

**INFORM
NAVIGATE
EMPOWER**

CHILDREN'S LAW CENTER OF MINNESOTA

450 Syndicate Street N., Ste. 315, St. Paul, MN 55104-4106 phone: 651.644.4438 fax: 651.646.4404. www.CLCCmn.org

Presents:

Representing Youth in Foster Care

A TRAINING PROGRAM FOR CHILD ADVOCATES

PRO BONO OPPORTUNITY

This training program focuses on preparing pro bono lawyers to represent child clients in juvenile court. As a lawyer for a child in foster care, you will represent your client in court, identify and obtain appropriate services, and negotiate settlements. When you decide to do pro bono work for CLC as a volunteer attorney, CLC staff attorneys and social worker will consult with you on legal strategies, substantive and procedural issues, give guidance and information about resources, and help you to assess your client's development and education needs. This program also provides updated training for current volunteer attorneys, judges, county attorneys, public defenders, social workers & other child advocates.

- 7.25 CLE credits (applied for).
- Breakfast, lunch, and a snack are included in the registration fee.

GENERAL INFORMATION

WHEN: Friday, November 4, 2011
8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

WHERE: Briggs and Morgan
2200 IDS Center
80 South 8th St
Minneapolis, MN 55402

(Directions below)

REGISTRATION FORM- Please Register by October 31, 2011, to reserve your space.

Please check the appropriate box below:

- \$250 Attorney
\$125 Attorney - will take a CLC pro bono case
\$10 Criminal background check fee
\$150 Legal Services/Public Attorney
\$100 Social Worker/ Guardian Ad Litem
\$100 Paralegal

Total Enclosed: \$ _____

Registration(s) accepted by mail, phone or fax.

CLC does not accept Credit Card Payment information sent via e-mail.

Mail Payment Info /Make Checks Payable to:

Children's Law Center of Minnesota
450 Syndicate Street N. Ste 315
Saint Paul, MN 55104-4106
Phone: (651) 644-4438; Fax: (651) 646-4404

Payment by: **Check** **VISA** **Master Card**

NAME (As it appears on Card)

MN Bar License # _____

ORGANIZATION/FIRM

Billing ADDRESS (for Card)

Billing CITY

Billing STATE

Billing ZIP

PHONE

FAX

E-MAIL _____

Card#: _____

(XXXX-XXXX-XXXX-XXXX)

EXP Date (00/0000): _____

CID#: _____

(3 Digit Security Code on Back of Card)

Signature: _____

Please Note:

- i This training is required for any attorney wishing to become a pro bono attorney for CLC. CLC conducts background checks on all volunteers and requests a \$10.00 fee to cover the cost of the check at the time of application.
- i Refund Policy: If notice of cancellation is received at least 72 hours prior to the program, a full refund minus a \$25.00 administration fee will be given. Any requests received after that time will be given credit for a future CLC seminar (less the \$25.00 administration fee).

Program Schedule: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (Detailed itinerary available on request.) Program provides an overview of Minnesota's juvenile protection system (including governing law and court process), and features panel discussions with representatives from various players in the system, CLC volunteer attorneys and foster care youth. Meals provided include coffee and rolls for breakfast, lunch, and a light afternoon snack. Please call CLC with additional questions at 651-644-4438.

Directions

From the south, take I-35W north to the downtown exits. Take 11th Street to Marquette Avenue. Go north on Marquette. The IDS Center is on the left on Marquette between 7th and 8th Streets.

From the north, take I-35W south to Washington Avenue. Go west (right) to 2nd Avenue South. Go south (left) on 2nd Avenue South to 7th Street. Take a right on 7th Street to Marquette Avenue. The IDS Center is on the corner of 7th Street and Marquette Avenue.

From the west, take I-394 to the downtown exits. Take 12th Street to Marquette Avenue. Go north on Marquette. The IDS Center is on the left on Marquette between 7th and 8th Streets.

From the east, take I-94 west to the 11th Street exit. Take 11th Street to Marquette Avenue. Go north on Marquette. The IDS Center is on the left on Marquette between 7th and 8th Streets.

Parking

IDS Center Ramp: The IDS Center parking facility has an entrance at 716 Marquette Avenue (between 7th and 8th Streets) with access 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.