

SURVEY: YOUR EXPERIENCE WITH THE COURT

We are seeking your participation in this survey to help us learn how well the court—including judges and staff—responded to your needs in this court case. Please answer each of the items as best you can. **THANK YOU!**

background and experiences. For example, enter the gender and ethnicity of the person you are representing rather than your own.

Note: If you are completing this survey on behalf of an older victim, witness or defendant, please mark responses that reflect this person's

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1 = Strongly Disagree2 = Disagree

3 = Neither Agree nor Disagree

4 = Agree

5 = Strongly Agree
3 = Not Applicable

SECTION B: ACCESS TO THE COURT

(Circle the number that best fits your response.)

B1.	Finding the courthouse was easy.	1	2	3	4	5	53
B2	I was able to enter the courthouse with little difficulty.	1	2	3	4	5	53
B3.	I easily found the courtroom I needed.	1	2	3	4	5	53
B4.	I had a safe and comfortable place to wait for my turn in court.	1	2	3	4	5	[]
B5.	Court staff made efforts to help me with mobility issues.	1	2	3	4	5	
B6.	Court staff helped me with medical issues so that I could be comfortable.	1	2	3	4	5	0
B7.	The court made efforts to hold hearings at times that best suited me.	1	2	3	4	5	[]
B8.	I could hear what was going on in the court.	1	2	3	4	5	[]
B9.	I understood what was happening in the court.	1	2	3	4	5	13
B10.	The amount of time I spent in court was reasonable.	1	2	3	4	5	53
B11.	I was treated with courtesy and respect.	1	2	3	4	5	

SECTION C: FAIRNESS

(Circle the number that best fits your response.)

C1.	The way my case was handled was fair.	1	2	3	4	5	::
C2.	The judge listened to my side of the story before he or she made a decision.	1	2	3	4	5	[]
C3.	The judge had the information necessary to make good decisions about my case.	1	2	3	4	5	[]
C4.	The judge treated everyone involved in the case fairly.	1	2	3	4	5	53
C5.	As I leave the court, I know what to do next about my case.	1	2	3	4	5	[]

Please provide any additional thoughts on your experiences.

