.org.

Financial Hardship Scholarships: Full & partial scholarships based upon financial need are available. For information on the guidelines and procedures for applying, call Susan Pattenaude at 435-1770. All requests are confidential.



Empire Justice Center has been certified by the New York State Continuing Legal Education Board as an accredited provider of continuing legal education in the State of New York.

This transitional continuing legal education course has been approved in accordance with the requirements of the Continuing Legal Education Board for a maximum of 6.5 credit hours, of which 1.5 credit hours can be applied towards the professional practice requirement, 2.5 credit hours can be applied towards the skills requirement, 1 credit hour can be applied towards the ethics requirement, 1 credit hour can be applied towards the diversity, inclusion and elimination of bias requirement, and .5 credit hour can be applied towards the practice management requirement.