





Seventh Annual Family Law Training Series

Presented by VLSC, Bay Area Legal Aid, and the ACBA Family Law Section

Local bench officers and experienced family law attorneys present the following six-session training:

Overview of the Dissolution Process and Getting Started

Client interviews; case management; and family law practice overview (Causes of Action, initial pleadings and procedure)

Working with Low-Income Clients and Domestic Violence Survivors

Basics of domestic violence; barriers and challenges facing low-income clients; and managing attorney-client relationship

Motions, Hearings, and Domestic Violence Restraining Orders

Order to Show Cause; Notice of Motion; Domestic Violence Prevention Act; ex-parte motions; and declarations

Child and Spousal Support; and Attorneys Fees

Pleadings; Department of Child Support Services; hearing practice; and computer support program calculations

Property Issues

Identifying, distributing and dividing community and separate assets and debts; experts; disclosure; and discovery

Children's Issues/Custody

Procedural and substantive issues; best interest standard; pleadings; and Court Process (Family Court Services and evaluations)

Getting it Done/Judgments

Paths to final Judgment (default, uncontested and contested trials); and preparing for final Judgments.

Presenters:

- Judge Stephen Pulido
- Judge Alice Vilardi
- Commissioner Sue Alexander
- · Commissioner Elizabeth Hendrickson
- Commissioner Tom Nixon
- Commissioner Glenn Oleon
- Trish Kaplan (Family Court Services Program Supervisor)
- Sandra Roberts-Stokes (Department of Child Support Services)
- Sharon Braz (Blum Braz & Gibbs)
- Kimberly Parker-Wesley (Parker Wesley and Associates)
- Nikki Clark (Law Office of Nikki Clark)
- Genevieve Richardson (Bay Area Legal Aid)
- Billie Jean Lee (Bay Area Legal Aid)

Dates and Time:

Wednesdays, October 3, 10, and 17, 2012 Thursdays, October 4, 11, and 18, 2012 Program 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm (*Registration begins at 5:00 pm*)

Registration:

Participants must commit to attend all six trainings, and to take two pro bono cases within one year of the training.

Register by submitting a completed form to Managing Attorney Elizabeth Hom at elizabeth@acbanet.org or fax to 510-452-2224. Your registration must be confirmed by Elizabeth Hom to be considered valid. If you have any questions, please contact Elizabeth at elizabeth@acbanet.org, or call 510-302-2216.

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I certify that I am in good standing with the California State Bar and agree to take two pro bono family law cases in the next year.	
	Signature
\$100 payment	My check is enclosed (payable to Alameda County Bar Association)
	Please charge my credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover)
Credit card numb	er Expiration date
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