

Agenda

Immigration Issues for Children in Juvenile Court

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15 Minutes Overview

1 Hour Where Nebraska Fits in the Immigration Picture & an Explanation of Immigration Structure and Terms

30 Minutes Immigration Relief for Youth: Special Immigrant Juvenile Status

1.5 Hours Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (cont'd)

45 Minutes Immigration Relief for Youth: Family-Based Immigration, VAWA, U Visas, T Visas and Asylum

45 Minutes Immigration Consequences of Juvenile Delinquency Dispositions

30 Minutes Immigration Detainers and Removal Procedures

30 Minutes New Immigration Legislation & Immigration Resources