



Legal, Ethical and Clinical Issues A Live Interactive Webinar

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About the Webinar

Legal, Ethical and Clinical Issues for Psychologists Regarding Involuntary Holds, Mandatory Reporting and Guardianship

Presenter: Joseph T. Monahan, MSW, ACSW, JD, Monahan law

Time - 9-10:30am

Legal, Ethical and Clinical Issues for Psychologists Regarding the Illinois Foid Law, Responding to Subpoenas and Depositions

Presenter: Johnathan Nye, JD,

Time – 10:45-12:15am

Why take this training?

Some psychologists have not yet received the 3 Continuing Education Credits required for licensure renewal September 31st of this year. The IDPR is allowing the Mandatory Ethical and Legal CEs to be done via webinar this licensure cycle. This workshop will meet this requirement while helping update psychologists on legal and ethical issues related to practice.

THE WORKSHOP

Legal, Ethical and Clinical Issues for Psychologists Regarding Involuntary Holds, Mandatory Reporting and Guardianship

Joe Monahan will discuss what is required to place a patient on an Involuntary Hold in Illinois and the role a psychologist may take in that process. He will explain which patient situations mandate that a psychologist make report to Illinois authorities. He will also offer clarification of the Illinois Guardianship process.



Joseph T. Monahan, MSW, ACSW, JD

Monahan Law

Joseph T. Monahan is the founder of Monahan Law Group, LLC and one of the preeminent mental health law attorneys in Illinois. Under Mr. Monahan's direction, Monahan Law Group, LLC provides legal services to over 80 hospitals and numerous mental health clinics, child welfare agencies, and social service agencies. In addition to professional clients, the firm also represents individuals at all levels of administrative and judicial proceedings.

Mr. Monahan has tried countless guardianship, mental health, and child welfare cases over the past 34 years. From confidentiality of mental health records to same-sex adoption, Mr. Monahan has successfully argued cases at every level of the Illinois court system, including the Illinois Supreme Court. He has been appointed by the court to represent persons with disabilities in complex or extraordinary mental health cases. His background as a social worker makes him acutely aware of the legal issues that impact social service professionals and the

people they serve. He currently serves as President of the Board of Directors of the NASW Risk Retention Group, the malpractice insurance company for social workers, and has been an active member of NASW for decades.

Mr. Monahan has been an engaging member of the legal community throughout his career and has played an integral role in developing important policies and legislation to assist individuals with disabilities and those involved in their care. As a recognized leader in his field, he is frequently invited to teach courses and provide trainings to law students, attorneys, medical and mental health professionals, and family members.

Mr. Monahan is an Adjunct Associate Professor of Law at Loyola University Chicago School of Law, where he has taught mental health law for over 27 years. He has also taught at Northwestern University School of Law. Mr. Monahan has repeatedly served as Chair of the Illinois State Bar Association Mental Health Law Section Council and has been appointed to numerous other leadership positions in state and local not-for-profit groups throughout his longstanding career.

Mr. Monahan is a steadfast advocate for persons with disabilities, their families, and the professionals who serve them. He cares deeply about each of his clients and strives to represent them with principled advocacy and practical legal advice.

The training shall include the following topics:

Involuntary Holds

Attendees can list the clinical symptoms that would require an involuntary hold.

Attendees can describe to a family member what would be required to place a person on a Legal hold if that person refuses hospital admission.

Mandatory Reporting

Attendees will list three circumstances that might require a psychologist to report.

Attendees can describe how and to whom a report is made.

Guardianship

Attendees can describe the role a psychologist may have in a guardianship.

Legal Ethical and Clinical Issues for Psychologists Regarding the Illinois FOID Law, Responding to Subpoenas and Depositions

Johnathan Nye will explain the role of the psychologist in making a FOID report.

He will explain the Subpoena process so that psychologists will be comfortable with knowing how to handle a subpoenas and record requests in order to minimize your involvement in court and to reduce liability. He will describe a Deposition and how a psychologist must prepare to testify,



Jonathan Nye, JD

Jonathan D. Nye, a partner in Nye Law Group, Ltd., is a practicing attorney with offices in Fox River Grove & Chicago, Illinois. He practices extensively in the areas of mental health and human services law, family law, and general practice.

Nye Law Group, Ltd. has developed a philosophy of assisting human services providers in avoiding litigation, maintaining confidentiality, and assisting human services providers in

managing their practices with insight into the potential legal pitfalls inherent to practice of human services provision. Mr. Nye is a graduate of the John Marshall Law School, licensed to practice

law in the State of Illinois and before the Federal Courts of the Northern District of Illinois, he has lectured before the Illinois State Bar Association, the Chicago Bar Association, local and national associations related to law and human services and to numerous mental health, developmental disabilities, and alcohol and drug abuse agencies.

This training includes the following topics

Illinois FOID Law

Attendees can describe how to report a client that has a weapon.
Attendees can list two clinical circumstances that would require a FOID report.

Subpoenas

Attendees can describe how to discern if a subpoena is from an attorney or an actual court order from a Judge.
Attendees will explain steps to protect patient confidentiality when receiving a subpoena,

Depositions

Attendees will describe what may occur during a deposition.

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