



LEADERSHIP COMPETENCY: COURT GOVERNANCE

Overview

The Core Competencies published by the National Association for Court Management (the NACM CORE®) equip court leaders with knowledge, skills, and abilities (KSAs) to support excellence in the administration of justice.

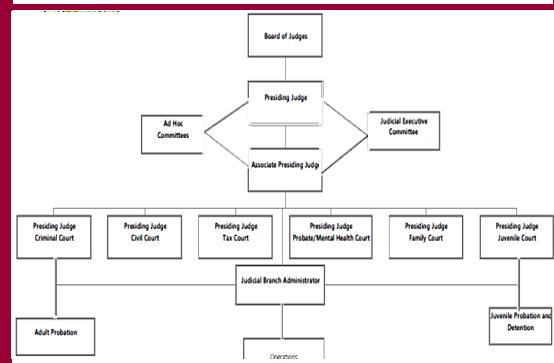
Court governance is the framework in which courts function and conduct day-to-day operations. Court governance leads to consistency, accountability, and transparency, resulting in stable decision making. Court leaders succeed when they understand and promote governance principles and practices.

Topic Areas and Objectives

- History and principles of court governance
- Judicial independence and responsibility
- Organizational structures in courts
- Governance practices and high performing courts
- Change management approaches



Court Organization Example



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Key KSA's

- Assessing organizational ability to create and improve governance structures
- Identifying optimal operating procedures and processes
- Considering processes to evaluate the effectiveness of court governance
- Utilizing a governing board structure for overall organizational governance

Resources

- Organizational readiness exercise
- Court governance principles
- Governance structures and models

Curriculum Content

- Revised February 2016
- 46 pages
- 5 learning objectives and 5 activities
- References and bibliography

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