

# Los Angeles County District Attorney's Office

Domestic Violence Victim Resources and Court Information

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# District Attorney's Office Victim Services

1-800-380-3811

- ▶ FULLY OPERATIONAL
- ▶ CRISIS INTERVENTION
  - ▶ Shelter Referrals
  - ▶ Mental Health Referrals
  - ▶ Temporary Restraining Order Referral
  - ▶ Relocation
  - ▶ No Police Report Required



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- ▶ Crime Charged against Perpetrator
  - ▶ Court Support
  - ▶ Restitution / Victim Compensation Board
  - ▶ Assigned Victim Advocate



# Superior Court Emergency Orders: Criminal Court



Criminal Courts are Essential Services handling all criminal cases



Social Distancing Rules in Effect



No Felony Criminal Trials until the end of May at the earliest.

Most Felony Cases already reset for dates in late June or July to assess



Arraignment can happen up to 7 days from date of arrest.

Criminal Protective Orders issued. Last for as long as the Criminal Case is open



Preliminary Hearings can be held up to 30 Court Days from the time of Arraignment

Preliminary Hearing Testimony can be given by a police officer. Risk to victim and health status considered.



# Superior Court Emergency Orders: Bail on Felony Cases

Presumed to be \$0

**BUT Numerous Exceptions**

- Domestic Violence (Penal Code 273.5)
- Stalking (PC 646.9)
- Intimidating a Witness with Threat of Force or Violence (PC 136.1)
- Felon in Possession of a Firearm (PC 29800)
- Serious or Violent Domestic Violence Related Charges, Including:
  - Criminal Threats (PC 422)
  - Kidnapping (PC 207)
  - Forcible Sexual Assault



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