



North Toronto Family Court Education Committee

In cooperation with the Family Lawyers' Association

PRESENTS A VIRTUAL PROGRAM by ZOOM!

NAVIGATING FAMILY VIOLENCE ISSUES

November 15th, 2023, from 4:30 p.m. to 6:00p.m.

Join our panel on ZOOM for a lively educational session that will challenge your legal knowledge about navigating family violence issues through family law and child protection court systems. The following issues will be explored:

- ❖ Recognizing how family violence intersects with criminal, child protection, and family law
- ❖ Deciding how to proceed whether for the (alleged) victim or (alleged) perpetrator.
- ❖ Understanding the role of Family Courts and court orders, including restraining orders, supervision orders, and no contact orders
- ❖ Identifying the evidence required for the various orders
- ❖ Knowing the role of CAS in family violence cases
- ❖ Understanding when family violence becomes a child protection issue
- ❖ Supporting victims and safety planning

Chair: The Honourable Justice Danielle Szandtner, Ontario Court of Justice, Toronto

Speakers: Haley Gaber-Katz, Senior Legal Counsel at Jewish Family and Child Service
Archana Medhekar, Senior Family Lawyer and Mediator
Greta Reiss, Manager of Family Services - Domestic Violence at Jewish Family and Child Service

Project Managers: Karen Ksienski, David Miller, and Stephanie Okola

REGISTER NOW- Through Eventbrite at the link below no later than November 13, 2023

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/navigating-family-violence-issues-tickets-749398610417?aff=oddtcreator>

Please register in advance through the Family Lawyers' Association at: familylawassociation@gmail.com. You will be sent a link and password to join the program. Please indicate your profession in your email (lawyer, social worker, city worker, law student, etc).

Please make sure to join the program at 4:00 p.m. Once admitted, you are free to attend to other tasks until the start of the program. If you attempt to join at 4:30 pm or thereafter, there may be a delay in admitting you.

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