



# Colorado Office of the Child's Representative

## Core Competencies II: Adv. Training for New Attorneys

### - AGENDA -

Ralph L. Carr Judicial Center ■ 1300 Broadway, Training Room 1C ■ Denver, CO 80203

Friday March 22, 2019

7:30 - 8:00 a.m.	■ <i>Registration &amp; Continental Breakfast</i>
8:00 - 8:30 a.m.	<b>Welcome &amp; Overview of Permanency Hearings</b> <i>Chris Henderson, Esq., OCR Executive Director</i> <i>Applicable Law   Purpose   Legal Preparation   Youth Voice</i>
8:30 - 8:40 a.m.	■ <i>Break</i>
8:40 - 10:55 a.m.	<b>Permanency Goals — (30 minutes each)</b> (1) <i>Return Home, Meghan Scott, Esq.</i> (2) <i>Other Planned Permanent Living Arrangement (OPPLA), Anna Hall-Owen, Esq.</i> (3) <i>APR &amp; Guardianship, Chris Henderson, Esq., OCR Executive Director / Ashley Chase, Esq., OCR Staff Attorney</i> (4) <i>Adoption, Traci Streifer, Esq.</i>
10:55 - 11:10 a.m.	■ <i>Break</i>
11:10- 12:10 p.m.	(1) <b>Preparing for Termination Hearings in D&amp;N Cases</b> <i>Ashley Chase, Esq., OCR Staff Attorney (Room 1C)</i> (2) <b>GAL Feedback, Practice Tips and Q&amp;A for Delinquency Cases</b> <i>Ashley Graff, Esq.   Jeff Ruff, Esq.   Rane Sharshel, Esq. (Room 1A)</i>
12:10 - 1:00 p.m.	■ <i>Lunch Provided - Open Networking Lunch</i>
1:00 - 3:15 p.m.	<b>Social Science Considerations in D&amp;N Cases: Determining the Best Interest of the Child — (30 minutes each)</b> (1) <i>Child Safety, Cara Nord, Esq., OCR Staff Attorney</i> (2) <i>Parental Developmental Disabilities, Stacey Nickolaus, Esq.</i> (3) <i>Substance Use, Anne Auld, Illuminate Colorado</i> (4) <i>Implicit Bias, Cara Nord, Esq., OCR Staff Attorney</i>
3:15 - 3:30 p.m.	■ <i>Break</i>
3:30- 4:30 p.m.	<b>Appellate Review</b> <i>Josi McCauley, Esq.</i>  <i>Common Themes   Preserving the Record   COA Update   Processes/Procedures</i>
4:30- 6:00 p.m.	<b>Reception</b>