

Oklahoma

- In 2024, the NCJFCJ fulfilled six requests for technical assistance in **Oklahoma**.
- In 2024, the NCJFCJ trained 11 judges, judicial officers, attorneys, and other juvenile and family court-related professionals working to protect **Oklahoma's** children, families, and victims in our communities.
- The NCJFCJ presented the Enhancing Responses to Domestic Violence Cases Technical Assistance and Training Program for the **Oklahoma** judiciary. Judicial officers learned how to evaluate the impact of domestic violence on adult victims/survivors and children who experience abuse/violence; discuss common tactics abusive partners employ to control intimate partners and families; and identify the protection and restoration requirements of domestic violence victims/survivors.
- As part of the Implementation Sites Project, the NCJFCJ provides targeted training and technical assistance, and site visits, to the **Oklahoma County Juvenile Court** to improve practice in the handling of child abuse and neglect cases, reduce the number of children in foster care, and improve outcomes for children in care.
- The NCJFCJ conducted a trauma consult on behalf of Zero to Three in **Tulsa and Wagoner County**.
- As part of the Model Tribal Court Project, the NCJFCJ provides targeted training and technical assistance, and site visits to the **Choctaw Nation** to improve practice in the handling of child abuse and neglect cases, reduce the number of children in foster care, and improve outcomes for children in care.
- The NCJFCJ team presented at the 2024 Violence Against Women Act Training by the **Choctaw Nation**.
- Judicial officers from **Oklahoma** participated in the NCJFCJ's Child Abuse and Neglect Institute (CANI). The CANI brought together an group of expert judicial faculty and other subject matter experts to engage participants through instruction, case scenarios, and active learning strategies. Some of the core topics of CANI include: the leadership role of the judge in child abuse and neglect cases; a review of federal laws and policies that drive the child abuse and neglect process; the Indian Child Welfare Act; reasonable efforts in judicial decision making; judicial ethics; and emerging issues in child welfare.
- Multidisciplinary campus professionals representing student conduct, law enforcement, and prevention participated in the Office on Violence Against Women's Campus Training and Technical Assistance Institute (TTI), an opportunity extended to each campus grantee five times over the course of three years. These in-person institutes combined with webinars and intensive, customized support from national experts are designed to help college and university campuses enhance their capacity to address domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking on campus.
- The NCJFCJ's Judicial Education Development Initiative on Domestic Violence (JEDI-DV) presented the Comings and Goings Domestic Violence Victim/Survivor Exercise at **Oklahoma's** annual judicial conference.
- The NCJFCJ's JEDI-DV presented judicial education in five cities, **Tulsa, McAlester, Oklahoma City, Enid, and Chickasha**, over a one-week period, on enhancing judicial responses in domestic violence cases.
- A judge from **Oklahoma** attended the NCJFCJ's National Judicial Institute on Domestic Violence (NJIDV) 25th Anniversary Enhancing Judicial Skills in Domestic Violence Cases (EJS) workshop.
- The NCJFCJ has 17 Judicial and Associate Members in **Oklahoma**.

National Impact

In 2024, the NCJFCJ's work impacted approximately **4 million** families across the nation. Our publications amassed over **94,000** views, the team fulfilled over **150** requests for technical assistance, and trained over **15,000** judges, judicial officers, attorneys, and other juvenile and family-court related professionals across the nation.

- **Court Leadership & Education**
Educate judges, court professionals, and community members about leadership skills and best practices to improve the justice system
- **Domestic Child Sex Trafficking**
Improving outcomes for vulnerable and victimized children through judicial education and action
- **National Judicial Institute on Domestic Violence**
Enhancing judicial skills to promote victim safety and batterer accountability
- **Juvenile Justice GPS**
Providing juvenile justice policy, practice, and statistics by state
- **Trauma-Informed Courts & the Adolescent Brain**
Promoting trauma-responsive courts and practices informed by science
- **Child Abuse & Neglect Institute**
Improving outcomes for abused and neglected children through dependency court best practices
- **Military-Connected Families**
Enhancing judicial skills to best serve military-connected families
- **Tribal Courts & ICWA**
Promoting collaboration between tribal and state courts
- **Juvenile Drug Treatment Courts**
Enhancing effectiveness in addressing youth substance abuse
- **Animal Cruelty**
Understanding the link between animal abuse and other forms of violence
- **Implementation Sites & Project ONE**
Approaching families holistically and improving outcomes for children in care
- **Self-Care & Wellness**
Promoting judicial self-care and wellness for centering oneself for leadership

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