

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LANCASTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA  
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

IN RE: JUVENILE DEPENDENCY  
CHILD VISITATION

A.D. No. 37

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LANCASTER COUNTY, PA

**ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER**

**AND NOW**, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020, consistent with the Order of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania dated May 27, 2020, addressing the Cessation of Statewide Judicial Emergency After June 1, 2020, and this court's Administrative Order dated and filed on June 19, 2020, to No. A.D. 36-2020, in the Clerk of Courts Office, which, *inter alia*, extends the Judicial Emergency declared in the Second Judicial District due to the COVID-19 pandemic through August 31, 2020, or until further order of this court,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:**

1. This court's Administrative Order In Re: Juvenile Dependency Child Visitation dated and filed March 17, 2020, to No. A.D. 20-02838, in the Office of the Prothonotary, is vacated.
2. Beginning June 29, 2020, in-person visitation between parents (which term shall include persons other than parents who are entitled to visitation) and children in the physical custody of the Lancaster County Children and Youth Social Services Agency (the "Agency") shall resume in compliance with the orders of court in effect in individual cases; provided, however, that the Agency is authorized to set and enforce protocols for

health and safety according to the recommendations of the United States Center for Disease Control and Prevention and the Pennsylvania Department of Health for use of precautions to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus in respect to all such in-person visitation and provided further that, if full implementation of in-person visitation in compliance with the orders in effect in individual cases is impracticable because of the Agency's logistical limitations and/or health/safety concerns, the Agency shall arrange parent / child visitation through Advanced Communication Technology in lieu of in-person visitation so long as in every case a minimum one hour in-person parent / child visit is arranged on a bi-weekly basis (unless the order controlling visitation in an individual case restricts in-person parent / child visitation).

**BY THE COURT:**



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Leonard G. Brown, III, Judge,  
for David L. Ashworth, President Judge

Attest: *Rhonda F. Allen*  
Copies to: *Ch Rep*

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Lancaster County Court Administration  
Lancaster County Board of Commissioners  
Lancaster County Solicitor  
Lancaster County Children & Youth Social Service Agency  
Lancaster Bar Association