

Advanced Issues in Child Protection
Law

Child and Youth Law and Family Law Sections



In-Person



Webcast

Date:Wednesday, May 22, 2024 | 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Location:OBA Conference Centre20 Toronto Street, 2nd Floor,
Toronto

Agenda:

8:30 am Registration

9:00 am Program Begins

1:00 pm Program Concludes

This program contains:

3hr 15m of Substantive Content

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Join our outstanding faculty to explore the most pressing issues in child protection law. Get up to speed on the legal issues impacting trans youth, explore the intersection of federal and provincial legislation as it relates to Indigenous issues, and gain important insights into family violence. Whether you are counsel for a child protection agency, parent, or child, you won't want to miss this opportunity to gain helpful strategies for your practice.

Register now to secure your spot!

This program is in partnership with the **Ontario Association of Children's Aid Societies (OACAS)** and CBA Members/Employees of OACAS Member Organization may register with the member rate.

Program Chairs:

Dawn Dubois, Children's Aid Society of Algoma

Allison Williams, Justice for Children and Youth

8:30 am	Registration	General
9:00 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Bennett Jensen, Egale Canada
9:05 am	How to Use the Federal Legislation in Child Welfare Litigation	Join our expert panel for updates on the research, case law and legal issues impacting trans children and youth. Gain essential practice tips, including advice for handling privacy issues.
	Moderator: Dawn Dubois, Children's Aid Society of Algoma	
	Maureen Bulbrook, Office of the Children's Lawyer	11:45 am
	Simon Fisch, Clarke Child & Family Law	11:55 am
	Debra Snider, Fogler, Rubinoff LLP	
	Join our expert panel on a focused discussion of the interplay of the Federal Legislation and the CYFSA. Hear from practitioners on their experiences, thoughts and ideas on strategies to apply the Federal Legislation for improved outcomes for First Nation, Inuit and Metis children, youth and families.	
10:20 am	Health Break	Health Break
10:30 am	Supporting Trans Children and Youth Interacting with the Child Protection System	Important insights into Family Violence
	Moderator: Dawn Dubois, Children's Aid Society of Algoma	Moderator: Allison Williams, Justice for Children and Youth (JFCY)
	Tami D. Moscoe, Ministry of Attorney	Mary Birdsell, Justice for Children and Youth (JFCY)
		Carina Chan, Burrison Hudani Doris LLP
		Anais Lussier-Labelle, Family and Children's Services of Renfrew County
		Archana Medhekar, Archana Medhekar Professional Corporation
		Join us for an update on case law and judicial trends in approaches to family violence, while also considering related themes such as parental alienation and the unique needs of older youth fleeing family violence.
		Program concludes