

**1 HOUR OF
ETHICS
INCLUDED**



Mental Health Law

November 7, 2016
8:30 a.m.-4:15 p.m.

Waller, Lansden, Dortch & Davis, LLP
511 Union St., Ste. 2700, Nashville, 37219
Battle, Crockett, and Dromgoole Conference Room, 27th floor

\$99 for 6.0 CLE/CEUs
(Includes 1.0 hour of ethics)
Lunch is included!

This forum annually brings together attorneys, mediators, nurses, and behavioral health professionals in order to better understand gaps in services and opportunities to help clients. Certainly every person facing legal action has increased anxiety or depression over the situation that brings them before the courts. Sadly, their legal predicaments are often due to society not treating mental illness until there is a crisis, such as hospitalization, incarceration, or a suicide attempt. This seminar addresses both the legal and clinical aspects of our shared clients. Look at this year's topics, agenda, and faculty on the next page and **register today at www.mhamt.org!**

Sponsors:



Registration: Mental Health Law

Please complete one form per participant.

Registration Fee: \$99 before 11/01; \$125 after 11/01

PAYMENT (Please Check One)

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Send completed registration with payment to:
Mental Health America of Middle Tennessee
446 Metroplex Dr., Ste. A-224
Nashville, TN 37211

**Please note that the payment address is different from the physical address of the seminar.*

Register Online: www.mhamt.org
Questions? Call (615) 269-5355 or email kcalvin@mhamt.org.

Registration and Cancellation: Registration includes the seminar and respective CEUs/CLEs. A substitute may attend in your place, as there is no refund. There are no discounts for attending only a portion of the seminar. MHAMT reserves the right to cancel the event due to unforeseen circumstances, in which case registrants will be contacted and credit will be applied.

Please note that parking is not included in this year's workshop.

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CREDENTIALS	(i.e. LCSW, RN, MDiv)
DATE OF BIRTH	(for Nursing Credit and Certificate only)

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Educational Objectives:

Upon completion, participants will be able to:

- * Provide a working definition of “advocacy”
- * List public benefits associated with not executing Tennesseans with documented mental illnesses
- * Discuss the need for diversion programs and behavioral health alternatives to incarceration
- * Discuss inequalities in coverage between physical health and behavioral health
- * Discuss the recommendations for healthcare coverage as proposed by the Three-Star Task Force
- * Get help for an attorney or judge who has anxiety, depression, or an addiction.

Agenda:

8:00am	Registration
8:30am	Advocacy Matters
9:45am	Incarceration & Mental Health
10:45am	Death Penalty & Mental Health
11:45am	Lunch
12:45pm	Parity
2:00pm	3-Star Health Coverage & More
3:00pm	TN Lawyers Assistance Program
4:00pm	Evaluation and Adjournment



Continuing Education:

Attorneys: This seminar is pending approval by the TN Commission on Legal Education and Specialization for 5.0 general and 1.0 dual CLE

Mediators: This seminar is pending for 6.0 hours of CME: 4 hours general, 1 hour TN Family Law, and 1 hour mediation ethics.

Certified Peer Recovery Specialist: This seminar is pending approval for Continuing Education Hours toward Certified Peer Recover Specialist Renewal.

Nurses: The University of Tennessee (UT)-Martin is pending approval for this symposium for .6 CEUs. CEUs are awarded at the rate of one (1) CEU for every ten (10) hours of instruction. Upon completion of the program, the attendee will have a permanent record on file with the Academic Records Office at UT-Martin denoting this training. The attendee will also be issued a Certificate of Completion from UT-Martin. Attendees wishing to obtain a copy of a non-degree transcript may find instructions for doing so at the following website: www.utm.edu/departments/registrar/transcripts.php.

Social Workers: This program is pending approval by the National Association of Social Workers-TN Chapter for 6.0 continuing education units.

Other: All will receive certificates of attendance.

Seminar Directions:

From I-24W, take exit 48 for James Robertson Pkwy., toward State Capitol. Merge onto James Robertson Pkwy., turn left onto 3rd Ave. North, turn right onto Union Street. You may park in the parking garage at a cost of **\$15**. We apologize for any cost incurred with parking for this event.

Faculty at a Glance

Hannah Cox, Graduated from Belmont University with a Bachelors in Business Administration. She currently works for Tennesseans for Alternatives to the Death Penalty (TASMIE). She helps coordinate the efforts of the coalition to seek an exclusion from the death penalty for individuals with severe mental illness.

Sita Diehl, MSSW, received her Masters of Science in Social Work from the University of Tennessee College of Social Work. For NAMI, she is the National Director of State Policy & Advocacy, where she advocates for improved public policy, non-profit agency administration, resource development, evaluation and personnel training for advocacy organizations serving individual and families affected by mental illness.

Hon. Dan Eisenstein, JD, received his B.S. from the University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School of Business and Finance, an M.A. in Special Education from George Peabody College for Teachers, Kennedy Center, and his J.D. from Memphis State University. Judge Eisenstein has served on the national MHA board of directors since retiring as judge for Davidson County's Mental Health Court.

Michele Johnson, JD, is co-founder and Executive Director of the Tennessee Justice Center. The focus of her nationally-recognized legal work has been children with special health care needs. In that role, she lobbied successfully to extend health care coverage to uninsured children in working families and participated in a landmark case establishing appeal rights for TennCare patients who are denied care by their HMO. She is a graduate of UT Law School.

Ted Rice, serves as the Deputy Director for Tennessee Lawyer's Assistance Program (TLAP). He received a B.A. in Psychology from Marshall University and a Master's in Education degree in Human Development Counseling from Vanderbilt University. He is a National Certified, Employee Assistance Professional, a National Board Certified Counselor, and a Licensed Professional Counselor, Mental Health Service Provider Status designation, in the state of Tennessee.

Mary Linden Salter, obtained her M.S. from Columbia University School of Social Work. Mary Linden has a strong background in health and behavioral health, and she currently serves as the Executive Director of (TAADAS) Tennessee Association of Alcohol, Drug and other Addiction Services.