

The Judicial Engagement Network (JEN) is a national community of engaged judicial officers leading efforts to improve community responses and practices in courts hearing domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases. We are here to offer technical assistance, tools, and training.

## **PURPOSE STATEMENT**

The Judicial Engagement Network (JEN) will identify, connect, and bring together all judges on a regular basis to promote cutting edge best practices, increase access to justice, provide resources for continuing judicial education, and encourage collaboration among all judges in order to improve responses to **domestic violence**, **teen dating violence**, **sexual assault**, and **stalking**.

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## WHERE IT ALL BEGAN...

The Judicial Engagement Network (JEN) was founded on the premise that courts hold a unique position in protecting social values, which places judges and judicial officers in an important position to lead social justice. As such, in 2016, JEN—a network for judges, by judges—was launched to facilitate and encourage judicial excellence in domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking cases. Through JEN, judges are brought together to promote cutting edge judicial practices in these cases, to create and hone their leadership skills, and to share and pass knowledge and expertise to the next generation of judges.

## For more information or to join JEN, please visit www.JudicialEngagementNetwork.org.



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