REPRESENTING CLIENTS WITH DISABILITIES
What you don’t know CAN hurt you
Friday, November 22, 2019 (4 CLE Credit Hours)
Location: Eastern District of Louisiana Federal Court (500 Poydras St., New Orleans, LA)

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| 10:00 – 11:00 am | Professionalism: Attorney Obligations & the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)  
Garret DeReus, Bizer & DeReus  
What obligations are placed on attorneys under the Americans with Disabilities Act? This session explains what is expected of attorneys – both in their conduct with clients and as employers. It also provides guidance on how to ensure compliance. |
| 11:00 – 12:00 pm | Ethics: Clients & Capacity  
Dayna Ryan, Theus, Grisham, Davis & Leigh, LLC  
This session will provide an overview of the ethical guidelines for determining capacity with reference to the Louisiana Rules of Professional Conduct. Importantly, it will also provide guidance for attorneys on recognizing capacity issues and representing people lacking capacity. |
| 12:00 – 1:00 pm | Part 1: Overview of Public Benefits  
Gwynne Mashon and Steven Reed, Southeast Louisiana Legal Services  
Presenters from Southeast Louisiana Legal Services will provide an overview of different types of public benefits – information that every attorney representing clients who are low-income and/or have disabilities should be aware of. Public benefits that will be included in this presentation include, Social Security Disability Insurance, Supplemental Security Income, Medicare, Medicaid, and Veterans’ benefits. |
| 1:00 – 2:00 pm | Part 2: How to Account for Public Benefits  
Sean Morrison, The Sean Morrison Law Offices LLC  
Christopher Sherwood, Law Offices of Warren A. Forstall, Jr., LLC  
This panel presentation will provide guidance on how to account for public benefits in personal injury settlements and special needs trusts from both a plaintiff and defendant perspective. |

Total Available CLE Credits: 4.0 (including 1.0 ethics, and 1.0 professionalism)

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Friday, Nov. 22, 2019, 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM  
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