

HEALTH EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP

The Health Industry Group at Miller Thomson LLP is dedicated to our continuing partnership with our clients. In furtherance of this relationship, we are pleased to announce our Health Education Partnership, an initiative to co-sponsor legal education programs with our client organizations.

We are delighted to offer customized educational programs for your organization, region or network which may be scheduled for part, full day or multi-day retreats. Our Health Industry Group will provide appropriate speakers and we will work with our partner organization to develop the agenda and prepare educational materials and hand-outs.

Our partner client will take care of local arrangements including arranging a venue, the distribution of invitations and catering, where appropriate.

As a demonstration of our commitment to education, there will be no charge for programs of a regional or network nature.

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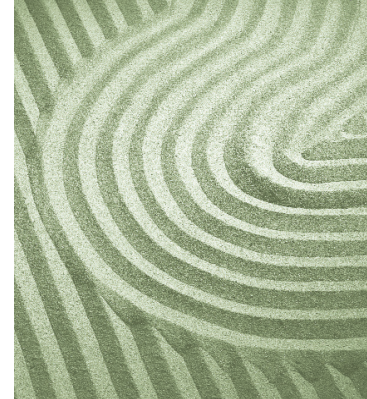
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OUR PROGRAM

Please feel free to consider the following broad topic areas, although our Health Industry Group will tailor programs to best reflect the needs or issues currently facing your organization or region:

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE AND BOARD ISSUES

- Legal duties and responsibilities
- By-laws, rules, regulations and policies
- Governance versus management

MANAGEMENT ISSUES

- Responsibility for quality of care
- Functioning with limited resources
- Shared services
- Utilizing “under credentialed” staff
- Contracts: employment, service and purchase
- Government relations

PROFESSIONAL STAFF ISSUES

- Appointment and privileges
- Professional Staff Rules and Regulations
- Medical directives and delegated authority
- Consent and capacity issues
- Professional staff recruitment and retention

RISK MANAGEMENT AND CLAIMS MANAGEMENT

- Risk and claim identification
- Incident, occurrence and error management
- Discharge planning
- The difficult patient/family

LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT ISSUES

- Employee absenteeism
- Human rights and accommodation
- Occupational health and safety
- Patient/staff abuse

LEGAL PRIMER

- Statutory and regulatory law
- The common law
- Negligence and contractual liability
- Legal forums
- Civil and criminal courts
- Coroner's inquests
- Administrative tribunals

CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND LITIGATION ISSUES

- Contracts
- Financing
- Risk transfer

PUBLIC/PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS

- RFP process
- Project agreements
- Regulatory issues

CONFIDENTIALITY AND PRIVACY FOR HEALTH INDUSTRY CLIENTS

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

FOUNDATIONS AND THE LAW OF CHARITIES

FOR PROFIT OPPORTUNITIES

If you are interested in co-sponsoring an educational event, please fill out the enclosed form.

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