



Florida's Children First
Invites you to a Training on
Youth Involvement
In Dependency Court Proceedings
(Florida Bar 2.5 CLE credits - No Charge)

This course is designed to help judges, attorneys and caseworkers understand the importance of involving youth of all ages in their dependency court proceedings.

Outline of Topics Addressed:

- Why it is important for youth to participate in court hearings;
- How to prepare youth for court using age appropriate guidelines;
- Key elements of successful interaction between a youth and the judge in a court hearing; and
- How to debrief a young person at the conclusion of a court hearing.

Who Should Attend:

Attorneys, GALs and child welfare staff who work for or represent Children, the State, DCF, CBCs, and the Guardian Ad Litem office and all others concerned with the well-being of youth in State care.

Date & Time:

Thursday, November 13, 2008 (2 sessions offered)

10:00 AM to noon and 1:00 PM to 3:00

Location:

Children's Services Council of Palm Beach County
2300 High Ridge Road
Boynton Beach, FL 33426

RSVP: RSVP early as space is limited

Floridas Children First at Fcf@Floridaschildrenfirst.org or 954-796-0860
(Please include Palm Beach Youth In Court in the subject line)

Please include the name, employer, email address, and telephone number for each attendee for whom you are registering. For those seeking CLE credit, please include your Florida Bar Number for our report to the Bar.