

NEW YORK STATE BAR ASSOCIATION
FOCUS ON FAMILY COURT: HOLISTIC & EFFECTIVE
FAMILY REPRESENTATION

AGENDA

5.5 Transitional CLE Credits (2.0 Skills; 3.5 Professional Practice)

Under New York's MCLE rule, this program has been approved for all attorneys, including newly admitted

9:30-10:15 am REGISTRATION

10-20-10:25am WELCOME

Chair Andrew Kossover, Esq.
Committee to Ensure Quality of Mandated Representation

10:25 - 11:25am WORKING WITH EXPERTS IN ARTICLE 10 AND TPR CASES

Lauren Shapiro, Esq., Brooklyn Defenders Services

11:30 – 12:20pm DISCOVERY IN ARTICLE 10/TPR/CUSTODY PROCEEDINGS

Adele M. Fine, Esq., Monroe County Public Defenders Office
Emma S. Ketteringham, Esq., Bronx Defenders

12:20 – 1:05pm LUNCHEON AND AWARDS CEREMONY

1:05-1:55pm STANDARDS OF PRACTICE FOR PARENT'S ATTORNEY'S IN STATE INTERVENTION CASES: FOCUS ON EARLY INVOLVEMENT OF COUNSEL

Angela Olivia Burton, Esq., NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services
Linda Gehron, Esq., Frank H. Hiscock Legal Aid Society

2:00-3:30pm INTERSECTION OF CRIMINAL, FAMILY AND IMMIGRATION PROCEEDINGS

Joanne Macri, Esq., NYS Office of Indigent Legal Services
Sophie I. Feal, Esq., Erie County Bar Association Volunteer Lawyers Project

3:40 -4:30pm CORNERSTONE ADVOCACY: AN INTERDISCIPLINARY APPROACH

Erin Browne, Esq., Senior Staff Attorney, Center for Family Representation
Anastasia Rivera, Esq., Litigation Supervisor, Center for Family Representation
Sara Rivera, LMSW, Senior Staff Social Worker, Center for Family Representation

4:35-4:45pm CLOSING REMARKS

Chair Andrew Kossover