

# Violence Against Women Act, Tribal Law & Order Act and Indian Child Welfare Act

## Training to Enhance Tribal Judicial Practices



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Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana



Cypress Bayou Casino Hotel Pavilion  
Charenton, Louisiana

### General Course Information

This course will present an overview of Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) for offenses committed by non-Tribal individuals on Tribal lands. Tribal Court jurisdiction to issue and enforce protective orders against non-Indians for exclusion from Indian land and state registry of protective orders. Tribal Law and Order Act (TLOA) and enhanced sentencing penalties provisions associated with same and Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA). Review of tribal, federal and state statutes, codes, ordinances and sentencing authorities.

### Why should I take this course?

This course covers training for enhancement of Tribal judicial practices and provide essential elements of implementing the Violence Against Women Act for jurisdiction of non-Tribal individuals, Tribal Law and Order Act and Indian Child Welfare Act cases.

### Who should attend?

Tribal and State Court Judges, Court Administrators or Court Clerks, Prosecutors, Public Defenders, Chief of Police and Police Officers, and State Officials.

### Course Cancellation Policy

The Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana reserves the right to cancel or reschedule this course. In the event that this course must be cancelled or rescheduled, the Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana will provide at least a 30 day notice. The Chitimacha Tribe of Louisiana is not responsible for any travel or lodging costs incurred in the event of this course cancellation.

### Group Rates

Discounted group hotel rates will be available for attendees only. Please contact (337) 923-7806 for information regarding registration for training and (337) 923-7284 for hotel reservations.

### Continuing Legal or Judicial Education (CLE/CJE) Credits

CLE/CJE credits are provided to participants via a uniform certificate of attendance form upon completion of this course. Individuals are responsible for filing this form with their states continuing legal or judicial education board/bar/commission.