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Topics to be Researched

- Adoption
- Child Abuse
- Disputed paternity
- Education
- Grandparent's rights
- Guardianship
- PINS (Person's In Need of Supervision)

Materials Available in the Library

- Cases: Official, Unofficial
- Digests: Find cases find through Digest (e.g. Child Custody). Descriptive word index under child abuse and various topics assigned to issues.
- Encyclopedias
- Treatises
- Attorney Practice Books
- Looseleafs
- Codes
- Law Reviews
- Practising Law Institute Series
- Shepard's

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- Uncontested Divorce Packet <http://www.nycourts.gov/divorce/index.shtml>
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- *Elder law and Guardianship in New York*. KFN 5111 .A33 K37 2005
- Family Law Quarterly Law Reviews
- *Legal Rights of Children*. Rev. 2nd Ed. KF 479 .K73 2005
- *General Practice in New York* "Adoptions"
- *General Practice in New York* "Domestic Relations"



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"Handling a matrimonial case presents counsel with numerous challenges.

First, counsel must understand the legal requirements and implications of the Domestic Relations Law ("DRL"), the Family Court Act and the Civil Practice Laws and Rules ("CPLR").

Next counsel must be familiar with contract, real estate and relevant tax law."

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- *Law and the Family New York 2nd Ed.* KF 5115 .f67 1986
- *McKinney's Consolidated Laws of New York*. Judiciary. Family Court Act.
- *Mental & Physical Disability Law Reporter*. Law Reviews.
- *New York Elder Law*. Ref KFN 5604 .N39 2001
- *New York Jurisprudence 2d*. "Domestic Relations"
- *New York Matrimonial Law and Practice*. KFN 5126 .T57 2004
- *New York Matrimonial Case Cimator*. Ref. KFN 5126 .A53 N49 1999
- *West's McKinney's Forms Matrimonial and Family Law MFL*

**If You Can't Find What You're Looking for After 10 Minutes of Research
Ask the Librarian!**