

## Advanced Issues in Child Protection Law

*Child and Youth Law in partnership with the Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies*



Webcast

**Date:** Thursday, March 2, 2023 | 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Location:** Webinar Only



**Agenda:** 9:00 am – 1:00 pm Program

**Program Chairs:** **Dawn Dubois**, Children's Aid Society of Algoma  
**Elizabeth McCarty**, Ministry of Children,  
Community and Social Services

**Professionalism Hours:** This program contains a total of 0 h 30 m Professionalism Hours

**Substantive Hours:** This program contains a total of 3 h 30 m Substantive Hours

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Join our faculty of legal and clinical professionals for this unique opportunity to hear about recent developments and resources for older youth in need of assistance, unravel the complexities of immigration issues in child protection law, and gather valuable insights on emergency apprehensions to help you stay at the top of your field. Whether you are counsel for a child protection agency, parent or child, learn how to leverage important resources available to your client and walk away with insightful and helpful strategies to implement in your practice immediately.

10:15am BREAK

9:00am Welcome and Opening Remarks

10:25am **Key Considerations on the relationship between Immigration and Child Protection Law**

9:05am **Crucial Insights for Older Youth: Third Party Protection and Extended Care Applications**

**Megan Henze**, OTReg(Ont)

**Jodi Kaiman**, Children's Aid Society of Toronto

**Shuah Roskies**, Office of the Children's Lawyer

**Sarah Trimble**, Youth in Transition Program, YMCA of Hamilton | Burlington | Brantford

**Sabrina Vincent**, Ininew Friendship Centre (Cochrane)

**Allison P. Williams**, Justice for Children and Youth

Moderator: **Dawn Dubois**, Children's Aid Society of Algoma

- Supports and resources available for older children and youth
- Evidence to provide in Third Party Protection Applications
- Practical factors to consider when structuring Extended Care Orders

**Caterina Tempesta**, Office of the Children's Lawyer

**Cheryl Robinson**, Refugee Law Office

**Danielle Ungara**, Child Welfare Immigration Centre of Excellence

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- Practical impact of immigration proceedings on child protection proceedings
- Impact of evidence and information in child protection proceedings on immigration proceedings
- Resources available to societies when there are immigration issues that impact child protection files
- Key insights on assisting parents where there are concurrent immigration issues

11:35am BREAK

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11:45am **Warrantless/Emergency Apprehensions**

**Professor Barbara Fallon**, Canada Research Chair in Child Welfare, University of Toronto

**Mark Hecht**, Children's Aid Society of Ottawa

**Archana Medhekar**, Barrister & Solicitor (Brampton)

**Cheryl Milne**, Executive Director, David Asper Centre for Constitutional Rights

- Current legislation, case law and social science research on the impact of emergency apprehensions
- Practical insights on advocating for and against the warrantless apprehension

12:55pm Questions and Concluding Remarks

1:00pm Program Concludes

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