Access & Visitation (A&V) Grant Recipients (Services rendered October 1, 2022 - September 30, 2023)

Access and Visitation grants aid self-represented litigants in accessing the Tennessee court system regarding child support issues. Initiatives address the needs of divorced or never married parents and focus on services to help them resolve any or all issues concerning parenting and visitation in child support cases or cases involving child support issues. These initiatives may include efforts such as self-help centers, clinics for self- represented litigants, unbundled legal services, and mediation programs.

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WEST TENNESSEE PROGRAMS

Community Legal Center

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This program staffs a legal clinic to provide information and practical instruction in the development of parenting plans and other documents necessary to obtain a court-ordered parenting plan for low income or indigent selfrepresented litigants in divorce cases in Shelby County.

Mid-South Community Justice and Mediation Center, Inc. (CJAM)

Benita Hale-Miller 262 German Oak Drive Memphis, TN 38018 info@ciammediation.org

Phone: (901) 431-5660

This program provides mediation services who cannot other afford mediation as a means to resolve legal and personal conflicts. This program runs a program two days a week staffing a mediator in the Shelby County General Sessions courthouse to conduct pro bono mediations for self-represented litigants.

Madison County Juvenile Court

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Phone: (731) 423-6073

This program provides supervised visitation

MIDDLE TENNESSEE PROGRAMS

23rd District Judicial Advocates, Inc.

Kevin Batts 110 North Main Street Ashland City, TN 37015 KB0713@comcast.net

Phone: (615) 306-6229

This program provides mediation through Rule 31 Listed Mediators and legal assistance through local attorneys in Cheatham, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, and Stewart Counties for low income and indigent Drug Court participants seeking to resolve issues concerning parenting and visitation in matters involving child support.

Kymari House, Inc.

Kim Anderson 308 N. Spring Street Murfreesboro, TN 37130 director@kymarihouse.org Phone: (615) 956-6106

This program provides quality and structured supervised visitation services to families in Middle Tennessee. The services are provided in a four-part intake process, which includes a phone intake, non-custodial parent intake, custodial parent intake and child orientation. Once the intake process is completed, parents and kids are added to a bi-weekly schedule of visitation and will get consistent parenting time with their child until unsupervised parenting time is granted.

Nashville Conflict Resolution Center

Sara Figal 810 Dominican Dr., Ste. 311 Nashville, TN 37288 sara@nashvilleconflict.org

Phone: (615) 333-8400

This program provides mediation services for individuals in Davidson, Rutherford, Sumner, and Williamson Counties seeking to resolve parenting, visitation, and child support issues in order to help parties develop parenting agreements cooperatively and avoid prolonged litigation; de-escalate conflict over parenting time, child support, and other related issues; establish healthy boundaries and promote safety; and develop cooperative skills focused on the best interest of the child(ren).

Prevention Coalition for Success

Sarah Murfree 415 N. Maple Street Murfreesboro, TN 37130 smurfree@pc4s.org

Phone: 615-225-9475

This program to provides supervised visitation and parenting education services at the same time for families with never-married parents participating in Rutherford County Safe Baby Court.. Parents will be provided real-time feedback and support in their family time with the children, all the while maintaining safety.

The Eden Center for Families, Inc.

Margaret Brady 103 Cumberland Avenue Ashland City, TN 37015 Margaretbrady0316@gmail.com

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This program provides supervised visitation services, parenting education classes, and parenting plan development for families by receiving referrals from the Cheatham County Juvenile Court and through community partners.

Williamson County Juvenile Court

Chris Holz 408 Century Court Franklin, TN 37064 Chris.Holz@williamsoncounty-tn.gov Phone: (615) 790-5812

This program provides mediation services and a legal clinic for low income or indigent self-represented never married parents with child access and visitation issues in Williamson County Juvenile Court.

EAST TENNESSEE PROGRAMS

First Judicial District Court Clinic

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This program employs an Access and Visitation Coordinator to provide mediation, information, and practical instruction in the development of and filing of parenting plans for low income and indigent self-represented never married parents with child access and visitation Issues in Juvenile Court in Carter, Johnson, Unicoi, and Washington Counties.

Community Mediation Center

Jacqueline O. Kittrell 300 Main Street, Suite 305 Knoxville, TN 37902 jackie.kittrell@2mediate.org

Phone: (865) 594-1879

This program provides mediation on a wide variety of referral types. Volunteer mediators facilitate the parents in developing their own parenting plan using a facilitative mediation model, and staff provides careful intake, screening, case coordination, and follow-up work for never-married parenting cases.

Community Mediation Services

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Phone: (865) 463-6888

This program provides mediations for low income or indigent self-represented never married parents with child access and visitation issues in Anderson County Juvenile Court.

Legal Aid of East Tennessee

Debra L. House 100 W. Martin Luther King Blvd, Suite 402 Chattanooga, TN 37402 dhouse@Laet.org Phone: (423) 756-4013

This program provides information and practical instruction in the development of and filing of parenting plans and other documents through guided divorce legal clinics for self-represented individuals seeking agreed divorces with minor children to resolve issues concerning parenting, visitation, and child support issues pursuant to a limited representation agreement in twenty-six eastern counties of Tennessee, primarily Bradley, McMinn,

Monroe, and Polk Counties.

Solomon Family Solutions

Andrea Chase, 391 Broad Street NW Cleveland, TN 37311 andrea@solomonfamilysolutions.com

Phone: (423) 271-6201

This program provides bilingual mediation services in English and Spanish using Rule 31 Listed Mediators for low-income and self-represented individuals seeking to resolve issues concerning parenting and visitation in cases involving child support issues in Bradley, Polk, McMinn, Monroe, Loudon, Roane, Meigs, Blount, Knox, and Hamilton Counties.