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## **Family Violence Justice Fund grant applications available from Colorado Judicial Branch \$495,000 in grants awarded last year**

DENVER – Applications for Fiscal Year 2009 grants from the Family Violence Justice Fund are now available on the Colorado Judicial Branch's Web site at

<http://www.courts.state.co.us/panda/FamilyViolenceJusticeGrantAppFY09.pdf>.

The grants program, established in 1999 to help victims of family violence obtain legal services, are designed to fund programs that provide legal services to indigent Coloradans at no cost. The Judicial Branch awarded \$495,000 in grants from the fund in fiscal year 2008.

Grants will be awarded based on a formula which considers historic participation in the program and other factors.

To be considered for a grant, applications must be received by the State Court Administrator's Office by 5 p.m. Friday, May 16, 2008. To be eligible, organizations must be not-for-profit and must be currently serving the legal needs of indigent victims of family violence.

Successful organizations must be prepared to provide full legal services, including but not limited to assistance with divorce, child custody, child support and other related civil matters.

Additional information regarding the fund and organizations that qualify can be found in section 14-4-107 of the Colorado Revised Statutes.

Applications must be submitted no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, May 16, 2008, to:

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Questions may be directed to Zender via e-mail [jessica.zender@judicial.state.co.us](mailto:jessica.zender@judicial.state.co.us) or by calling 303-861-1111.

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