



Legal Education Outreach Program Overview

National Coalition for Sexual Freedom

Mission Statement

The mission of the NCSF - Legal Education Outreach Program is (1) to provide information to members of the SM-Leather-Fetish, swing and poly communities concerning legal issues that may affect them, (2) to provide education, as appropriate, to law enforcement and other authorities about the our communities, and (3) to assist and support the outreach and education efforts of local alternative communities to local authorities.

Goals

- To support efforts and goals of the NCSF
- To assist SM-Leather-Fetish, swing and poly groups by providing relevant, up-to-date information about dealing with legal issues, law enforcement and other authorities
- To provide law enforcement and other government authorities with information about the SM-Leather-Fetish, swing and poly lifestyles as appropriate
- To assist SM-Leather-Fetish, swing and poly groups and communities in their efforts to educate and work with their local law enforcement and other authorities

Presentations

The Legal Education Outreach Program currently has the following standard presentations available for the SM-Leather-Fetish, swing, and poly communities:

- **#1 SM Groups and Law Enforcement: Group Issues**
- **#2 The Alleged Domestic Violence Call**
- **#3 Zoning & Permits for SM & Swing Groups**
- **#4 Approaching Your Local Authorities**
- **#5 Swing Groups and Law Enforcement: Group Issues**
- **#6 Life & Death Issues for Alternative Communities**
- **#7 Traveling with Toys**
- **#8 Child Custody & Divorce: Considerations for Alternative Lifestyles (*in development*)**

Handouts & Brochures

The Legal Education Outreach Program has many informational handouts and brochures.:

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- **#7 Traveling with Toys**
- **Consensual SM Activities: A Field Guide for Law Enforcement** (designed for local authorities)
- **What is SM?** (designed for local authorities / vanilla audiences)
- **Quick Reference Individual Wallet Card for Dealing with Law Enforcement**

All handouts are available via the NCSF business address, or on the NCSF website.

Requesting Presentations

All requests for NCSF-LEOP presentations should be forwarded to the Director, NCSF-LEOP. A request form for presentations is available on our website at www.ncsfreedom.org. Send requests to LAWENFORC@NCSFFREEDOM.ORG or to NCSF Legal Education Outreach Program, 822 Guilford Ave #127, Baltimore, MD 21202

Disclaimer: The material presented is not offered as legal advice. Many options are suggested for dealing with law enforcement and other authorities. The best course of action for you to take in a given situation is dependent on that situation and is entirely up to the parties involved. No single option is always going to work. Remember that situations, laws, and attitudes will vary from place to place and from time to time.