

# Workers' Compensation

**Spring Update** 



Navigating the Legal, Medical and Administrative Labyrinth

LIVE PROGRAM AND LIVE WEBCAST

**Friday, March 20, 2020** 

### YOU WILL LEARN ABOUT

- Case Law Update
- 10 Litigation Practice Tips from OAC
- The Psychology of Pain
- The Colorado Uninsured Fund for Employees of Uninsured Employers
- Interpreter Challenges
- Ethics: Redactions, Privilege Logs and In-Camera Review You be the Judge!

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You asked that more time be given for the Case Law Update, and that is exactly what your Planning Committee has done! Three experienced Administrative Law Judges will present 10 inside litigation tips from the Office of Administrative Courts. Don't miss Medical Director Ethan Moses talk about the fascinating topic of the psychology of pain, and how it affects medical outcomes. Learn more about the new Uninsured Fund that opened on January 1, and recent challenges regarding court interpreters. For the last ethics presentation of the day, vote on your phone whether the document in question is privileged — you be the judge!

### **Agenda**

8:30 - 8:55 AM

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:55 - 9:00 AM

Introduction and Welcome

Frank Cavanaugh, Esq.

9:00 - 10:30 AM

### **Case Law Update**

Presented by Katherine H.R. Mackey, Esq., and Stephanie Tucker, Esq.

Moderator: Honorable Craig Elev

10:30 - 10:45 AM

**Networking Break** 

10:45 - 11:45 AM

### 10 Litigation Practice Tips from Office of Administrative Courts

A Panel Presentation

Presented by the **Honorable Glen Goldman**, the **Honorable Timothy Nemechek**, and the **Honorable Patrick Spencer** 

11:45 AM - 1:00 PM

Lunch Break

1:00 - 2:00 PM

### The Psychology of Pain

Psychological Components of Physical Injuries and How They Impact Medical Treatment and Outcomes

Presented by X.J. Ethan "Mojo" Moses, MD, MPH, FACOEM

### The Colorado Uninsured Fund for Employees of Uninsured Employers

Open for Business on January 1, 2020

Presented by the Honorable David Gallivan

2:30 - 3:00 PM

### **Interpreter Challenges**

- · Medical Interpreters: Certified vs. Qualified
- Who Chooses and Who Pays
- DOWC and OAC Policy and Rules
- Sign Language Interpreters

Presented by the Honorable David Gallivan

3:00 - 3:15 PM

**Networking Break** 

3:15 - 4:15 PM

### ETHICS: Redactions, Privilege Logs and In-Camera Review — You be the Judge!

Is the document privileged? Discuss hypothetical documents and vote on your phone in the classroom!

Presented by the **Honorable Michael Barbo**, **Holly Herring**, **Esq**., and **Alonit Katzman**, **Esg**.

4:15 PM

Adjourn

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