



13th Annual Health Law Primer
Wednesday, October 2, 2013
Embassy Suites, Cool Springs, TN

Program Description: If you are new to health law or are someone who represents health care clients on legal matters and need a refresher of the major areas of law regulating health care clients, this program is for you. The Health Law Primer will provide a general health law overview, with experienced health care leaders discussing the nuts and bolts of a typical health care regulatory practice while touching on some of the hot topics currently facing the main "players" in the health care industry--including physicians, hospitals, insurers and the government.

Program Producer: **Christie Burbank**, *TBA Health Law Section Vice-Chair*

Total Hrs.: 4 General

Agenda

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| 12:15 - 12:45 p.m. | Registration |
| 12:45 - 1:00 p.m. | Welcome and Introductions
Christie Burbank , <i>Miller & Martin PLLC</i> |
| 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. | Selected Topics in Tennessee Health Care Law/Tips for Surviving a Health Law Practice
<i>This presentation will provide a brief overview of health law as an area of practice, and will discuss some of the common legal issues regularly faced by health care providers and their legal counsel.</i>
Walt Schuler , <i>UT Health Science Center</i>
Scott Shanker , <i>Butler Snow</i> |
| 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. | HIPAA Overview
<i>This session will provide an overview of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) and the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health (HITECH) Act, including a review of basic concepts under the HIPAA Privacy, Security, Breach Notification, and Enforcement Rules, as amended by the HIPAA</i> |

Omnibus Final Rule published on January 25, 2013.

Kevin Page, Waller

Nesrin Tift, Bass Berry & Sims PLC

3:00 - 3:15 p.m.

BREAK

3:15 - 4:15 p.m.

Fraud and Abuse Laws: Examining a Hypothetical Physician Practice Acquisition

This session will introduce attendees to fundamental fraud and abuse laws by examining a hypothetical situation in which a physician practice is acquired by a hospital. The panel will explore key concerns that can arise in the actual transaction as well as those that commonly follow. The session will provide an overview of key health care laws implicated in these & similar situations, including the Federal Anti-Kickback Statute, the Federal Physician Self-Referral Statute (Stark), & the False Claims Act.

Mark Cunningham, Chambliss, Bahner & Stophel P.C.

Lisa Rivera, U.S. Attorneys Office

Susan Steelman, Miller & Martin PLLC

J.D. Thomas, U.S. Attorneys Office - Moderator

4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Life Cycle of a Physician Practice

This session will cover who may employ physicians, issues in employment contracts, compensation models, professional service agreements, fair market value considerations, becoming a shareholder in a practice, post-termination issues such as non-competes, medical records issues, and notices to patients.

Cory Brown, Waller

Amanda Busby, Anderson Busby PLLC

Shannon Farr, Decosimo CPAs

