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# CAFA ADVANCED CLE

For Attorneys Representing Children and Families on  
the Child Protection Service Docket

Thursday, October 15, 2009  
8:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

State Bar of Texas  
Auditorium, First Floor  
1414 Colorado St.

CLE Credit ~ 7.5 hours

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8:00 - 8:20 **Registration**

8:20 - 8:30 **Opening Remarks**

Michael Simpson,  
Attorney at Law

8:30 - 10:00 **Legislative and Case Law Update**

Charlie Childress & Barry Brooks,  
Attorney General Child Support Division

10:00 - 10:45 **Intervention**

Gail Nicholson,  
Law Offices of Gail D. Nicholson

10:45 - 11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00 - 11:25 **Obtaining Protective Orders**

Linda Magee & Erin Martinson,  
Travis County Attorney's Office

11:25 - 11:45 **Defending Against Protective Orders**

Audrey Blair,  
Noelke English Maples St. Leger

11:45 - 12:00 **Break to Pick Up Lunches**

12:00 - 12:45 **Lunchtime CLE: Ask the Experts**

Panel of Experienced CPS Litigators

12:45 - 1:15 **Policy & Procedures/Best Practices**

Stephanie Ledesma,  
Office of Parent Representation

1:15 - 2:00 **Appellate Panel**

Speakers TBA

2:00 - 2:45 **Preparing Your CPS Case for Trial**

Rob Galvin,  
Rob Galvin Law Office

2:45 - 3:00 **Break**

3:00 - 3:30 **Substituted Judgment**

Lori Duke,  
UT Children's Rights Clinic

3:30 - 4:00 **Voir Dire in CPS Cases**

Margaret Lalk,  
Attorney at Law

4:00 - 4:45 **Ethical Issues in CPS Litigation**

Tricia Heil,  
Law Office of Tricia Heil

## Registration and Event Information

### Fees on or before Thursday, Oct. 1

CAFA Members: \$80

Non-Members: \$105

### Fees after Thursday, Oct. 1

CAFA Members: \$100

Non-Members: \$125

**CLE** An application for accreditation of this activity has been submitted to the MCLE Committee of the State Bar of Texas and is pending. We have applied for 7.5 hours of MCLE and credit towards membership in the College of the State Bar of Texas.

### Registration No refunds after noon, Monday, October

12. Pre-registration is accepted as long as space is available. Registrants will *not* receive registration confirmation. Pre-registrant check-in begins at 8:00 a.m.

**Parking** You may park at the Wells Fargo building at 15th St. and Guadalupe. Parking will not be validated.

**Taxes** An income tax deduction may be allowed for expenses of education directly related to maintaining and improving professional skills in employment.

**Useful Info** Bringing a light jacket or sweater is recommended, as the meeting room tends to be cool.

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