

Outline

Clinician-Client Relationship

- Law vs. ethics
- Elements of legal informed consent
- Nuts and bolts of office policies
 - Records vs. psychotherapy notes
 - What to put in a record
- Limitations on confidentiality
 - Colorado case law & danger to others
 - Colorado duty to warn potential victims
 - HIPAA
 - The latest updates you need to know

Practical Approach to Risk Management

- Elements of consent
- Competence & scope of practice
- Boundary violations/crossings
- Issues with modern technology
 - Texting, cell phones, e-mail, video psychotherapy
- Perils of supervision

Litigation

- Licensing complaints & malpractice lawsuits
 - Colorado-specific statutes
 - Colorado rules and regulations
 - Case law and how to find it

Navigate the Legal System

- Roles of attorneys
- Confidentiality/privilege
- Subpoena & disclosure of confidential information
- Depositions, interrogatories, expert testimony

Treatment of Minors

- Colorado age of majority
- Consent to treatment
- Privilege/confidentiality
- Separation & divorce

Case Studies

Live Seminar & Webcast Schedule

(Times Listed in Mountain)

- 7:30** Registration/Morning Coffee & Tea
- 8:00** Program begins
- 11:50-1:00** Lunch (*on your own*)
- 4:00** Program ends

There will be two 15-min breaks (mid-morning & mid-afternoon). Actual lunch and break start times are at the discretion of the speaker. A more detailed schedule is available upon request.

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Objectives

1. Communicate how to avoid litigation dilemmas, licensing complaints and malpractice actions.
2. Explore the legal and ethical considerations for the treatment of minor populations in Colorado with regard to age of consent, confidentiality and custody concerns.
3. Communicate how an understanding of common boundary and dual relationship issues/dilemmas can help you maintain appropriate relationships with your clients.
4. Recognize ethical challenges you should consider when responding to subpoenas that request disclosure of client records.
5. Analyze the limits of confidentiality as it relates to duty to warn law in Colorado.
6. Articulate how risk management strategies regarding technology can keep client information secure and avoid violating HIPAA.



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