

**THE HONORABLE CAROL ANN DALTON
ASSOCIATE JUDGE
SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

Judge Dalton was appointed to the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in 2008.

Judge Dalton was born, raised and lived part of her adult life in New York City. She has been in Washington D.C. for over 25 years.

Judge Dalton served as Director of the D.C. Superior Court's Counsel for Child Abuse and Neglect office from May 2000 until April 2002. In that position, among various other responsibilities, Judge Dalton was responsible for training practicing attorneys and recruiting and training new attorneys for appointments to represent parents, caretakers and children in D.C. Superior Court in the area of child abuse and neglect.

In April 2002, Judge Dalton was appointed as a Magistrate Judge in the Family Court of D.C. Superior Court. As Magistrate Judge, Judge Dalton had a very active caseload. She presided mainly over child abuse and neglect matters, seeking to ensure the safety and well being of the children under the Court's jurisdiction. In 2008, Judge Dalton was appointed as Associate Judge. Judge Dalton is currently serving on the Mental Health, Private Adoptions and Juvenile Behavioral Diversion Calendars.

Over the years Judge Dalton participated as a member of a number of committees tasked with improving court procedures and practices in the area of family law.