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DETAILED AGENDA
NSU CLE *Federal Practice Preview Series: Health Law Edition*
Thursday, November 5, 2020
NSU Shepard Broad College of Law
3305 College Avenue
Davie, FL 33314

Event Summary

The NSU Shepard Broad College of Law will host a CLE Program, via Zoom platform, on November 5, 2020.

The conference is entitled *Federal Practice Preview Series: Health Law Edition*, and will run from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

This program will focus on the current climate of health law and the necessary steps used through federal practice to adjust to the ever-changing atmosphere of new legislation. Attendees will learn about the various paths within the practice, about emerging new laws, outreach and training, and how to become involved in the federal practice of health law. The presenters will explain what you need to get started, what different types of experiences and exposure might be helpful in entering the field and instruct you on maintaining ethics by knowing and following the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and Model Rules of Professional Responsibility.

By utilizing key tips and strategies, you will learn how to position yourself for a strong career in federal practice by learning about the different avenues of health law and how to effectively represent clients in this field of law. Discussions will include a general overview of health law, the impact of COVID-19 in conjunction with health law, and the enactment of new laws and statutes created. This program is for students, new and seasoned attorneys alike.

Consistent with CLE Accreditation Standard 5.01(a)(1), this program is designed to have significant intellectual or practical content aimed at increasing or maintaining the attorney's professional competence and skills as a lawyer through the focus on a wide range of the technological advancements and the effects of these innovations on patients. The program will inform attorneys on new laws and practices that can enhance knowledge of health law, how to navigate this area of law, and pose ethical challenges. The level of activity is Intermediate [CLE Accreditation Standard 5.01(c)] because it assumes that all participants have a basic understanding of the issues involved, while other participants may have more than just a basic understanding.

Outline of Program

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Federal Practice Preview Series: Health Law Edition

11:15 – 11:30 am	Admittance into Zoom Platform	
11:30 – 11:40 am	Welcome / Introduction	Kamaria Binns, Vice-President of PULSE! Health Law Society
11:40 – 11:50 pm	General Overview of Health Law <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What is health law’s focus?• Why did you choose health law as a profession?	Panel Discussion Moderator: Kathy Cerminara, NSU Professor of Law
11:50 – 12:20 pm	Health Law & COVID-19 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How has COVID-19 impacted this field of law?• Moving forward, what do you believe is the future for health law post-COVID 19?	Panelists: Carlos H. Arce, Lubell & Rosen Gerald M. Morris, NSU Adjunct Professor of Law Jonathan Kroner, Jonathan Kroner Law Office
12:20 – 12:50 pm	Health Law Ethics <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What are some duties and responsibilities that must be maintained for client representation?• What outreach and training are provided to ensure effective lawyer-client relationships?	Adam Rogers, McDermott Will & Emery LLP
12:50 – 12:55 pm	Employment in Health Law <ul style="list-style-type: none">• How can a student prepare to enter this area of law?	
12:55 – 1:00 pm	Q&A/ Closing Remarks	Alexis Beckford, Chair of NSU Law Chapter, Federal Bar Association

SPEAKER BIOS



[Kathy Cerminara, NSU Professor of Law](#)

Professor Kathy Cerminara bridges the medical and legal professions with her work on patients' rights in the end-of-life decision-making arena. She co-authors the nationally known treatise, *The Right to Die: The Law of End-of-Life Decisionmaking* and is a reviewer for several medical and medical-legal journals. At the Nova Southeastern University Shepard Broad College of Law, she is a full professor. She is also an affiliate faculty member at NSU's Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Allopathic Medicine.

Professor Cerminara teaches Torts; Health Policy, Bioethics & Quality of Care; Administrative Law; Civil Procedure; Bioethics; and other health-law-related courses. She also created and was the

initial director of the online Master of Science in Health Law program for non-lawyers. In 2017, she received a Scholars Award for innovative interprofessional work with the Broward County Mental Health Court.



[Carlos H. Arce, Lubell & Rosen](#)

Carlos Arce is a partner at Lubell & Rosen, a Florida based general law firm. Mr. Arce practices in the area of health law and commercial litigation. Federal law applies to 80% of his practice. Mr. Arce advises small to large medical entities on federal and state healthcare and regulatory and compliance laws. Due to his client base, Mr. Arce often advises on federal employment law issues, such as Wage and Overtime audits by the Department of Labor, FMLA disputes and the Families First Coronavirus Response Act. Mr. Arce has represented clients in private insurance audits based on federal healthcare law violations. He has represented small to large clients in healthcare regulatory and compliance issues dealing with M&A deals. Mr. Arce was admitted to

the Florida Bar, the District of Columbia Bar and the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida.



[Gerald M. Morris, NSU Adjunct Professor of Law](#)

Gerald Morris is a Florida Bar licensed attorney practicing primarily in the area of Health Law. He earned his B.A. degree from LeMoyne College in Syracuse, NY; graduated “with honors” from the Nova Southeastern University College of Law and obtained his LL.M in Health Law from the University of Houston Law School. He has also served for 29 years as an Adjunct Professor at the NSU Shepard Broad College of Law teaching a range of health law courses including the “Health Law Workshop” and “The Law of E-Health Care” including Telehealth scheduled in the Winter 2021 semester.

Mr. Morris began his private practice with several firms in the Fort Lauderdale area where he practiced general civil litigation and business transactions with an increasing focus on representing health care professionals, providers and related service organizations. In 1992 he became the in-house legal counsel to Holy Cross Hospital and its related entities in Fort Lauderdale where he served for over 28 years until his recent retirement.

Currently Mr. Morris serves on the Board of Governors of the Shepard Broad College of Law; was recognized as the Adjunct Professor of Year in 2008-09 and given the Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award in 2018 by the NSU College of Law.



[Jonathan Kroner, Jonathan Kroner Law Office](#)

Jonathan Kroner is an AV rated lawyer who is admitted and in good standing: Florida Bar, Federal Bar, and Eleventh Circuit Ct. of Appeals. He supports the Taxpayers Against Fraud Education Fund and has contributed to the TAF Quarterly Review.

Mr. Kroner has represented individuals throughout the United States. He has also practiced in a broad range of federal, state and administrative matters. Mr. Kroner has participated in jury and non-jury trials, appellate litigation, and appearances in state and federal courts in Florida and other states. He is active in pro bono.

Mr. Kroner aggressively pursues and resolves tough cases—false claim, qui tam, and others. The practice is built on delivering partner-level attention and dedication to client service. Clients rely on us to be approachable, responsive, and efficient.

As a boutique firm offering custom service tailored to each client’s legal needs, we have developed working relationships with attorney specialists and experts throughout the country. We do not hesitate to bring in such experts and specialists as needed to aggressively prosecute our clients’ interests.

Mr. Kroner is often retained as local counsel for non-Florida attorneys with Florida cases, and co-counsels with non-Florida attorneys in FCA cases around the country.



[Adam Rogers, McDermott Will & Emery LLP](#)

Adam Rogers represents private equity funds, strategic investors, entrepreneurs and other operators as they pursue and execute mergers and acquisitions and other complex corporate transactions driving innovation within the health care industry. He is particularly experienced in transactions in the health care services and health information technology sectors, helping clients find the right partners and deal structures to succeed in this rapidly changing and competitive space.