



County Counselors' Association of California

Probate and Mental Health Fall 2010 Study Section Conference Embassy Suites Monterey Bay - Seaside October 13-15, 2010

CONFERENCE INFORMATION

The Probate/Mental Health Fall 2010 Study Section Conference will be held October 13-15, 2010, at the Embassy Suites Monterey Bay - Seaside. The conference begins on Wednesday evening at 6:00 p.m. with a social hour and dinner followed by a Problem Solving Workshop. The conference concludes on Friday afternoon at 12:15 p.m.

Registration Fee - \$320.00. The registration fee includes conference materials; Wednesday's dinner and Thursday's lunch. Breakfast is complimentary for Hotel guests. Attendees who are not registered at the Hotel may purchase \$15 breakfast tickets at the Front Desk. Each registrant, whether attending for MCLE credit or not, must pay the full registration fee. No discounts are available for those attending partial sessions. Registrants may not share or split registration fees.

Register by September 29, 2010. Mail the registration form and registration fee to County Counselors' Association, 1100 K Street, Suite 101, Sacramento, CA 95814. Payment should be made out to **County Counselors' Association**. After **September 29, 2010**, fax the registration form to (916) 443-8867.

Guest Fee - \$80.00. Each registrant bringing a guest must pay the full Guest Fee. The Guest Fee includes Wednesday night dinner only. No other events or meals are included.

Cancellation and Refund Policy. Registration cancellations must be mailed or faxed to County Counselors' Association by 5:00 P.M. on **September 29, 2010**. Cancellations made after **September 29, 2010**, are not subject to refunds due to meal and printing guarantees. If there are late registrations to offset meal and printing guarantees, the Association will make every effort to refund cancelled registrations (less a \$35 processing fee). Registrants who have cancelled will receive copies of printed conference materials and handouts if a refund is not possible.

Conference Materials - \$40.00. To order conference materials only, send a request to Mary Penney at mpenney@coconet.org. Orders must be placed by **September 29, 2010**.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Embassy Suites Monterey Bay - Seaside
1441 Canyon Del Rey
Seaside, CA 93955
TEL (831) 393-1115 FAX (831) 393-1113
Reservations: (831) 393-1115

Accommodations: \$165 single/double. Current Occupancy tax is 12.05% For any additional taxes and fees, contact the Hotel.

Reservations/Cancellation: Make your room reservation by **September 22, 2010**. To secure the group rate, reference the group name "County Counselors' Association County Counselors' Association of California-PMH". All reservations require first night's deposit or credit card guarantee. When making reservations, inquire about cancellation and early departure policies.

Transportation: The Hotel offers complimentary Airport Shuttle to/from the Monterey Peninsula Airport.

Parking: The Hotel offers complimentary parking.

For More Information: To find links to the Hotel's website, visit the online version of the "CLE News Conference Announcement" at <http://www.coconet.org/conferences/clenews/pmhf10.html>.



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CONFERENCE AGENDA

This activity has been approved for MCLE credit by the
State Bar of California in the amount of 9.0 Hours MCLE Credit
(This includes 1.0 Hour of *Legal Ethics* Credit)

Wednesday, October 13, 2010

- 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Social Hour**
- 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. **Dinner**
- 8:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. **Problem Solving Workshop**
(No MCLE Credit)
Larry A. Kubo, Section Chair and Deputy County Counsel,
Santa Clara County

Thursday, October 14, 2010

- 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. **Registration and Complimentary Breakfast** (Registered Hotel
Guests Only. Attendees not registered at the Hotel can
purchase tickets at the Front Desk for \$15.00)
- 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **Business Meeting and Election of Officers**
(No MCLE Credit)
Larry A. Kubo, Deputy County Counsel, Santa Clara County
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **Destination Unknown: Conservatorship for Missing Persons**
(1.0 Hour MCLE Credit)
Tamara K. Lopez, Deputy County Counsel, Santa Clara County

The County Counselors' Association is a State Bar of California Approved MCLE provider. The County Counselors' Association of California certifies that this activity conforms to the standards set forth in Section 7.1 for approved activities prescribed by the rules and regulations of the State Bar of California governing MCLE.

- 10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Morning Break**
- 10:15 a.m. – 11:15 p.m. **Regional Centers and Limited Conservatorships**
(1.0 Hour MCLE Credit)
Cathleen M. Giovannini, Deputy County Counsel, Monterey County
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. **LPS Trial Notebook/Compendium**
(1.0 Hour MCLE Credit)
Denis J. Zilaff, Supervising Deputy County Counsel, Sacramento County
- 12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch**
- 1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Estate of Lewis: Celebrity, Priority, and the Pet Eel**
(1.5 Hour MCLE Credit)
James C. Harvey, Supervising Deputy County Counsel, Orange County
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **Afternoon Break**
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. **Creating Proper Special Needs Trusts**
(1.5 Hours MCLE Credit)
William C. Sias, Deputy County Counsel, Los Angeles County
- 4:45 p.m. **Adjournment**

Friday, October 15, 2010

- 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **Complimentary Breakfast** (Registered Hotel Guests Only.
Attendees not registered at the Hotel can purchase tickets at the Front Desk for \$15.00)
- 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. **Proposals to Amend the LPS Act and for Wider Implementation of 5270.10 and Laura's Law**
(1.0 Hour *Legal Ethics* MCLE Credit)
Nikhil G. Daftary, Deputy County Counsel, Orange County

- 10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. **Morning Break**
- 10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m. **Funding Mental Health Programs**
(1.0 Hour MCLE Credit)
Patricia Ryan, Executive Director, California Mental Health
Directors Association, Sacramento
- 11:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. **Adoption of the Model Rules of Professional Conduct**
(1.0 Hour MCLE *Legal Ethics* Credit)
Mark A. Gonzalez, Lead Deputy County Counsel,
Santa Clara County
- 12:15 p.m. **Adjournment**



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REGISTRATION FORM

ATTENDANCE POLICY

Conferences of the County Counsels' Association, including study section conferences, are not open to the public. Attendance shall generally be limited to members of the Association (which includes county counsels and their legal staff).

Name: _____ First Name on Badge: _____

Bar #: _____ Title: _____

County/Organization: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Telephone: _____ (Area Code) Fax: _____ (Area Code)

E-mail Address: _____

Emergency Contact (after 5:00 PM only): _____ (Name) (Area Code)

Special Needs (i.e., allergies, physical, dietary, etc.): _____

Registration Fee: Includes all conference materials; Wednesday's dinner and Thursday's lunch. **\$320.00**
NOTE: No refunds will be given for cancellations received after September 29, 2010.

Attending Wednesday's dinner YES _____ NO _____

Guest Fee: The Guest Fee includes Wednesday's dinner. Each registrant bringing a guest must pay the full Guest Fee. No other events or meals are included. Make check payable to "County Counsels' Association". **\$80.00**
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Guest's Name _____ Guest's Name on Badge _____

Return your completed registration form and check by **September 29, 2010**. After this date, registrations must be faxed to (916) 443-8867. If a receipt is required, contact the Association at (916) 327-7558.

Make checks payable to County Counsels' Association of California.

Mail to: **County Counsels' Association
Attn: Mary Penney
1100 K Street, Suite 101
Sacramento, CA 95814-3941**

Work Product Confidentiality: Conference attendees are reminded that discussions of cases and matters still pending are confidential and subject to the attorney work-product privilege.