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A View from the Bench Series

A VIEW FROM THE BENCH: OLDER YOUTH

Description: A panel of four judges working with CASA/GAL programs in rural, suburban, and urban programs. The facilitated discussion includes judicial input regarding building relationships with older youth. The Judges discuss barriers and resolutions to common barriers faced by youth aging out of the system.

Presenters: Honorable Leslie Halligan, Judge, 4th Judicial District Court, Missoula, Montana, Honorable William Owens, Senior Judge, Juvenile Court, 8th Judicial District, Ottumwa, Iowa, Diane Nunn, J.D., Judicial Liaison, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: May 17, 2024

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A VIEW FROM THE BENCH: FAMILY PRESERVATION/EARLY INTERVENTION

Description: A webinar featuring a panel of judges working with CASA/GAL programs in rural, suburban, and urban programs. This facilitated discussion includes judicial input regarding early intervention and family preservation.

Presenters: Honorable Sheila Calloway, Judge, Davidson County Juvenile Court, Tennessee, Honorable Laurie A. Clark, Juvenile Court Judge, Denver Juvenile Court, Colorado. Honorable S. Trent Favre, Judge, Hancock County Court (and Youth Court), Mississippi, Honorable Lucinda Masterton (Ret.), Fayette County Family Court, Lexington, Kentucky

Recorded on: June 21, 2024

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A VIEW FROM THE BENCH: INCARCERATED PARENTS

Description: View this informative webinar of a panel of judges working with CASA/GAL programs in rural, suburban, and urban programs. This facilitated discussion includes judicial input regarding children whose parents are involved in the justice system.

Presenters: Honorable Sheila Calloway, Judge, Davidson County Juvenile Court, Tennessee, Honorable S. Trent Favre, Judge, Hancock County Court (and Youth Court), Mississippi, Honorable William Owens, Senior Judge, Juvenile Court, 8th Judicial District, Ottumwa, Iowa

Recorded on: July 19, 2024

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A VIEW FROM THE BENCH: WORKING WITH FAMILIES

Description: View this informative webinar of a panel of judges working with CASA/GAL programs in rural, suburban, and urban programs. This facilitated discussion includes judicial input regarding working with the family as a whole.

Presenters: Honorable Laurie A. Clark, Juvenile Court Judge, Denver Juvenile Court, Colorado, Honorable Piper McCraw, District Judge, 469 Judicial District Court, Collin County, Texas, Honorable Leslie Halligan, Judge, 4th Judicial District Court, Missoula, Montana, Tara Perry, Chief Executive Officer, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: August 16, 2024

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A VIEW FROM THE BENCH: IMPORTANCE OF BEST INTEREST ADVOCACY

Description: In the final webinar in the “A View from the Bench” series, volunteers and staff are provided with the judges’ perspectives on what they consider best-interest advocacy, including what they need and depend on from CASA/GAL advocates, information that is and is not helpful to include in written reports and recommendations, and areas of information or perspectives from interested parties they find especially valuable to include in reports to assist them with decision-making.



Presenters: Honorable Mark Calvert, Associate Circuit Judge Division 2. Phelps County Family Court 25th Judicial Circuit Rolla, Missouri, Honorable Joseph Fernandes, Judge Court of Common Pleas, First Judicial District of Pennsylvania Family Court Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Recorded on: September 13, 2024

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Judge's Perspective Series

JUDGE'S PERSPECTIVE: JUDICIAL TOOLKIT

Description: Viewers of this webinar will be presented with the purpose and contents of the *Judicial Toolkit* and see a review of the *Judges' Orientation to CASA/GAL Programs* for state organizations and local programs.

Presenters: Honorable Leslie Halligan, Judge, 4th Judicial District Court, Missoula, Montana, Honorable William Owens, Senior Judge, Juvenile Court, 8th Judicial District, Ottumwa, Iowa, Diane Nunn, J.D., Judicial Liaison, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: May 31, 2024

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JUDGE'S PERSPECTIVE: WRITING AN EFFECTIVE COURT REPORT

Description: This webinar will provide staff and volunteers with tips and strategies on how to organize a court report, and how to write an effective court report from a Judge's perspective. Viewers will also hear tips and information on how to prepare for court on the day of the hearing to effectively verbally provide information to the Judge.

Presenters: Honorable Lisa R, Harris, Referee Supervisor, 6th Circuit Court – Juvenile Division, Pontiac, Michigan, Honorable William Owens, Senior Judge, Juvenile Court, 8th Judicial District, Ottumwa, Iowa, Diane Nunn, J.D., Judicial Liaison, National CASA/GAL Association

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JUDGE'S PERSPECTIVE: PREPARING TO VERBALLY ANSWER QUESTIONS IN COURT

Description: This webinar will provide staff and volunteers with tips and strategies on how to prepare to answer questions in court through a Judge's perspective. Attendees will hear tips and information from members of the Judicial Leadership Council on how to prepare for court on the day of the hearing to effectively verbally provide information to the Judge.

Presenters: Honorable Darlene Byrne, Chief Justice, Third Court of Appeals, Austin, Texas, Honorable Jerilyn Borack (Ret.), Assignment Judge, California Superior Court, Sacramento, California, Honorable Michael Dickinson, Judge, Harrison County Youth Court, Biloxi, Mississippi, Honorable Amanda N. Heath, Augusta Circuit Superior Court, Augusta, Georgia

Recorded on: July 26, 2024

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JUDGE'S PERSPECTIVE: WORKING WITH AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKA NATIVE CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

Description: In this webinar, participants will hear from a panel of judges from the Judicial Leadership Council, who will provide staff and volunteers with information on how to work with American Indian/Alaska Native children and their families and working with ICWA and/or a tribal court when advocating for an American Indian/Alaska Native child. A toolkit on working towards providing CASA/GAL advocacy services in tribal courts that are currently not covered by a CASA/GAL program will be introduced.

Presenters: Honorable Darlene Byrne, Chief Justice, Third Court of Appeals, Austin, Texas, Honorable Ana España, Presiding Juvenile Court Judge, San Diego Superior Court, California, Honorable Valeri Love, Chief Juvenile Judge, 2nd Judicial District of Oregon, Honorable Dean Stout, Chief Judge of the Bishop Paiute Tribal Court

Recorded on: August 23, 2024

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State Standards Webinar Series

STATE STANDARDS WEBINAR SERIES: CONSOLIDATED DOCUMENTS PART 1

Description: The five-part Consolidated Documents webinars from the State Standards Webinar Series provide a comprehensive understanding of the document requirements of the *National CASA/GAL Association Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations* and how they can be scaled and work together to guide state organizations in sustainable, efficient, and effective ways.

Part 1 will focus on the strategy-related documents that are required by the *Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations*.

Presenter: Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: July 18, 2024

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STATE STANDARDS WEBINAR SERIES: CONSOLIDATED DOCUMENTS PART 2A

Description: The five-part Consolidated Documents webinars from the State Standards Webinar Series provide a comprehensive understanding of the document requirements of the *National CASA/GAL Association Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations* and how they can be scaled and work together to guide state organizations in sustainable, efficient, and effective ways.

Part 2A will focus on the human resources-related documents that are required by the *Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations*.

Presenter: Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: July 25, 2024

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STATE STANDARDS WEBINAR SERIES: CONSOLIDATED DOCUMENTS PART 2B

Description: The five-part Consolidated Documents webinars from the State Standards Webinar Series provide a comprehensive understanding of the document requirements of the *National CASA/GAL Association Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations* and how they can be scaled and work together to guide state organizations in sustainable, efficient, and effective ways.

Part 2B will be a continuation on the human resources-related documents that are required by the *Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations*.

Presenter: Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: July 30, 2024

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STATE STANDARDS WEBINAR SERIES: CONSOLIDATED DOCUMENTS PART 3A

Description: The five-part Consolidated Documents webinars from the State Standards Webinar Series provide a comprehensive understanding of the document requirements of the *National CASA/GAL Association Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations* and how they can be scaled and work together to guide state organizations in sustainable, efficient, and effective ways.

Part 3A will focus on the board-related documents that are required by the *Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations*.

Presenter: Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: August 1, 2024

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STATE STANDARDS WEBINAR SERIES: CONSOLIDATED DOCUMENTS PART 3B

Description: The five-part Consolidated Documents webinars from the State Standards Webinar Series provide a comprehensive understanding of the document requirements of the *National CASA/GAL Association Standards*

for *State CASA/GAL Organizations* and how they can be scaled and work together to guide state organizations in sustainable, efficient, and effective ways.

Part 3B will be a continuation on the board-related documents that are required by the *Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations*.

Presenter: Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: August 5, 2024

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QUARTERLY STATE STANDARDS TRAINING

Description: Viewers will leave this webinar understanding the *Standards for State CASA/GAL Organizations*, their history, framework and structure, including the *National CASA/GAL Association Core Model and Role of the State Organization*.

Presenter: Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: October 21, 2024

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Program Administration Webinars

EFFECTIVE HR MANAGEMENT

Description: Viewers of this webinar will understand required elements of practice of the National CASA/GAL Association local and state standards for human resources policies and practices. National CASA/GAL staff lead a discussion exploring effective implementation and applications of human resources policies and practices.

Presenters: Dharmattie Brush, Kelly McDonald and Roxanne Mennes, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: May 22, 2024

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BACKGROUND SCREENING: EXPERTS ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS

Description: In this webinar, National CASA/GAL staff will provide an overview of the screening and checks required in the standards for state and local programs for volunteers, staff and nonprofit board members as well as OJJDP determination of suitability requirements for subgrantees receiving federally funded grant awards. In addition, a panel of background check vendors will answer commonly asked questions that the CASA/GAL network often has about background screening.

Presenters: Art Ferreira, Coeus Global Founder & CEO, Matt McGregor, First Advantage Director of Non-Profit & Education Solutions, Katie Zwetzig, Sterling Volunteers Practice Leader of Government and Education and Roxanne Mennes, National CASA/GAL Officer for Local Program Quality and Accountability

Recorded on: August 15, 2024

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THEORY OF CHANGE: WHAT IT IS AND WHAT PEOPLE THINK IT IS

Description: This webinar covers the concept of the theory of change, a critical tool for planning and evaluating social impact. The presentation will provide a comprehensive overview of what a theory of change entails and highlight the varying interpretations and applications of this concept in practice. The presentation aims to equip viewers with a deeper understanding of the theory of change concept, provide practical guidance on its implementation, and help them create effective theories of change tailored to their specific needs and stakeholders. With this understanding, viewers will be able to proceed to next steps in developing their own tailored theory of change with greater confidence and knowledge.

Presenter: Maoz (Michael) Brown, Center for Theory of Change

Recorded on: September 20, 2024

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STORYTELLING

Description: Effective public education and engagement is essential for the success of a CASA/GAL program. Impactful messaging is key for recruiting diverse staff, volunteers and board members while also strengthening support from our stakeholders and communities. Learn the elements of storytelling that may catapult your outreach efforts to the next level. You will leave this webinar with new insights and renewed energy for end-of-year recruitment campaigns and beyond.

Presenter: Kristen Farrell, Director, The Goodman Center

Recorded on: September 30, 2024

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Operations, Program Policies and Financial Management Series

OPERATIONS, PROGRAM POLICIES AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT: PART 1 ROLE OF THE EXECUTIVE PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Description: The first in a series of six webinars focused on program management as detailed in Local Program Standard 6. These educational sessions will provide an opportunity for greater understanding of the vital role program leaders serve regarding partnership with the program's governing board or administrative authority, in oversight of fiscal and risk management.

In Topic 1: Role of the Executive/Program Director, National CASA/GAL Association's Growth and Development Directors will provide insights about the role of the program's director as a leader and manager, working in partnership with the program's nonprofit board or administrative authority.

Presenters: Kimberly Delso, Cheryl Latham and Shaney Starr, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: November 6, 2024

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OPERATIONS, PROGRAM POLICIES AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT: PART 2 INTERNAL CONTROLS

Description: Part 2 in a series of six webinars focused on program management as detailed in Local Program Standard 6. These educational sessions will provide an opportunity for greater understanding of the vital role program leaders serve regarding partnership with the program's governing board or administrative authority, in oversight of fiscal and risk management.

In Topic 2: Internal Controls, National CASA/GAL Association's Chief Financial Officer will provide an overview of required local program internal controls and guidance about best practices to strengthen program operations.

Presenter: Thomas Hoover, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: November 13, 2024

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OPERATIONS, PROGRAM POLICIES AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT: PART 3 FISCAL REPORTING

Description: The third in a series of six webinars focused on program management as detailed in Local Program Standard 6. These educational sessions will provide an opportunity for greater understanding of the vital role program leaders serve regarding partnership with the program's governing board or administrative authority, in oversight of fiscal and risk management.

In Topic 3: Fiscal Reporting, National CASA/GAL Association's Chief Financial Officer will provide insight about fiscal reporting to build understanding about financial statements, audits, reviews, compilations and more.

Presenter: Thomas Hoover, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: November 15, 2024

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OPERATIONS, PROGRAM POLICIES AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT: PART 4 BUDGETING & REPORTING

Description: The fourth in a series of six webinars focused on program management as detailed in Local Program Standard 6. These educational sessions will provide an opportunity for greater understanding of the vital role program leaders serve regarding partnership with the program's governing board or administrative authority, in oversight of fiscal and risk management.

In Topic 4: Budgeting & Reporting, National CASA/GAL Association staff will provide insight about fiscal reporting to build understanding about financial statements, audits, reviews, compilations and more.

Presenter: Roxanne Mennes and Kelly McDonald, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: November 20, 2024

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OPERATIONS, PROGRAM POLICIES AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT: PART 5 RISK MANAGEMENT

Description: Part 5 in a series of six webinars focused on program management as detailed in Local Program Standard 6. These educational sessions will provide an opportunity for greater understanding of the vital role program leaders serve regarding partnership with the program's governing board or administrative authority, in oversight of fiscal and risk management.

In Topic 5: Risk Management, National CASA/GAL Association staff will provide insight about fiscal reporting to build understanding about financial statements, audits, reviews, compilations and more.

Presenter: Roxanne Mennes, National CASA/GAL Association

Recorded on: November 22, 2024

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OPERATIONS, PROGRAM POLICIES AND FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT: PART 6 INSURANCE CONSIDERATIONS

Description: The last webinar in a series of six focused on program management as detailed in Local Program Standard 6. These educational sessions will provide an opportunity for greater understanding of the vital role program leaders serve regarding partnership with the program's governing board or administrative authority, in oversight of fiscal and risk management.

In Topic 6: Insurance Considerations, National CASA/GAL Association staff will provide insight about fiscal reporting to build understanding about financial statements, audits, reviews, compilations and more.

Presenter: Roxanne Mennes, National CASA/GAL Association

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Governance Initiative Series

GOVERNANCE INITIATIVE 101 – FRAMEWORK FOR SUCCESSFUL NONPROFIT BOARDS: DUTY OF CARE

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Presenter: Corey J. Goerdts, Fisher & Phillips LLP, Director of Pro Bono & Community Engagement

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GOVERNANCE INITIATIVE 102 – NAVIGATING KEY NONPROFIT BOARD RESPONSIBILITIES: DUTIES OF LOYALTY AND OBEDIENCE

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GOVERNANCE INITIATIVE 103 – REAL LIFE BOARDS: PRACTICES (AND HACKS) TO ACHIEVE THE MISSION

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