

AGENDA

CORE 100: Child Protective Services: Legal Issues

- I. LEGAL BASIS FOR INTERVENTION
 - A. State Intervention in the Parent/Child Relationship
 - B. Due Process Protections
 - C. Types of Intervention
 - D. History and Overview of the Juvenile Court
 - E. Legal Mandates
- II. SOURCES OF REFERRALS
 - A. Child Abuse Reporting Statute
 - B. Annual Child Abuse Report
 - C. General Protective Services Referrals
- III. ABUSED CHILDREN
 - A. Child Abuse Defined
 - B. Categories of Abuse
 - C. Student Abuse
 - D. Aggravated Circumstances
- IV. DEPENDENT CHILDREN
 - A. Criteria for Dependency

V. JUDICIAL ENFORCEMENT OF PROTECTIVE SERVICES

- A. Deciding Whether To Go To Court
- B. Reasonable Efforts
- C. Protective Custody
- D. The Petition
- E. Rights of Parents and Children in Judicial Proceedings
- F. Prehearing Conferences and Negotiating Case Settlements
- G. Participants in the Juvenile Court Process
- H. Informal Hearing
- I. Adjudicatory Hearing
- J. Dispositional Hearing
- K. Continuing Jurisdiction

VI. THE ROLE OF THE WORKER

- A. Relationship to the Agency Solicitor
- B. Relationship to the Other Participants
- C. Court Testimony
- D. Transfer of Training