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Children in the Courts Registrants, Presenters, Partners, and other Interested Parties:

Greetings from the Administrative Office of the Courts, Juvenile Division. Given the uncertainty surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic, and our commitment to safeguarding the health and well-being of our colleagues and partners, we have made the difficult decision to cancel the in-person 2020 Children in the Courts conference. We do not take this decision lightly, and we appreciate your understanding in this tumultuous time.

We recognize that many Attorneys rely on our annual conference to earn the majority of their CLE credits- and that Dependency-Neglect and Domestic Relations Attorneys *ad Litem* likewise rely on our programming to maintain qualification hours. To ensure adequate access to CLE and qualification hours, the AOC Juvenile Division and the Court Improvement Program will be offering online and/or video-conferencing sessions. Information regarding these educational opportunities will be forthcoming and will be disseminated by email, posted on the Arkansas Judiciary website, and provided to Program Directors.

Thank you so much for your interest in the Children in the Courts conference- and for your dedication to children and families in our state. If you have already registered and paid for conference attendance, please watch for refund notification from Angela Rogers Group- and feel free to reach out to Jera Houghtaling, Court Improvement Program Coordinator, by phone at (501) 410-1950 or by email at jera.houghtaling@arcourts.gov with any additional questions.

Regards:

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