

**DISPUTE RESOLUTION SECTION**  
**2010 Events Calendar**  
**As of November 9, 2010**

**Important Notes:**

- Multiple Events: If there is more than one event listed for a specific date, you will need to register for each event separately.
- Registration Deadlines: Registration begins two months before and ends two weeks before to the event.
- Cancellations: To inform of us your cancellation, please contact us prior to an event (preferably one week) that you have registered for. Failure to do so results in costs incurred by the Court for which you may be charged for.
- Certificates of Completion: Certificates of completion will be provided for participants who are present for a majority of the training. For training required by the Rules of Superintendence for the Courts of Ohio, Rule 16. Mediation, participants will receive a certificate of completion if they are present for all of the required training hours under the Rule. Training that is missed may be completed at a subsequent training in consultation with the Manager of the Dispute Resolution Section.
- NEW! Virtual Professional Development Events: We are using a system called Elluminate that is offered via the internet and is accessible from any computer with Internet access. Follow the attached [instructions](#) to set up your computer and to learn how to use it.

Note: You are required to meet the training requirements for each local court in which you provide dispute resolution services. Contact the local court for details.

Questions? Please complete the Dispute Resolution Section Online Request & Feedback Form at <http://www.supremecourt.ohio.gov/JCS/disputeResolution>.

Thank you. We look forward to working with you.

Dispute Resolution Section Staff

**January**

**January 7-8**

**Training:** Domestic Abuse Issues: Training for Mediators and Other Professionals  
**Location:** Lucas County Court of Common Pleas, Juvenile Division  
1801 Spielbusch Ave., Toledo, Ohio 43624.  
**County:** Lucas  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. on the day of the training  
**Time:** 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with local court dispute resolution services including but not

limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

## February

### February 1

Virtual Professional Development Event

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

<https://sas.illuminate.com/m.jnlp?sid=2008156&password=M.B591D14C2D8BEBE4E64C0B90097A0D>

**Registration:** None required.

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EST

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

### February 24

**Meeting:** Supreme Court of Ohio Dispute Resolution Advisory Committee

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**Audience:** Supreme Court of Ohio Dispute Resolution Section Advisory Committee Members.

## March

### March 8

Virtual Professional Development Event

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

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**Registration:** None required

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EST

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

## April

### ~~April 5 - CANCELLED~~

Virtual Professional Development Event

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

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**Registration:** None required

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EDT

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing

foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

#### April 23

**Meeting:** Supreme Court of Ohio Dispute Resolution Advisory Committee  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Supreme Court of Ohio Dispute Resolution Section Advisory Committee Members.

#### April 28

**Training:** Foreclosure Mediation Training  
**Pre-requisite for mediators only:** Basic Mediation Training (minimum 12 hours)  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the training  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with courts in assisting homeowners facing foreclosure, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, and court personnel.

### May

#### May 3

**Virtual Professional Development Event**  
**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation  
**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))  
**Guest Link:**  
<https://sas.illuminate.com/m.jnlp?sid=2008156&password=M.B591D14C2D8BEBE4E64C0B90097A0D>  
**Registration:** None required.  
**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EDT  
**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

#### May 13-14

**Training:** Domestic Abuse Issues: Training for Mediators and Other Professionals  
Co-sponsored with the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association and the Center for Principled Family Advocacy  
**Location:** Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association  
1301 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Second Level, Cleveland, Ohio 44114  
**County:** Cuyahoga  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. each day of the training

**Time:** 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with local court dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

**May 20**

**Training:** The Uniform Mediation Act (UMA): The Role of Professionals in Mediation  
**Location:** Hamilton County Domestic Relations Court  
800 Broadway, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202  
**County:** Hamilton  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 8:00 a.m.  
**Time:** 8:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with local court mediation services and those interested to learn more about the law that governs mediation in Ohio including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, parenting coordinators and court personnel.

**May 20-21**

**Training:** Basic Mediation Training for Court Personnel  
**Location:** Hamilton County Domestic Relations Court  
800 Broadway, 16<sup>th</sup> Floor, Cincinnati, Ohio 45202  
**County:** Hamilton  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins: May 20 at 10:30 a.m.  
May 21 at 8:00 a.m.  
**Time:** May 20 10:45 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
May 21 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with any local court in the State of Ohio interested in an entry level course on basic mediation skills.

**May 26-27**

**Training:** Parenting Coordination: Working with High Conflict Families  
Co-sponsored with the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association and the Center for Principled Family Advocacy  
**Location:** Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association  
1301 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Second Level, Cleveland, Ohio 44114  
**County:** Cuyahoga  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. each day of the training.  
**Time:** 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.  
**Description:** A two-day training for parenting coordinators, mediators, custody evaluators, lawyers, judges, therapists, parent educators and other professionals who work with high-conflict families. This training will describe the interventions helpful in reducing parental conflict, focusing on understanding the psychological dynamics of the parents and the impact of the conflict on the children. The parenting coordination process, structure and roles will be described, emphasizing the practical aspects of serving as a parenting coordinator. The use of parenting coordination in cases with allegations of domestic violence, alienation and child abuse will be discussed as well as the types of cases that are not appropriate for parenting coordination. This training will also discuss the ethical issues inherent in this role and present an overview of standards of practice.

**Audience:** Professionals working with any court-connected dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, parenting coordinators and court personnel.

## June

### June 7

**Virtual Professional Development Event**

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

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**Registration:** None required

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EDT

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

### June 8

**Training:** Financial Issues in Domestic Relations Mediation

Co-sponsored with the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association and the Center for Principled Family Advocacy

**Location:** Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association

1301 East 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Second Level, Cleveland, Ohio 44114

**County:** Cuyahoga

**Registration:** Closed

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. on the day of the training

**Time:** 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

**Audience:** Professionals working with domestic relations mediation services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, parenting coordinators and court personnel.

### June 11

**Roundtable:** Dispute Resolution: Courts of Appeals

**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio

**County:** Franklin

**Registration:** Closed

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the roundtable

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**Audience:** Professionals working with Appellate Court dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

**NOTE:** *If a minimum of ten people have not registered two weeks prior to this roundtable, it will be cancelled and registrants will be notified via email.*



**June 23** **CANCELLED** (*less than ten registrants*)  
Roundtable: Dispute Resolution: Common Pleas Court, Domestic Relations Division  
Location: Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
County: Franklin  
Registration: Closed  
Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the roundtable  
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.  
Audience: Professionals working with Domestic Relations Division dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.  
*NOTE: If a minimum of ten people have not registered two weeks prior to this roundtable, it will be cancelled and registrants will be notified via email.*

**June 24-25** **RESCHEDULED for July 29-30, 2010**  
Training: Domestic Abuse Issues: Training for Mediators and Other Professionals  
Location: Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, DR and Juvenile Divisions  
373 S. High Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215 (Meeting Room B)  
County: Franklin  
Registration: Closed  
Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. each day of the training  
Time: 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Audience: Professionals working with local court dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

**June 29** **CANCELLED** (*less than ten registrants*)  
Roundtable: Dispute Resolution: Common Pleas Court, General and Probate Divisions  
Location: Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
County: Franklin  
Registration: Closed  
Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the roundtable  
Time: 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Audience: Professionals working with General and Probate Division dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.  
*NOTE: If a minimum of ten people have not registered two weeks prior to this roundtable, it will be cancelled and registrants will be notified via email.*

### July

**July 29-30**  
Training: Domestic Abuse Issues: Training for Mediators and Other Professionals  
Location: Franklin County Court of Common Pleas, DR and Juvenile Divisions  
373 S. High Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215 (Meeting Room B)  
County: Franklin  
Registration: Closed  
Registration begins at 8:00 a.m. each day of the training  
Time: 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Audience: Professionals working with local court dispute resolution services, including but

not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

~~July 30~~

**CANCELLED** (*less than ten registrants*)

**Roundtable:** Dispute Resolution: Common Pleas Court, Juvenile Division

**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio

**County:** Franklin

**Registration:** Closed

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the roundtable

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**Audience:** Professionals working with Juvenile Division dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

**NOTE:** *If a minimum of ten people have not registered two weeks prior to this roundtable, it will be cancelled and registrants will be notified via email.*

## August

August 2

Virtual Professional Development Event

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

<https://sas.illuminate.com/m.jnlp?sid=2008156&password=M.3FDCFA3DA008AD422FFAB506234D6E>

**Registration:** None required

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EDT

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

August 5-6

**Training:** Parenting Coordination: Working with High Conflict Families

**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio

**County:** Franklin

**Registration:** Closed

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. each day of the training

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

**Description:** A two-day training for parenting coordinators, mediators, custody evaluators, lawyers, judges, therapists, parent educators and other professionals who work with high-conflict families. This training will describe the interventions helpful in reducing parental conflict, focusing on understanding the psychological dynamics of the parents and the impact of the conflict on the children. The parenting coordination process, structure and roles will be described, emphasizing the practical aspects of serving as a parenting coordinator. The use of parenting coordination in cases with allegations of domestic violence, alienation and child abuse will be discussed as well as the types of cases that are not appropriate for parenting coordination. This training will also discuss the ethical issues inherent in this role and present an overview of standards of practice.

**Audience:** Professionals working with any court-connected dispute resolution services,

**including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, parenting coordinators and court personnel.**

**August 13**

**CANCELLED** (*less than ten registrants*)

**Roundtable:** Dispute Resolution: Municipal and County Courts  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the roundtable  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with Municipal Court and County Court dispute resolution services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

**NOTE:** *If a minimum of ten people have not registered two weeks prior to this roundtable, it will be cancelled and registrants will be notified via email.*

**August 20**

**Training:** Foreclosure Mediation Training  
**Pre-requisite for mediators only:** Basic Mediation Training (minimum 12 hours)  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the training  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with courts in assisting homeowners facing foreclosure, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, and court personnel.

**August 25**

**Presentation:** An Overview of Foreclosure Mediation in Ohio  
**Location:** Circleville, Ohio  
**County:** Pickaway  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 11:30 a.m. on the day of the event  
**Time:** 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Members of the Pickaway County Bar Association

**August 26-27**

**Training:** Basic Mediation Training for Court Personnel  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. each day of the training  
**Time:** August 26 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
August 27 9 a.m. – 3:15 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with any local court in the State of Ohio interested in an entry level course on basic mediation skills.

## August 27

**Training:** The Uniform Mediation Act (UMA): The Role of Professionals in Mediation  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 3:15 p.m. on the day of the training  
**Time:** 3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with local court mediation services and those interested to learn more about the law that governs mediation in Ohio including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, parenting coordinators and court personnel.

## September

*NOTE: There are currently no events scheduled for September 2010.*

## October

### October 4

#### Virtual Professional Development Event

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation  
**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))  
**Guest Link:**  
<https://sas.illuminate.com/m.jnlp?sid=2008156&password=M.3FDCFA3DA008AD422FFAB506234D6E>  
**Registration:** None Required  
**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EDT  
**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

### October 8

**Meeting:** Supreme Court of Ohio Dispute Resolution Advisory Committee  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Time:** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
**Audience:** Supreme Court of Ohio Dispute Resolution Section Advisory Committee Members.

### October 28-29

**Training:** Domestic Abuse Issues: Training for Mediators and Other Professionals  
**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio  
**County:** Franklin  
**Registration:** Closed  
Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. each day of the training  
**Time:** 9 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
**Audience:** Professionals working with local court dispute resolution services, including but

not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators and court personnel.

## November

### November 1

#### Virtual Professional Development Event

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

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**Registration:** None Required

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EDT

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.

### November 9

**Training:** Financial Issues in Domestic Relations Mediation

**Location:** Ohio Judicial Center/Supreme Court of Ohio

**County:** Franklin

**Registration:** Closed

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. on the day of the training

**Time:** 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**Audience:** Professionals working with domestic relations mediation services, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, parenting coordinators and court personnel.

### ~~November 22~~

**CANCELLED (*less than ten registrants*)**

**Training:** Foreclosure Mediation Training

**Pre-requisite for mediators only:** Basic Mediation Training (minimum 12 hours)

**Location:** Dayton Bar Association Seminar Room  
109 North Main Street, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Dayton, Ohio 45402

**County:** Montgomery

**Registration:** Closed

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. on the day of the training

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Audience:** Professionals working with courts in assisting homeowners facing foreclosure, including but not limited to judges, magistrates, attorneys, mediators, and court personnel.

## December

**December 6**

**Virtual Professional Development Event**

**Topic:** Foreclosure Mediation

**Location:** Elluminate Offered Via The Internet ([Instructions](#))

**Guest Link:**

<https://sas.illuminate.com/m.jnlp?sid=2008156&password=M.3FDCFA3DA008AD422FFAB506234D6E>

**Registration:** None Required

**Time:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., EST

**Audience:** Professionals providing services such as mediation to homeowners facing foreclosure including mediators, court personnel, attorneys, judges, magistrates, housing counselors, and other professionals.