

## ILLINOIS RISK MANAGEMENT SERVICES

# 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Risk Managers' Meeting

## Expanding Your Toolbox for Proactive Risk Management

### September 27 & 28, 2018

#### Embassy Suites

**800.362.2779**

100 Conference Center Dr, East Peoria

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Special Rate Code: IRM

Block Release: 9/5/18

#### Description:

This conference offers didactic and interactive presentations for risk managers, physicians, hospital leaders, and attorneys. Nationally recognized speakers will share notable insight to minimize risk, liability exposure, and improve patient safety in healthcare.

#### Objectives:

Participants will be able to:

- Identify medical and professional liability exposure related to screening recommendations for genetically-related cancers.
- Understand the failure modes associated with opioid use in acute settings and apply solutions to reduce harm and liability associated with opioids.
- Discuss case specific claim resolution approaches, and devise strategies that may impact risk and liability at their organizations.
- Evaluate critical thinking as providing a foundation for achieving high reliability in complex systems such as modern hospitals.

## AGENDA

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup>

- 8:00 Registration & Continental Breakfast**
- 8:15 Welcome and Introductions**
- 8:30 Failure to Recommend Genetic Testing: Next Wave of MPL Lawsuits**  
Victor Cotton, MD, JD  
President  
Law & Medicine, Hershey PA
- 9:30 Lessons Learned from Opioid Events**  
Bill Marella, MBA, MMI  
Executive Director, PSO Operations and Analytics  
ECRI Institute, Plymouth Meeting PA
- 10:30 Break**
- 10:45 Critical Thinking and HRO: Laying a Cognitive Foundation for Improving Patient Safety**  
Michael R. Rip, PhD, MSc (Med)  
Founder  
MindLeap, LLC, East Lansing MI
- 11:45 Lunch**
- 1:00 Claim Studies: What Risk Managers and Legal Counsel Can Learn From Closed Malpractice Cases**  
Donna Clayton, BS  
Senior Claims Supervisor  
Tammy Gamrat, RN, CPHRM  
Senior Risk and Claims Consultant  
Illinois Risk Management Services, Naperville IL
- 2:00 Navigating the New Era of Tech-Enable Healthcare**  
Neal Sikka, MD  
Assoc. Professor, Emergency Medicine, GWU School of Medicine  
Director, Innovative Practice & Telemedicine  
GW Medical Faculty Associates, Washington DC
- 3:00 Break**
- 3:15 Taking it to the Mat – Plaintiff and Defense Perspective on Emerging Trends in Case Strategy**  
Matthew B. Smith, JD  
Partner  
Quinn Johnston, Peoria  
J. Matthew Dudley, JD  
Co-Founder  
Dudley & Lake, Chicago

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- Describe the communication skills and abilities needed to deliver care remotely.
- Analyze emerging medical negligence litigation strategies from the plaintiff and defense perspective
- Explain the importance of in depth and timely preparation for testimony with Counsel.
- Understand the relationship between delirium and other risks such as falls, nursing home placement, and death.
- Respond effectively to professional licensing board disciplinary actions

**Nursing CEUs:**

The Illinois Health and Hospital Association (IHA) is authorized by the State of Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (license number 236.000109) to award up to 10.25 hours of nurse continuing education credit for this program.

**CPHRM Credits:**

*Have been applied for.*

**CLEs:**

*Application is pending approval for 10.25 hours of minimum continuing legal education.*

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27<sup>TH</sup> - CONTINUED**

- 4:30 Adjournment**
- 6:30 Cocktails and Hors D'oeuvres**
- 7:00 Dinner**
- 8:00 A 40-Year Relationship**  
Ed Holzauer  
Senior VP & Chief Operating Officer  
Illinois Risk Management Services/Illinois Provider Trust

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup>**

- 7:30 Continental Breakfast**
- 8:00 Why Some Doctors Make Bad Witnesses and How We Can Help Them Improve; and Mock Deposition**  
Kenneth Schultz, MD, MBA, FACP, FACEP (ret.)  
President  
WitnessCoachMD, LLC, Denver CO  
Lisa Munch, JD  
Partner  
Langhenry, Gillen, Lundquist & Johnson, LLC  
Rockford IL
- 10:00 Break**
- 10:15 Grave Portent: Delirium Impact on Patient & Institutional Risk and What We Can Do About It**  
Ethan Cumbler, MD, FACP, FHM  
Professor, University of Colorado Hospital School of Medicine  
Medical Staff President, University of Colorado Hospital, Aurora CO
- 11:15 Defending Professional Licensing Disciplinary Actions**  
Roger Clayton, JD  
Shareholder  
Heyl Royster, Peoria IL
- 12:15 Closing Remarks**  
Mary Stankos, RN, MJ, CPHQ, CPPS  
Senior Director, Risk Management and Claims Supervisor  
Illinois Risk Management Services, Naperville IL

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