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ADDICTION PROFESSIONALS: 6.0 Hours.
NAADAC - HEALTH ED, (provider #464), is an approved provider with NAADAC - The Association for Addiction Professionals.

NURSES: 6.0 Contact (60 minute) Hours; (7.2 Contact (50 minute) Hours).
HEALTH ED is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Wisconsin Nurses Association Continuing Education Approval Program Committee, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

PSYCHOLOGISTS: 6.0 Hours.
HEALTH ED is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. HEALTH ED maintains responsibility for this program and its content. HEALTH ED is offering this activity for 6 hours of continuing education credit. Full attendance is required. No partial credit will be offered for partial attendance.

SOCIAL WORKER, MARRIAGE & FAMILY THERAPIST, AND MENTAL HEALTH COUNSELORS: 6.0 Hours.
The Indiana Social Worker, Marriage & Family Therapist and Mental Health Counselor Board has approved HEALTH ED to provide Category I Continuing Education for LSW, LCSW, LMFT and LMHC. However, licensees must judge the relevance to their professional practice. Provider Registration #98000273A.

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✓ OTHERS: If your profession is not listed, please contact your licensing board to determine how to receive credit. Many boards accept reciprocal approval via the organizations listed above.

Purpose & Objectives
To provide quality patient/client services and to avoid the pitfalls of legal liability, today’s behavioral healthcare and human service professionals must develop and maintain a familiarity with current issues of mental health law. The purpose of this annual one-day educational program is to examine the critical legal issues surrounding the criminal justice system and the mentally ill client, patient/client treatment rights, guardianship issues, confidentiality and exceptions, and the release of information. Ms. Halbert, Ms. Garrison, and Ms. Green will focus on the legal issues, plus case law, which impact on everyday aspects of providing behavioral health services. Understanding these issues, along with your clinical judgment, can make you more productive in your work and on behalf of your clients.

At the conclusion of this program the learner will have the knowledge required to:
- Describe new and proposed legislation for mentally ill clients in the court system.
- Explain informed consent.
- Identify legal issues regarding voluntary admission/commitment proceedings.
- Discuss confidentiality and reporting laws.

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PROGRAM REGISTRATION INFORMATION (See registration page to register) All registrations must be pre-paid. Payment or purchase orders must be included to process your registration.

Group Discount: $149.00 per person for 3 or more pre-registering at the same time.
Pre-Registration: $159.00 per person.
Standard Tuition: $179.00 when registering after the deadline or at the door (space permitting).

PRE-REGISTRATION DEADLINE: To ensure your place in this course, please register as early as possible. *Pre-registration and group discount rates apply until 12:00 noon CT the day before the program, space permitting. *PLEASE NOTE: Group discount rates apply for pre-registration and pre-payment only and must be submitted at the same time. Attach all registrations with total payment.

TUITION INCLUDES:
- Coffee, tea, and pastries available at registration/check-in.
- Certificate of Attendance verifying successful completion of the course.
- A copy of Indiana Mental Health and the Law 2007, a handout prepared by Ms. Halbert, Ms. Garrison, and Ms. Green specifically for this program.
- Tuition does not include lunch.

CONFIRMATION: Confirmation notices are not required for admittance and will not be mailed. If you wish to confirm receipt of your registration, please call 800-839-4584 or register on-line at www.health-ed.com for an email confirmation.

CANCELLATION/REFUND OPTIONS: If you contact us before the program, you can receive a: 1) registration transfer to another person; 2) transfer to another program date; or 3) credit coupon for the amount paid to be used at a future program. If your request is received in writing 7 business days before the program date, a refund of your paid tuition less a $30.00 administrative fee is available. No refunds will be granted after that date. Purchase orders are considered the same as a check or credit card and the same policy will apply. In the unlikely event HEALTH ED has to cancel a program for any reason you will be notified immediately and will have the following options: 1) transfer your registration to the rescheduled program; 2) receive a coupon for the amount paid to be used at another program; or 3) receive a full refund of your registration fee. HEALTH ED does not assume responsibility for any other expenses incurred by the registrant. HEALTH ED reserves the right to substitute expert presenters without prior notice if necessary.
AGENDA

8:00  Registration/Check-In

8:30  THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM AND THE MENTALLY ILL CLIENT  

MARIANNE HALBERT, JD

Criminals and the Mentally Ill Client
- Competency
- Forensic Evaluations
- Plea Bargains
- Sentencing Alternatives
- Criminal Responsibility
- New and Proposed Legislation Regarding Mentally Ill Clients

10:30  Break

10:45  TREATMENT RIGHTS  

PHYLLIS GARRISON, JD

- Individual’s Legal Rights
- Informed Consent
- Right to Refuse Treatment
- Restraints & Seclusion
- Psychotropic Medication Issues

11:45  Lunch (On your own)

12:45  OVERVIEW OF ADMISSION/DISCHARGE  

PHYLLIS GARRISON, JD

- Voluntary Admission
- Involuntary Commitment Proceedings
- Guardianship Issues
- Powers of Attorney

1:45  Break

2:00  CONFIDENTIALITY  

KELLY GREEN, JD

- Reporting Requirements
- Subpoenas/Court Orders
- Notice of Privacy Practices
- Mental Health Records
- Substance Abuse Records
- Persons with Disabilities
- Psychotherapy Notes

4:00  Evaluations and Adjournment

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KELLY GREEN, JD, is an attorney at Krieg DeVault, LLP, in Carmel, Indiana. Her practice is devoted primarily to health care law, including regulatory compliance (HIPAA, Stark Law, and Anti-kickback Statute), professional licensure matters, contractual agreements for health care entities and individual practitioners, and long-term care administrative issues. She is a member of the Indianapolis Bar Association (Health Care Section), American Bar Association (Health Care Section), American Health Lawyers Association, The American Association of Nurse Attorneys, American Society for Healthcare Risk Management, and Executive Women in Healthcare. Ms. Green received her undergraduate degree in nursing from Ball State University. Before attending law school, she worked as a Registered Nurse at Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie, Indiana, and Riley Hospital for Children in Indianapolis, Indiana. Ms. Green graduated from Indiana University School of Law, Indianapolis, and completed the Health Care Law Concentration with honors. She has authored Physician Assisted Suicide and Euthanasia: Safeguarding Against the “Slippery Slope” – The Netherlands Versus the United States, 13 IND. INT’L & COMP. L. REV. 639 (2003) and co-authored, Managing Corporate Governance Risks in a Nonprofit Health Care Organization, 25 J. HEALTHCARE RISK MANAGEMENT 29 (2005)