

# 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Health Law Primer

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For newer health law practitioners, this program provides a general health law overview and discussion of hot topics by experienced healthcare leaders. Sessions provide practical tips to identify and avoid the pitfalls of real-life situations in the heavily regulated health care industry.

12 – 12:15 p.m. CDT

## **Welcome**

Mark Ison, Sherrard Roe Voigt & Harbison

12:15 -1:15 p.m.

## **Introduction to the U.S. Health Care System**

This session will explain the basic structure of the U.S. Health Care system providing an overview of how services are provided to individuals, how individuals obtain and maintain health care coverage, and the mechanisms and regulations surrounding how such services are reimbursed. This session will also provide an overview of the Affordable Care Act and other applicable laws that affect health care coverage and services.

Prof. Deborah Farringer, Belmont University Law School

Tenia Clayton, Baker, Donelson, Bearman, Caldwell & Berkowitz

1:15 – 2:15 p.m.

## **Introduction to Health Care Fraud and Abuse**

Identifying relationships subject to fraud and abuse laws is an essential skill for transactional and regulatory attorneys because every health care company and provider engages in activities regulated by such laws. We will provide a high-level overview of some of the federal laws including the Stark Law, the Anti-Kickback Statute, the False Claims Act, the Civil Monetary Penalty Provisions and the Eliminating Kickbacks in Recovery Act of 2018 and will explore the most recent updates and hot topics in enforcement activity.

Amber Arnold, McDermott Will & Emery

Rachel Byrd, McDermott Will & Emery

2:15 – 2:30 p.m.

## **Break**

2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

**Introduction to Physician/Healthcare Provider Licensure**

Health care providers in Tennessee routinely face investigations and disciplinary actions by their licensing bodies within the Department of Health, in addition to investigations and actions by other “licensing” bodies, e.g., Boards, the DEA, federal insurance programs, state insurance programs, private insurance programs, and credentialing health care institutions. This session will focus on the administrative process that health care providers must navigate when the Department of Health launches an investigation or pursues a disciplinary action on the provider’s license, and the implications that those actions might have.

Chris Tardio, Gideon Essary Tardio & Carter

Jed Crumbo, Gideon Essary Tardio & Carter

3:30 – 4:30 p.m.

**Physician/Health Care Provider Employment and Contracting**

Ann Lundy, Butler Snow

Brent Siler, Butler Snow