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#### **EMERGING ISSUES IN HEALTHCARE LAW**

Celebrate the 20th Annual Conference on Emerging Issues in Healthcare Law with your colleagues March 13-16, 2019 at the JW Marriott in Orlando, FL! The 20th Anniversary of EMI promises to be a celebration of the conference, including slide shows of past events, a special display of Section history, and former leadership in attendance to make this a unique opportunity that you won't want to miss!

The ABA Health Law Section's Conference on Emerging Issues in Healthcare Law covers the most emergent topics facing the healthcare bar. As our industry undergoes changes and continues to develop with healthcare reform and enforcement, this conference presents an incredible opportunity to stay ahead of the trends.

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#### WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 2019

8:30am - 5:00pm	Registration and Information Desk Open	
9:00am - 12:00 noon	Cancer Legal Advocacy Workshop	
12:45 – 2:45pm	The Fundamentals and Intersection of Accreditation and Corporate Compliance  - Coloring between Gray Lines	
2:00 - 3:00pm	Interest Group and Task Force Leadership Meeting	
2:45 - 3:00pm	BREAK	
3:00 – 5:00pm	Preventing Burnout and Promoting Balance and Professionalism: Mindfulness for Attorneys CLE PROFESSIONAL ETHICS CREDIT	
5:00 - 6:00pm	Healthcare Crisis at the Border and Beyond – Issues Faced by Immigrants, Migrants and Refugees	
6:00 - 7:00 pm	:00 – 7:00 pm Networking Reception – Celebrating Diversity, Young Lawyers and Law Students	

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 2019

6:30 – 8:00am	Annual EMI Breast Cancer Fun Run/Walk (one mile) Sponsored by Joy & Young, L.L.P. A REGISTERED LIMITED LIABILITY PARTNERSHIP		
7:00am - 5:30pm	Registration and Information Desk Open		
7:30 - 8:30am	Continental Breakfast (complimentary)		
8:15 - 8:30am	Welcome to EMI – Opening Remarks		
8:30 - 9:30am	Keynote Address		
9:30 - 10:30am	Antitrust Enforcement in the Healthcare Industry: A Report from Washington, DC		
10:30 - 10:45am	BREAK		
10:45 - 11:45am	The Evolving Health System – Chasing Value, Going Micro, and Associated Regulatory Concerns		
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5:30 – 6:00pm	In-House Counsel Reception (complimentary) Sponsored by HUSCH
6:00 – 7:00 pm	Welcome Reception (complimentary)

#### FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2019

7:00am - 5:30pm	Registration and Information Desk Open		
8:00 - 9:00am	Continental Breakfast (complimentary)		
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8:00 - 10:30am	Health Law Section Governing Council Meeting	
10:30am - 6:00pm	20th Annual Margarita Cup Golf Tournament	
11:00am – 5:00pm Saturday Social Activities		
6:30 – 8:00pm Chair Reception hosted by Alexandria McCombs		

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 2019		(CONTINUED)	Provide practical operational steps to take when confronted with accreditation and compliance issues
8:30am – 5:00pm 9:00am – 12:00 noon Sponsored by: ABA Breast Cancer	Cancer patients can face a variety of legal problems related		SPEAKERS: Linda Fitzpatrick, FTI Consulting, Atlanta, GA Erica Lindsay, Lindsay Law, Chicago, IL Lisa Vandecaveye, The Joint Commission, Oakbrook Terrace, IL
Initiatives Interest		2:00 – 3:00 pm	Leadership Meeting – Interest Group & Task Force Leaders
Group	volunteering with support organizations or working directly	2:45 – 3:00pm	BREAK
	with patients and caregivers to help them address legal challenges like these. This session will review key relevant laws and practices to equip attorneys to volunteer and provide legal assistance to cancer patients and survivors, as well as to provide support to family members or friends going through diagnosis and treatment.  SPEAKERS:  Nicholas G. Avgeropoulos, MD, Orlando Health UF Health Cancer Center, Orlando, FL  Mary A. Edenfield, Mateer Harbert, Orlando, FL  Jason P. Lacey, Foulston Siefkin LLP, Wichita, KS  Patricia K. Herman, Law Office of Patricia K. Herman, P.A., Apopka, FL	3:00 – 5:00pm  CLE PROFESSIONAL ETHICS CREDIT	Preventing Burnout and Promoting Balance and Professionalism: Mindfulness for Attorneys Wellness and well-being have become important issues for practicing lawyers, implicating professionalism, ethical behavior and liability. This session will explore the professionalism and ethical dimensions of lawyer wellness and the scientific and practical aspects of mindfulness that can promote personal and professional well-being by fostering skills and mindsets central to balance. Mindfulness can improve resilience and reduce stress, depression, and anxiety. Participants will learn obligations under model and state ethical rules while offering a chance to practice these tools.
12:45 – 2:45pm	The Fundamentals and Intersection of Accreditation and Corporate Compliance – Coloring between Gray Lines  Experts will explain why accreditation and corporate compliance matter to a healthcare organization and how to manage these functions. In addition, the speakers will:  • Describe the intersection of accreditation and compliance in an era of healthcare disruption  • Identify areas of concern/risk  • Discuss hot survey topics based on recent Joint Commission data  • Describe the importance of patient safety and quality considerations for accreditation and compliance	5:00 – 6:00pm	SPEAKERS: Andrew J. Demetriou, Berkeley Research Group, LLC, and Lamb & Kawakami, LLP, Los Angeles, CA Charity Scott, Georgia State University College of Law, Atlanta, GA Healthcare Crisis at the Border and Beyond – Issues Faced by
			Immigrants, Migrants and Refugees Straight off of the front page, this session will address the health care issues related to the crisis at the border and the migrant caravan. Additionally, the panel will discuss issues that health care providers are experiencing with their immigrant patients once they enter this country. Finally, the panel will address the social and medical issues faced by displaced Puerto Ricans in Florida.

5:00 – 6:00 pm (CONTINUED)	SPEAKERS: Carolina Ampudia, MD, Broward College, Weston, FL Tiffany Santos, Trucker Huss, APC, San Francisco, CA
6:00 – 7:00 pm	Networking Reception – Celebrating Diversity, Young Lawyers and Law Students All registered conference attendees are invited to attend the reception to catch up with old friends and make new ones! Complimentary cocktails and hors d'oeuvres will be served.

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	The US Department of Justice and the Federal Trade Commission continue to place special emphasis on antitrust enforcement in the healthcare industry. Top officials from each agency will provide insight into their enforcement efforts and what they expect from attorneys advising clients on the antitrust implications of traditional and novel arrangements and transactions.  SPEAKERS: lan Conner, Deputy Director of the Bureau of Competition at the Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC Bernard Nigro, US Department of Justice, Washington, DC Barbara Reeves, JAMS, Los Angeles, CA	
10:30 - 10:45am	BREAK	
10:45 – 11:45am	The Evolving Health System – Chasing Value, Going Micro, and Associated Regulatory Concerns  The evolution of healthcare delivery by consumerism and value-based care is creating interest in smaller facilities, focused services and shorter stays. The goal is efficiency promotion, cost reduction, and streamlining clinical operations. Such goals may create counter-intuitive challenges. Promoting efficiency could adversely impact accreditation maintenance. Strategic advancement of value must be balanced between strategy and regulatory concerns. This session will examine moving key services outside of traditional hospital sites, the impact on overall care delivery, and recent legal developments. SPEAKERS:  Kyle Kramer, Pinnacle Healthcare Consulting, Philadelphia, PA Kenya Woodruff, Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP, Dallas, TX	

from Washington, DC

Antitrust Enforcement in the Healthcare Industry: A Report

9:30 - 10:30am

PROGRAM AGENDA

11:45am - 12:45pm	Lunchoon (complimentary)	
Featuring Interest Group & Task Force programming	Luncheon (complimentary) Lunch 1: Business & Transactions, Physician Issues, Fraud & Compliance and Payment & Reimbursement Lunch 2: Healthcare Facility Operations, Post-Acute Care Continuum, Public Health & Policy and Nursing & Allied Healthcare Professionals	
1:00 – 2:00pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS  State FCA Litigation: Discovery & Medicaid Advantage Liability in the Post-Escobar Era  Experts, including speakers from two state attorney general offices, will discuss recent noteworthy False Claims Act litigation. The focus will be on interpretation of the "usual and customary" language, the role of managed care companies in determining liability, third party subpoenas and settlement where a defendant has limited ability to pay. The panel will feature a discussion of Garbe v. Kmart Global, a "usual and customary" case which recently settled for \$59 million.  SPEAKERS:  Candice Deisher, Office of the Attorney General – State of	
	Virginia, Virginia  Frederick Robinson, Reed Smith LLP, Washington, DC  Jay Speers, Office of the Attorney General – State of New York, NY	
1:00 – 2:00pm	Legal and Financial Issues in Healthcare Restructuring Restructuring of healthcare entities can be complex due to the industry's highly regulated nature and the fact that patients are involved. This panel will discuss the complexities including dealing with A/R, setoff and recoupment in liquidations, licensing implications, the WARN Act, enterprise valuation, not-for-profit nuances, the Patient Care Ombudsman, and effects on Medicare Provider Agreements.	

#### 1:00 – 2:00pm (CONTINUED)

SPEAKERS:

Vickie Driver, Husch Blackwell LLP, Dallas, TX Richard M. Robbins, AlixPartners LLP, Houston, TX

### Regulatory Challenges for Digital Health – Emerging Law & Filling Gaps

Digital health is a quickly evolving legal and technology field. This session will focus on key areas of change and the critical gaps and questions that remain in this regulation. The panel will address emerging rules for big data, privacy and security in the digital health arena. Using current governing legal rules as a legal baseline, the speakers will evaluate operational and ethical parameters to consider how to benefit from digital health while managing compliance and broader ethical and business concerns. SPEAKERS:

**Erica M. Jackson**, K&L Gates, Charlotte, NC **Kirk Nahra**, Wiley Rein, Washington, DC

#### 2:15 - 3:15pm

### The Opioid Crisis: Will Good Intentions Finally Lead to Good Outcomes?

The opioid crisis did not happen overnight but over approximately 30 years. The crisis was caused by many factors but, in part, good intentions to control pain led to increased prescribing of opioids and eventually the unintended consequences of misuse and even death. Travis Jackson and Susan Feigin Harris will present healthcare lawyers with vital information on the federal response to the opioid crisis. Topics to be addressed include an historical look at key developments in federal opioid regulation, judicial intervention and enforcement action; a detailed overview of the SUPPORT Act's provisions affecting healthcare providers; and strategies for minimizing the risks posed by pain management abuse and drug diversion in healthcare facilities.

#### SPEAKERS:

Susan Feign Harris, Morgan Lewis, Houston, TX Travis Jackson, King & Spalding LLP, Austin, TX

3:15 – 4:15pm	Healthcare Data Analytics: How the Government is Using Data in Fraud Cases This session will discuss the government's ability to conduct real time data mining and the effect on False Claims Act cases, federal criminal prosecutions, compliance, and healthcare providers. The panelists, the current Civil Division Chief of the US Attorney's Office for MD-FL, a former criminal prosecutor now in private practice, and an experienced defense attorney, will discuss how data mining and data analytics are increasingly used in fraud cases. How clients can harness and use their own data will be covered.  SPEAKERS: Marissel Descalzo, Tache Bronis, Miami, FL Randy Harwell, Department of Justice, Tampa, FL Jason P. Mehta, Bradley Arant Boult Cummings, Tampa, FL
4:15 - 4:30pm	BREAK
4:30 – 5:30pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS Telemedicine's Evolution: Hot Topics and Privacy Considerations Telemedicine's role in healthcare continues to grow and evolve. This presentation will discuss timely and pressing legal issues involving telemedicine, including the role in combating the opioid epidemic, congressional action to allow prescribing controlled substances via telemedicine, the looming threat of increased enforcement action, and the future of Medicare reimbursement. The presentation will also dive into the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation, what steps need to be taken to comply, and how it might impact facilities providing telemedicine overseas.  SPEAKERS: Elizabeth Callahan-Morris, Hall Render, Troy, MI Barry S. Herrin, Herrin Health Law PC, Atlanta, GA Jeremy D. Sherer, Hooper, Lundy & Bookman, P.C., Boston, MA

**4:30 – 5:30pm** (CONTINUED)

4:30 - 5:30pm

### Goodbye RUGS! Hello PDPM! Fundamental Changes to SNF Medicare Payments

This presentation will discuss the legal, operational and compliance ramifications of the most significant Medicare Part A payment change for SNFs in decades. With the introduction of the Patient Driven Payment Model, SNFs will face new risks, challenges and opportunities. The panel will discuss the structure of PDPM, areas of focus for CMS and possibly DOJ and possible impacts for managed care risk/gain sharing and bundling programs.

#### SPEAKERS:

Mark Johnson, Hooper, Lundy & Bookman, San Diego, CA Michael Lesnick, Axiom Healthcare Group, Santa Margarita, CA

#### Legal and Practical Implications of Reference-Based Pricing

There is a growing trend of third-party administrators employing reference-based pricing, where the TPA sets the price for a service not based on a party agreement, but instead, on the reference pricer's own price list, which can be based on a number of sources (percentage of Medicare, RBRVS, proprietary fee schedule). A TPA's use of reference-based pricing can result in significant amounts due from patients, because the amounts paid under reference-based pricing schemes are always significantly below a provider's billed charges. This session will address the legal implications of reference-based pricing, strategies for identifying TPAs employing reference-based pricing, and best practices for limiting the damages caused by use of reference pricing. SPEAKERS:

John C. J. Barnes, King & Spalding LLP, Sacramento, CA Lauren Coleman, Triage Consulting Services, San Diego, CA

5:30 – 6:00pm Sponsored by: HUSCH BLACKWELL	In-House Counsel Reception (complimentary) A wonderful networking opportunity for <i>all</i> registered attendees to continue to make connections and strengthen relationships with people of diverse professional backgrounds.	(CONTINUED)	uncertainty about the ACA; recent and expected reactions and reform proposals coming from Congress and the states; and the regulatory sprint to reform the Stark Law and the AKS while the ACA is still in place.  SPEAKERS:  Denise E. Hanna, Locke Lord LLP, Washington, DC  Jeff J. Wurzburg, Norton Rose Fulbright, Washington, DC
6:00 – 7:00pm	Welcome Reception (complimentary)  Honoring our faculty and planning committee members  All conference attendees are invited to attend the best		
	networking reception in the industry! This event receives	10:00 – 10:15am	BREAK
rave reviews every year, so it's one you don't want to miss. Cocktails and hors d'oeuvres will be provided.  FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 2019		10:15 – 11:15am	A Disruptive Promise: Emerging Issues with Blockchain and Healthcare Blockchain, the distributed ledger technology at the heart of digital cryptocurrencies like Bitcoin, is often touted as being able to transform and re-imagine fundamental aspects of healthcare.
7:00am – 5:30pm Registration and Information Desk Open			Proposed uses include digital health identity, interoperability,
8:00 – 9:00am	Continental Breakfast (complimentary)		supply chain validation, revenue cycle management, and clinical trials. However, what does blockchain actually do? Key governance, operational, legal, and regulatory issues require
8:30 – 9:00am	State of the Section Address Health Law Section Chair Alexandria Hien McCombs of Humana Inc. in Irving, TX, will provide a State of the Section to attendees. Please note the Law Student Writing Competition winner, EMI scholarship winners, and Emerging Young Lawyers in Healthcare awardees, will be recognized during this presentation.		understanding and significant input from all involved parties.  SPEAKERS:  Eric Kintner, Snell & Wilmer, Denver, CO  Tamara StClaire, GuideWell, Jacksonville, FL  David Stevens, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Kansas City, Kansas City, MO
9:00 - 10:00am	Here We Go Again – ACA Déjà Vu	11:15am – 12:15pm	CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Late last year, Judge O'Connor, of the federal district in the

Northern District of Texas, refocused the nation's attention on the

ACA, issuing a summary judgment holding the Individual Mandate

and with it the entire healthcare law to be unconstitutional, putting

its future and all that has been put in place since its passage,

litigation related to the ACA and possible outcomes of Judge

at risk. During this session, our experts will cover the history of

O'Connor's decision; reactions of stakeholders to the continuing

**Emerging Privacy and Regulatory Issues in Assisted** 

Assisted Reproductive Technology (ART) has helped millions

of people have children and is an area ripe with opportunity for

technological expansion. This means it presents regulatory and

privacy challenges. ART is subject to varying levels of federal

Such issues will be addressed from the perspective of lawyers

and state regulation along with self-imposed best practices.

**Reproductive Technologies** 

and a reproductive physician, including:

(CONTINUED)

- Overview of ART processes;
- Regulation of ART and self-regulation practices;
- Data protection and privacy issues including HIPAA;
- · Cybersecurity issues; and
- Medical perspective regarding ART regulation.

SPEAKERS:

Kim Gold, Reed Smith LLP, New York, NY

**Sharen B. Jaffe, MD**, Center for Reproductive Medicine, Winter Park, FL

Marla Neufeld, Greenspoon Marder LLP, Ft. Lauderdale, FL

11:15am - 12:15pm

### Important Transactional & Regulatory Issues in Healthcare Private Equity

This session will highlight some of the most common transactional and regulatory issues facing private equity investors and providers with these complex transactions, as well as recent enforcement trends in this arena.

SPEAKERS:

Lisa Atlas Genecov, Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP, Dallas, TX Michele Masucci, Nixon Peabody LLP, Long Island, NY

11:15am - 12:15pm

### Emergence of Advance Practice Providers – Key Policy and Legal Concepts

This session will dive into the various legal issues unique to nurse practitioners, physicians assistants, and other advanced practice providers ("APPs"). The panel will provide an overview of state regulations, from the most restrictive to the most permissive, including the history of regulatory development. The speakers will cover supervision requirements, billing issues, and fraud and abuse concepts. Ultimately attendees will understanding the emergence and integration of APPs and how it will impact their clients and organizations.

SPEAKERS:

Alex Krouse, Parkview Health, Ft. Wayne, IN
Christian K. Puff, Hall Render Killian Heath & Lyman, Dallas, TX

12:15 - 1:15pm

**Luncheon (complimentary)** 

Featuring Interest Group & Task Force programming Lunch 1: Litigation & Risk Management, eHealth, Privacy & Security and Public Health & Policy Lunch 2: Life Sciences, ADR & Conflict Management and

Managed Care & Insurance

1:15 - 1:30pm

BREAK

1:30 - 2:30pm

### A Formal Introduction to HQEPs: An Innovative Physician Alignment Strategy

What is a Hospital Quality and Efficiency Program (HQEP)? How Do They Work? How and why are hospitals moving from co-management agreements to HQEPs? How are HQEPs structured (*i.e.*, funded by savings, payments assume quality has been met)? The legal and regulatory guidance applicable to HQEPs will be explored. Finally, legal and compliance tips for structuring and operating HQEPs will be shared.

James Daniel, Hancock, Daniel & Johnson, P.C., Richmond, VA Nicole Montanaro, VMG Health, Dallas, TX



#### 2:30 – 3:30pm CLE ETHICS CREDIT

### Managing Legal and Medical Challenges in Medical Legal Partnerships

Ten years ago, the ABA introduced a resolution to support development of Medical Legal Partnerships (MLP) around the country. The importance of legal services as part of the patient centered medical home initiatives is a key component. Since that time, 333 MLPs have developed in 46 states. The purpose of this presentation is to (1) provide basic information about MLPs; (2) introduce case studies of successful MLPs; and (3) address legal and ethical issues associated with developing an MLP.

SPEAKERS:

Sheryl Tatar Dacso, Seyfarth Shaw LLP, Houston, TX Christina Solis, UT Health Science Center, Houston, TX

**5:00 – 6:00pm** *Sponsored by:* 

#### Opm IPA Task Force Beer Tasting Reception

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SUTIN THAYER BROWNE Limited Ticketed Event—Includes a beer flight with 3–5oz drafts Join founding members of the Section's IPA Task Force including Council member Matthew Fisher and Past Section Chair David Johnson, for a tasting at the JW Marriott's onsite microbrewery Big Storm Brewery. Brewmaster Aaron Libera will greet guests and tell them how the beer is made.

#### SATURDAY, MARCH 16, 2019

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8:00 – 10:30 am	Open Council Meeting All attendees are welcome to attend the Health Law Section's Governing Council Meeting.
10:30am – 6:00pm	20th Annual Margarita Cup Golf Tournament Ticketed Event – \$125 includes 18 holes, lunch and golf cart. The Ritz-Carlton Golf Club will host the 20th Annual Margarita Cup Tournament conveniently located at the Grande Lakes resort. The club offers a par-72 Orlando golf course designed by Greg Norman which features challenging greens, wide fairways and natural elements. Beginners and more seasoned golfers alike are welcome to participate in this spirited tournament!
	Social Activities (Optional) Registered attendees will be provided a list of options for social activities at the JW Marriott Grand Lakes including an outdoor pool and lazy river, gym, day spa as well as eco-tours. The hotel offers a shuttle to attractions like Walt Disney® World, SeaWorld® and Universal Studios Orlando®. Kennedy Space Center is also an easy day trip.
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#### 6:30 - 8:00pm

### Chair Reception Hosted by Alexandria McCombs All attendees and their guests are welcome!

Enjoy cocktails and hors d'oeuvres during this final celebration hosted by the ABA Health Law Section Chair, Alexandria Hien McCombs. We will recap the highlights of the conference and award the Margarita Cup trophy to this year's winning golf team.

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Health Law Section
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Department
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#### ON SITE REGISTRATION

Please contact Paige Rodenberg at paige.rodenberg@ americanbar.org by **March 1, 2019** to ensure space availability. Onsite registration will only be accepted when accompanied by check, money order, Visa, American Express, or MasterCard information.

#### **CANCELLATION POLICY**

Tuition, less a \$125 handling charge for each registration, will be refunded upon written cancellation received no later than March 5, 2019. Cancellations received after this date cannot be refunded but substitutions are encouraged. The ABA reserves the right to cancel any program and assumes no responsibility for personal expenses.

#### **REGISTRATION FEE**

Your payment will cover admission to the program, continental breakfasts, coffee breaks, ticket to Thursday and Friday Interest Group and Task Force Lunches each day, receptions, and the program course materials.

#### INTEREST GROUP AND TASK FORCE LUNCHES

Registrants are encouraged to attend the Interest Group and Task Force lunch of their choice on both Thursday and Friday. There is no additional charge for these lunches.

#### **HOTEL INFORMATION**

The conference will be held at JW Marriott Orlando, Grande Lakes, 4040 Central Florida Parkway, Orlando, Florida 32837. Call the hotel at 1-800-266-9432 and mention the ABA Emerging Issues in Healthcare Law Conference to secure the group rate of \$299 single/double. This special rate expires February 18, 2019. A limited number of government rate rooms have been reserved on a first available basis. Please note-the GSA may change the government rate at any time, please confirm the rate with the hotel when booking.

You can make reservations by phone or online at:

Call the reservations center at 1-800-266-9432 and reference your conference name (ABA Health Law Section Emerging Issues in Healthcare Law Conference)

To reserve your room online, please visit ambar.org/emi19 for more information and a direct hotel link.

#### **AIRLINE INFORMATION**

With ABA Egencia, you can automatically obtain ABA negotiated airfare discounts for travel to the ABA Meetings. ABA Egencia enables you to purchase the best airfare at the time of booking, by providing you with the ability to search for and compare fares from virtually every airline serving the destination. A travel profile is required when booking airline reservations. Visit www.americanbar.org/travel for more information.

For phone reservations, please call 877-833-6285. To reserve online, please visit ambar.org, then search "egencia." ABA airfare discounts on some carriers may also be obtained by purchasing your tickets under the ABA Discount Codes directly from the airline or through your travel agent.

United Airlines 800-426-1122 | www.united.com Click "All Search Options" and enter discount code: **ZE6X633818** in the Promotions and Certificates box.

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#### **CLE CREDIT**

The ABA directly applies for and ordinarily receives CLE credit for ABA programs in AK, AL, AR, AZ, CA, CO, CT, DE, GA, GU, HI, IA, IL, IN, KS, KY, LA, ME, MN, MS, MO, MP, MT, NH, NJ, NM, NV, NY, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, SC, TN, TX, UT, VT, VA, VI, WA, WI, and WV. These states sometimes do not approve a program for credit before the program occurs. This transitional program is approved for both newly admitted and experienced attorneys in NY. Attorneys may be eligible to receive CLE credit through reciprocity or attorney self-submission in other states. For more information about CLE accreditation in your state, visit https://www.americanbar.org/cle/mandatory\_cle.html or contact Paige Rodenberg at paige.rodenberg@americanbar.org or 312-988-5176.

#### **HEALTH LAW SECTION MEMBERSHIP**

As an added bonus to new members, the member's tuition rate will be available to registrants who become members of the ABA Health Law Section. Membership dues are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes, but such dues may be deductible as a business expense. ABA membership is required to become a member of the Health Law Section.

#### TAX DEDUCTION FOR EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES

An income tax deduction may be allowed for educational expenses undertaken to maintain or improve professional skills. This includes registration fees, travel, meals, and lodging expenses. (See Treas. Reg. 1.162-5) (Coughlin vs. Commissioners, 203 F. 2d 307).

#### BREAST CANCER

Fees to participate in the Breast Cancer Fun Run/Walk will go to the Health Law Section Program Support Fund 501(c)(3).

#### **SERVICES FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES**

If special arrangements are required for an individual with a disability to attend this program, please contact Paige Rodenberg of the Health Law Section at 312-988-5176 or paige.rodenberg@americanbar.org.

#### **DRESS CODE**

Resort casual attire is appropriate for all meetings, CLE programs and social events during the program. Please note the meeting rooms tend to be cool, so please carry a sweater or light jacket.

#### SPECIAL TUITION ASSISTANCE

A limited number of registration fee reductions are available for government employees, academics, law students, and public interest lawyers employed with nonprofit organizations. No full tuition waivers are available. The fee-reductions will be determined on a one-time only, case-by-case, first-come first-serve basis. To apply, send a letter outlining the basis for your request of a fee reduction to Simeon Carson, Director, at simeon.carson@americanbar.org. Deadline for receipt: February 18, 2019.



#### **EMI SERVICE PROJECT!**

This year the ABA Health Law Section will host a service project on-site at the JW Marriott through Clean the World, a non-profit whose mission is to address global health issues by using recycled and re-purposed supplies from the hospitality industry. Contact Paige Rodenberg <a href="mailto:paige.rodenberg@americanbar.org">paige.rodenberg@americanbar.org</a> if you are interested in learning more.

#### 2 WAYS TO REGISTER



**BY MAIL** 

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American Bar Association Health Law Section	REGISTRATION FEES		
20th Annual Conference on Emerging Issues in Healthcare Law March 13-16, 2019   JW Marriott Orlando Grande Lakes, Orlando, Florida		On/Before February 18, 2019	After February 18, 2019
	First Time Attendee	\$625	\$725
	ABA Health Law Member	\$1045	\$1145
NAME FIRST NAME FOR NAME BADGE FIRM/COMPANY/AGENCY ADDRESS	In-House Counsel	\$945	\$1045
	Solo Practitioner	\$945	\$1045
	Government/Academic	<b>#250</b>	<b>*</b> 450
CITY, STATE, ZIP	(must be full time) Law Student	\$350	\$450
	General Attendee	\$125 \$1,345	\$225 \$1,445
	ABA Member, Non-Health Law	\$1,545	\$1,445
	Section Member	\$1,145	\$1,245
PHONE FAX	Section Member	φ1,145	\$1,245
	20th Annunal Margarita		
E-MAIL ADDRESS	Cup Golf Tournament	\$195	
	Annual EMI Breast Cancer Fun Run / Walk	\$25	
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	I would like to make a gift to the Health Law Section's Program		
STATE(S) IN WHICH YOU ARE LICENSED:	Support Fund 501(c)(3)	\$25/\$50	
☐ Please email me regarding hotel room share	TOTAL FEES \$		
CONFERENCE LUNCHEON	METHOD OF PAYMENT		
Your registration fee includes a ticket to the Thursday and Friday Interest Group & Task Force Lunches. To	☐ Check enclosed (payable to	the American Bar A	ssociation)
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☐ I will attend the Friday Interest Group & Task Force Lunch	a visa a Mastercard a	American Express	5
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# EMERGING ISSUES IN HEALTHCARE LAW

March 13-16, 2019 JW Marriott, Orlando, FL

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

September 12-14, 2019
Chicago, IL

# PHYSICIANS LEGAL ISSUES CONFERENCE

December 9-10, 2019 Washington, DC

# 17TH ANNUAL WASHINGTON HEALTH LAW SUMMIT

March 11-14, 2020 San Diego

## 21ST ANNUAL EMERGING ISSUES IN HEALTHCARE LAW CONFERENCE

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