

Agenda

Training

Date of Training: 06/25/2014
Place: Davidson County Juv. Ct.
Courtroom D

Training called by: Juvenile Court Group

Presenter: Hon. Carlton Lewis

Facilitators:

Stacy Miller, Asst. Dist. Attorney

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Time: 11:15 a.m. to 12:45 p.m.

June 25, 2014

Attendees: Attorneys who represent juveniles, court staff, and judge's staff

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Rule 8: Rules of Professional Conduct

Part I:

Overview of Rule 8:

- a. What does it cover?
- b. Scope of the Rule

Part II:

Chapter 1:

- a. The Client-Lawyer Relationship
- b. Dealing with Conflicts
- c. Dealing with a client with "diminished" capacity
- d. Declining or terminating representation

Part III:

Chapter 2:

- a. The lawyer as counselor, intermediary, and dispute resolution neutral
- b. Fairness to all parties and opposing counsel

Part IV:

Chapters 3 and 4:

- a. Meritorious Claims and contentions
- b. Expediting Litigation
- c. Candor towards the Tribunal
- d. Dealing with unrepresented parties

Part V:

Words of Wisdom:

**"Reality Lesson" – The Ross Alderman Rule; "Churning the File";
Discovery Nightmares! ; Integrity and Civility are not 4 letter words!
Questions??**

