

**SCAO-CHILD WELFARE SERVICES
2009-2010 TRAINING SCHEDULE**
as of 10/22/09

Training Date	Title <small>(Bold font indicates that Child Welfare Services (CWS) is the administrator of the training)</small>	Location	Sponsor/Contact	Eligible Participants
2009 TRAININGS				
THURSDAY LUNCHEON WEBCAST – 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.				
<p>May 28, 2009 Interstate Compact</p> <p>July 23, 2009 ASFA Revisited</p> <p>August 20, 2009 CFSR: Self Assessment Guide/ Permanency and Data</p> <p>September 24, 2009 Appellate Advocacy in Child Welfare*</p>	<p>Webcast only, no on-site audience</p>	<p>Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322</p> <p><i>Identified cosponsors: GTF, DHS</i></p>	<p>Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals</p> <p>*(attendees will be screened – only judges, L-GALs, referees and attorneys allowed)</p>	
TITLE IV-E TRAININGS				
January 22	Holiday Inn-South, Lansing	<p>Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322</p> <p><i>Identified cosponsors: GTF, DHS</i></p>		<p>Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; court IV-E reps; L-GALs; court administrators; prosecutors/asst. attorneys general; administrative law judges; tribal court judges and court staff; tribal social services directors; DHS managers, funding supervisors, and specialists</p>
January 30	Comfort Inn Suites, Houghton Lake			
February 5	Bay de Noc Community College, Escanaba			
February 12	Eagle Crest Resort, Ypsilanti			
February 18	Bay Valley Resort, Bay City			
February 26	Borgess Lawrence Educational Center, Kalamazoo			
March 5	Palazzo Grande, Shelby Township			
March 23	Crowne Plaza Hotel, Grand Rapids			

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March 10, 2009	Concurrent Planning	Causeway Bay Hotel (formerly Holiday Inn-South), Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF, DHS</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
March 13, 2009	Adoption Forum II: Follow up Results to Share Best Practice	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533	BY INVITATION ONLY: county teams consisting of judges with primary oversight of court adoption process, court staff in charge of adoptions, L-GALs, parents' attorneys, DHS and private agency adoption supervisory staff, and tribal representatives
April 1-2, 2009	Dealing with Invisible Injuries: Neglect & Emotional Abuse Annual Conference	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533 <i>Identified cosponsors: DHS, GTF, OCO</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
SUMMER SERIES 2009 – TRAUMA				
April 28, 2009	Healing Relationships: Preventing the Transmission of Intergenerational Trauma	University of Michigan, Ann Arbor	Sponsor: Michigan Association for Infant Mental Health Contact: Nichole Paradis nparadis@mi-aimh.org <i>CWS is the primary sponsor for day 3 of their 3-day conference</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals

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April 29, 2009	Child Trauma Conference: Impact, Treatment, and Interventions for Abused and Neglected Children and Youth	Lansing Community College West Campus, Lansing	Sponsor: Michigan Federation for Children and Families Contact: Rose Homa 517-485-8552 <i>CWS is the primary sponsor for day 1 of their 2-day conference</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
May 4, 2009	Recent Developments in Child Welfare Law: The Year in Review (aka: "Implementing Michigan's New Permanency Legislation")	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: CIP</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
May 8, 2009	Children's Law Section (CLS) Annual Training	Splash Village, Frankenmuth	Sponsor: Children's Law Section Contact: Alicia Fabiano <i>Identified cosponsors: SCAO-CWS</i>	Judges, referees, attorneys; DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
May 11, 2009	Handling the Child Welfare Case	Crowne Plaza, Romulus	Sponsor: Children's Charter Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
May 21, 2009	Yellow Book Training	Fetzner Center, Kalamazoo	Sponsor: Children's Charter Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals

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June 3, 2009	SCAO-CWS & DHS Juvenile Guardianship Webcast	Hall of Justice, Lansing (90-person limit)	Sponsors: SCAO-CWS, DHS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
June 4, 2009	Judicial Child Welfare Symposium: Critical Topics in Protective Proceedings Cases	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: CIP, MJI</i>	Judges and referees involved in child welfare abuse and neglect cases (new and experienced)
August 12, 2009	New Child Welfare Judges Training	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	Child welfare judges on the bench less than a year
August 14, 2009	Yellow Book Training	Hyatt Regency, Dearborn	Sponsor: Children's Charter Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
August 31, 2009	IDEA-Special Education Issues	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF, MDE</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
September 16, 2009	Handling the Child Welfare Case	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: Children's Charter Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals

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October 5-6, 2009	Changing Perceptions and Practices: Addressing Disproportionate Minority Representation in Michigan's Child Welfare and Juvenile Justice Systems	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
October 22, 2009	Lawyers for Parents Symposium: Strengthening Legal Representation for Parents in Child Welfare Proceedings	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF</i>	BY INVITATION ONLY
October 30, 2009	Adoption Forum II: Follow Up Results to Share Best Practice	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	BY INVITATION ONLY: county teams consisting of judges with primary oversight of court adoption process, court staff in charge of adoptions, L-GALs, parents' attorneys, DHS and private agency adoption supervisory staff, and tribal representatives
November 5, 2009	Foster Care Review Board Annual Training: Age Appropriate Consultation/Youth Voice in Court Processes	Crowne Plaza, Grand Rapids	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS- Foster Care Review Board (FCRB) Contact: Kathy Falconello 313-972-3288 <i>Identified cosponsors: SCAO-CWS</i>	Judges, attorneys, foster care workers, and tribal child welfare professionals
December 8, 2009	Representing Parents: Targeted training based on September 2009 results of ABA Michigan study	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF</i>	Attorneys representing respondents in child protective proceedings

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2010 TRAININGS

THURSDAY LUNCHEON WEBCASTS – 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

<p>January 28, 2010 TBD</p> <p>February 18, 2010 Mandated Reporting with Joseph Kozakiewicz, <i>Director, MSU Chance at Childhood Program</i></p> <p>March 18, 2010 Concurrent Planning with Zoe Lyons, Kelly Walters, <i>DHS, Concurrent Planning Specialists</i></p> <p>May 20, 2010 TBD</p> <p>June 17, 2010 TBD</p> <p>July 15, 2010 TBD</p> <p>August 19, 2010 TBD</p> <p>September 16, 2010 TBD</p> <p>October 21, 2010 TBD</p>	<p>Webcast only, no on-site audience</p>	<p>Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322</p> <p><i>Identified cosponsors: GTF, DHS</i></p>	<p>Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals</p>
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April 7-8, 2010	Annual CWS Conference: Removal Prevention and Timely Reunification	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF, DHS</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
May 2010	Transition Plans for Youth Aging Out of the Foster Care System	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: CIP/GTF</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
June 3, 2010	Judicial Curriculum	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: CIP</i>	Judges and referees involved in child welfare abuse and neglect cases (new and experienced)
July 30, 2010	Baker Case Scenario	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: CIP</i>	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys
August 2010	Educational Issues in Child Welfare (2-day forum)	Kellogg Center, East Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD

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December 2010	Representing Parents Training (Advanced)	Hall of Justice, Lansing	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322 <i>Identified cosponsors: GTF</i>	Attorneys representing respondents in child protective proceedings
TBD 2010	Permanency Forum	TBD	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	BY INVITATION ONLY: county teams consisting of judges with primary oversight of court adoption process, court staff in charge of adoptions, L-GALs, parents' attorneys, DHS and private agency adoption supervisory staff, and tribal representatives
TBD 2010	ICWA Regional Trainings - I	(various locations)	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD
TBD 2010	ICWA Regional Trainings – II	(various locations)	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD
TBD 2010	ICWA Region III Training	(various locations)	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD
TBD 2010	ICWA Region IV Training	(various locations)	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD

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TBD 2010	ICWA Region V Training	(various locations)	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD
TBD 2010	Investigative Protocol	TBD	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD
TBD 2010	Yellow Book Training - I	TBD	Sponsor: Children's Charter Contact: Deborah Jensen 517-482-7533	Judges, referees, and other court staff; attorneys; adoption workers for CPS, DHS, and private foster care agencies; Michigan Indian tribes; CASAs; legislators and other policy makers; and related child welfare professionals
TBD 2010	L-GAL Training	TBD	Sponsor: SCAO-CWS Contact: Heather Leidi 517-373-5322	TBD

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