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CHILD PROTECTION AND CUSTODY

The Effects of Domestic Violence on Children

This packet is designed to provide up-to-date research and information on the effects of domestic violence on children, working with children to promote their resiliency, and developing a community response. This packet has been prepared by the staff of the Resource Center on Domestic Violence: Child Protection and Custody, operated by the Family Violence Department of the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges. The views expressed in the various articles reflect the opinions of the authors and are not necessarily the policy of the National Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, unless clearly indicated. If you would like further information, please contact us at P.O. Box 8970, Reno, Nevada, 89507; 1-800-527-3223.

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