

The Missouri Office of Prosecution Services will be hosting a FREE webinar on

Tuesday, November 22, 2016 10 AM to 12 PM

Why the Heck Do They Do That? The Ins & Outs of Child Abuse & Neglect Investigations

Have you ever wondered why the Children's Division does what it does in your cases? In this 2 hour session, Ellen Haynes & Kara Wilcox-Bauer from Missouri's Children's Division will discuss the ins and outs of child protective services investigations, the legal requirements of Children's Division and their related policies and procedures.

The webinar will qualify for 2.4 CLE hours and 2.0 hours CA/N statute 210 credit for Children's Division. 2.0 hours POST certification is pending.

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