

# RULES FOR LOUISIANA DISTRICT COURTS

## TITLE V

### Thirty-Fourth Judicial District Court

#### Parish of St. Bernard

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<b>Chapter:</b> 41	<b>Chapter Title:</b> Court Organization and Sessions
<b>Appendix</b> 20	
<b>Rule No:</b> 41.0	Juvenile matters shall be heard on the last Wednesday of each month by the DUTY JUDGE or as set on each divisions' annual master calendar.
General Organization of Court: Divisions or Sections of Court	<p>All new juvenile filings shall be allotted by random allotment by the Clerk of Court pursuant to Rules III and XIX when filed. The arraignment shall be set at the next scheduled day for the division to which the case is allotted. If the juvenile is continued in custody, the arraignment shall be within seventy two (72) hours of filing and trial within thirty (30) days of arraignment or at such other times as required by law. Said hearings are given preference to regularly scheduled matters and may be heard by the Duty Judge if the division is unavailable.</p> <p>Serious, non status offenses may be specially fixed for arraignment and trial on the motion of the District Attorney or Judge.</p> <p>Criminal neglect, non support, Uniform Reciprocal Enforcement of Support Act (URESAs), delinquency and other juvenile matters involving adults shall be allotted in accordance with Rules III and XIX.</p>
<b>Appendix</b> 24	
<b>Rule No:</b> 41.2	As far as practical, juvenile matters shall be initiated by the juvenile probation office and pleadings by the juvenile probation office may be filed without the signature of the judge and shall be immediately allotted.
Court Procedures	

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