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# How to Navigate Long-Term Care for Clients and Family Members

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# How to Navigate Long-Term Care for Clients and Family Members

A practical full-day seminar not just for elder lawyers and estate planners, but for anyone dealing with long-term care issues in their own families.

## SESSIONS INCLUDE:

- The 5 Threshold Questions in Long-Term Care
- Housing 101: Settings for Long-Term Care and Levels of Care
- Understanding Long-Term Care Insurance and Benefits
- How to Respond to an Involuntary Discharge
- How to Respond to Abuse, Neglect and Financial Exploitation
- How to Protect Clients' Rights While They Reside in Long-Term Care Facilities
- And More

# SCHEDULE

8:30–9:00 a.m.  
CHECK-IN & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

9:00–9:05 a.m.  
WELCOME & INTRODUCTION

9:05–9:50 a.m.  
**The 5 Threshold Questions in Long-Term Care**

– Suzanne M. Scheller, Course Chair

9:50–10:35 a.m.  
**Housing 101: Settings for Long-Term Care and Levels of Care**

– Lawrence R. McDonough  
– Daphne Ponds

10:35–10:45 a.m.  
BREAK

10:45–11:45 a.m.  
**Understanding Long-Term Care Insurance and Benefits**

– Kate R. Fredrickson  
– Rachel Shands  
– Elizabeth I. Wrobel

11:45 a.m.–12:30 p.m.  
**Tools of the Trade—What Documents Can Attorneys Draft to Delegate Authority and How are These Tools Used in a Care Setting?**

– Christine B. Courtney  
– Lynn Gerard

12:45–1:30 p.m.  
LUNCH (ON YOUR OWN)

1:30–2:20 p.m.  
**How to Respond to an Involuntary Discharge**

– Lawrence R. McDonough  
– Parichay Rudina

2:20–3:05 p.m.  
**How to Respond to Abuse, Neglect and Financial Exploitation**

– Susan Crumb  
– Mary McGurran

3:05–3:15 p.m.  
BREAK

3:15–4:15 p.m.  
**How to Protect Your Clients' Rights While They Reside in Long Term Care Facilities**

– Debbie Richman  
– Suzanne M. Scheller

4:15–4:45 p.m.  
**Questions & Answers**

– All presenters invited  
– Suzanne M. Scheller (moderator)

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