

Agenda



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Live Virtual

Federal Law Forum 2021

Program Producer: Matt May, Rosenblum & Reisman PC

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9:00 – 10:00am

HIPPA is Grate

Shannon Hoffert, Office of Tennessee Attorney General

This CLE will provide a high-level overview of the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act as well as implementing regulations; this CLE will also review recent Office of Civil Rights HIPAA settlements and provide practical ways attorneys can identify HIPAA issues in everyday practice.

10:00 – 11:00 am

Interactive Evidence Challenges

Sydney Beckman, Lincoln Memorial University

Through the use of interactive technology, this presentation will challenge you with difficult evidentiary problems taken primarily from real court cases. Topics will include high-tech evidence, social media (e.g., Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and TikTok), difficult hearsay issues and challenging character evidence.

11:00 – 11:15 am

Break

11:15 am – 12:15 pm

So You Want to Be a Judge

Hon. Bernice Donald, US Court of Appeals

This interactive program will educate attendees on the processes and procedures of pursuing judgeships within the federal judicial system. Having served in the Article I and Article III Judiciary and chaired appointment panels for bankruptcy judgeships, Court of Appeals Judge, Hon. Bernice B. Donald, will discuss the process and provide tips on strengthening your candidacy.

12:15 – 1:15pm

Navigating the New Normal; Challenges and Best Practices in Self-care

Dual

Holly Wade, Tennessee Lawyers Assistance Program

TLAP's clinical director will offer some observations on how the pandemic has impacted our mental health, share some healthy ways to manage the "new, new normal" and review the role TLAP plays in helping the legal profession self-regulate and prevent mental health issues from affecting our clients. Please come prepared to share your observations of what has worked and what has not worked for you and your peers over the past year and to learn about some ways to re-enter and connect in a healthy and sustainable way.