

# Texas OAG-CSD

**IV-D Mission**

**Survivor Safety**

# Evolution of the Collaboration

Ad Hoc  
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Domestic  
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Family Violence  
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## Get Smart

Know the child support process

## Get Safe

Protect yourself and your children

## Get Support

Receive financial and medical support for your children



### When You Open a Child Support Case:

The court will establish an order for financial and medical support, as well as custody and visitation.

You will have to appear in court with the other parent or participate in a negotiation meeting at a child support office.

Your physical address will be printed on child support documents and could be accessed by the other parent.

### There Are Steps You Can Take To Protect Yourself And Your Children.

Tell child support staff about your safety concerns.

Ask child support staff about safety measures that can be in place for your court date.

Ask about family violence protections and keeping your address confidential.

If you have immediate safety concerns or questions contact the

#### **National Domestic Violence Hotline**

Providing crisis intervention, safety planning, information and referrals nationwide, 24 hours a day.

1.800.799.SAFE | 1.800.787.3224 (TTY)

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**Get Smart, Get Safe, Get Support**

# Get Child Support Safely

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## Get Child Support Safely Advocate Toolkit



## Welcome to the Get Child Support Safely Advocate Toolkit

The Get Child Support Safely Advocate Toolkit was developed through a collaboration between the [Texas Council on Family Violence](#) and the [Office of the Attorney General \(OAG\) - Child Support Division](#).

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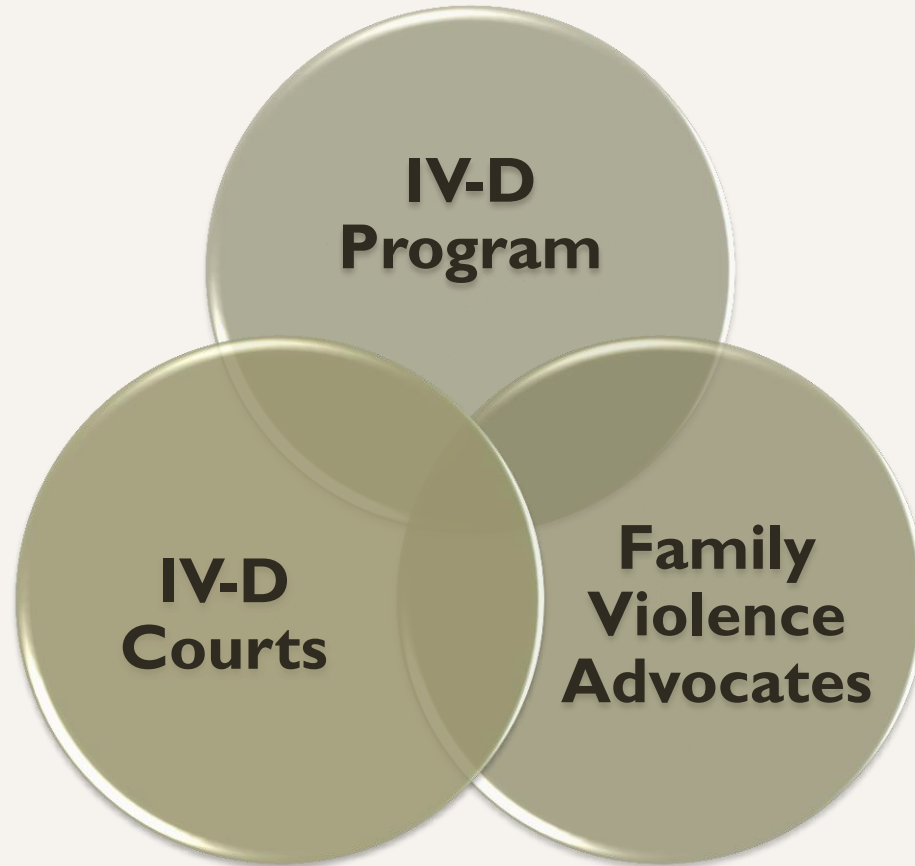
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