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LCL JUNE 2022 CLE PROGRAMS

Implicit Bias in the Legal Profession: Mental Health and Double Stigma

Tuesday, June 14, 4:00—5:00 P.M. via Zoom.

1.0 hour Elimination of Bias CLE credit applied for (Course #464022)

Presented by: Joan Bibelhausen

Implicit bias discussions in the legal profession must include mental health (including substance use) and stress issues. This program will begin with a general understanding of the concept of implicit bias and discuss how implicit bias stands in the way of lawyers seeking the help they need for mental health, stress, and well-being. While it's hard for anyone to ask for help, there is a double stigma for those already in underrepresented groups. This program will address the challenges faced by lawyers, judges, and law students when asking for help for mental health issues. It will also address the relationship between mental health issues and diversity and inclusion. The program includes a discussion of strategies to overcome these issues. **Advance registration is required; register [here](#).**

Stress, Addiction, and Mental Health—An Ethical Perspective

Tuesday, June 28, 12:00—1:00 P.M. via Zoom.

1.0 hour Ethics CLE credit applied for (Course #464023)

Presented by: Joan Bibelhausen

For lawyers, missing deadlines and failing to communicate or complete projects may be the tip of the iceberg when it comes to excessive stress and addiction, and mental health issues. Those same issues and others may be present in clients. When a client is impaired, the lawyer has both obligations and opportunities. There are obligations when the lawyer is impaired, but fortunately, there is also help available. This program looks at professional responsibility aspects of impairment from both the client and lawyer perspective. **Advance registration is required; register [here](#).**

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting. These programs are open to all legal professionals. For more information, please call 651-646-5590 or email [Joan Bibelhausen](mailto:Joan.Bibelhausen). LCL does not charge for these programs; contributions are gratefully appreciated. [Donate here](#).