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Following graduation from law school, Judge Silberman was the first staff attorney hired by AIDS Project Los Angeles, providing legal assistance to clientele nearly all gay men. After that, he worked in a private family law firm and then went back to public interest work as the family law/domestic violence supervisor for Neighborhood Legal Services, the legal aid provider for the San Fernando and San Gabriel Valleys. While at Neighborhood Legal Services Judge Silberman oversaw a domestic violence outreach program at the Burbank Courthouse directed at Armenian and Farsi speaking women (approximately 40%), and Hispanics (60%).

Judge SilbermanHe took the bench in 2004, first as a commissioner and in 2008 as a judge. He sat in family law for six years downtown at the Mosk courthouse and, for the past two years, has sat in Pasadena.

He is a board member of the California chapter of the AFCC as well as being a board member of the Valley Community Legal Foundation. In February 26, 2015, the San Fernando Valley Bar Association honored Judge Silberman as Judge of the year recognizing his accomplishments and ongoing service to the community.