

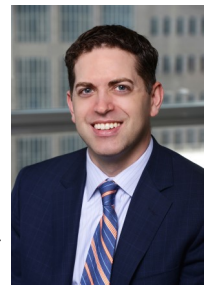


Ethics- Questioning Capacity:

How do you determine if an individual is capable of making decisions?

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Learn how to determine mental capacity and review the laws in place to protect people with capacity issues.

Objectives:

- Discuss medical versus legal determination of capacity
- Illustrate who makes the decisions when it comes to a client who may or may not have decisional capacity
- Outline the ethical issues can arise in various stages of decision making for clients with diminished capacity
- Review of the Health care surrogate act, Powers of attorney and Guardianship

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Date: Monday, April 4th , 2016

Time: 5:15 pm – Check-in & Refreshments; 6:00pm – Presentation

Location: The Scottish Home, 2800 Des Plaines Avenue, North Riverside, IL 60546

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