

**U.S. District Court for the  
Western District of Tennessee**

**and**

**Memphis/Mid-South  
Federal Bar Association**

In collaboration with  
the Shelby County District Attorney's Office, the Shelby County Crime  
Victims & Rape Crisis Center, Memphis Area Legal Services, and West  
Tennessee Legal Services

INVITE YOU TO JOIN THEM FOR A FREE WEBINAR\*  
BRINGING ATTENTION TO

# **TEEN DATING VIOLENCE**

Thursday, February 18, 2021

8:45 AM – 1:00 PM

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To register please complete the attached registration form and return to Kelly Sherfey at  
[Kelly\\_Sherfey@tnwd.uscourts.gov](mailto:Kelly_Sherfey@tnwd.uscourts.gov) by February 17, 2021.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
&  
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MEMPHIS/MID-SOUTH CHAPTER



**PRO BONO WORK TO EMPOWER & REPRESENT ACT:  
BRINGING AWARENESS TO TEEN DATING VIOLENCE**

VIRTUAL SEMINAR

**Thursday, February 18, 2021**

8:45 – 9:00 a.m.

**Welcome & Opening Remarks**

**The Honorable S. Thomas Anderson**

*Chief Judge, U.S. District Court, Western District of Tennessee*

**Shea Oliver**

*President, Federal Bar Association*

9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

**What is Teen Dating Violence?**

**Sandy Bromley**

*Executive Director, Shelby County Crime Victims & Rape Crisis Center*

Ms. Bromley will provide an overview of teen dating violence, including what it is, the new forms it has taken in the age of social media, its prevalence in our community, how it can be prevented, and available resources in our community.

10:00 – 11:00 a.m.

**Teen Dating Violence: Civil Remedies**

**Shannon McKenna Mason**

*Staff Attorney, Memphis Area Legal Services, Inc.*

Memphis Area Legal Services (“MALS”) is one of the few legal aid clinics in West Tennessee that provides legal assistance to low-income victims of domestic abuse, including teen dating violence. Ms. Mason will discuss civil remedies available to victims of domestic abuse and what you can expect when you go to court.

11:00 – 12:00 p.m.

### **Prosecuting Domestic Violence**

**Greg Gilbert**

*Chief Prosecutor, Shelby County District Attorney's Office, Domestic Violence Unit*

The Shelby County District Attorney's Domestic Violence Unit specializes in the prosecution of domestic violence cases. As Chief Prosecutor of this Unit, Mr. Gilbert will offer an insider's perspective on the problem of domestic violence in Shelby County, the unique challenges of prosecuting domestic violence cases, and the differing objectives in the prosecution of adult versus juvenile offenders.

12:00 – 1:00 p.m.

### **Pro Bono Opportunities in the Western District**

**Andy Cole**

*Pro Bono Coordinator, West Tennessee Legal Services, Inc.*

Mr. Cole will discuss pro bono opportunities in the Western District of Tennessee and the expanded services available at West Tennessee Legal Services for victims of violent crime, domestic assault, sexual assault, stalking, and various post-separation matters through their Victims of Crime Act grant. Mr. Cole's presentation will discuss Rule 6.1 of the Tennessee Rules of Professional Conduct and other ethical issues that arise in providing pro bono legal services.

This program has been approved for 4.0 hours of Dual CLE credit in Tennessee.

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