



Arrest & Conviction of Dependent Children: What Happens & How You Can Help

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This training will help participants understand what happens to children when they are arrested and charged in juvenile and adult court. It will give special attention to the treatment of children in the dependency system and offer suggestions as to how child welfare staff, caregivers, GALs and children's lawyers can help make sure these youth get the supports and services they need while incarcerated and after release. The training will address:

1. The consequences of arrest and convictions – and resources available to help kids.
2. Juvenile vs. adult charges - how you can help get charges not filed or reduced.
3. Legal obligations of the state to provide services to kids in state custody.
4. Provision of services to kids in the community.
5. Special needs of “crossover” kids (open dependency case as well as charged).

Who Should Attend:

Attorneys, GALs, Caregivers, Caseworkers, Supervisors, and other individuals who work directly with youth.

Date: Thursday, November 15, 2012 from 1-4pm

Place: Jacksonville Children's Commission
1095 A. Philip Randolph Blvd., Jacksonville, FL 32206

RSVP: fcf@floridaschildrenfirst.org
(Mention Jacksonville training in the subject line) or call 954-796-0860.

Register Online Directly:

<http://events.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=kcikvgeab&oeidk=a07e6la3my8d79766c3>

Parking: Directly adjacent to building.

Join us for our Northeast Florida Reception that evening at the University Club of Jacksonville from 5:30 – 7:30 pm.

Participants are invited to join us that evening for Florida's Children First's Reception honoring children's advocates Lyn King, Brenda Stewart, Justice Coalition's Victims' Advocate, The Scaff Family, and youth honorees Shawna Nealey and Malcolm Bright. The reception begins at 5:30 PM at the University Club of Jacksonville. The suggested contribution is \$100.00. The Northeast Florida Awards event is one of our statewide receptions that raise funds and grow our community of child advocates. We offer a minimum rate of \$25.00 for state or public interest employees that cover the value of goods and services. Please let us know in advance if you would like to attend the reception.