



TEXAS CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAWYERS ASSOCIATION

VETERANS JUSTICE CLINIC
CO-SPONSORED WITH SBOT MILITARY AND VETERANS LAW SECTION

SEMINAR INFORMATION

Date Thursday, February 20, 2020
Location Wyndham Garden | 3401 S IH 35, Austin, Texas 78741
Course Director Terri Zimmermann and John Convery
Total CLE Hours 6.5 Ethics: 0

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Daily CLE Hours: 6.5 Ethics: 0

Time	CLE	Topic	Speaker
8:00 am		<i>Registration and Continental Breakfast</i>	
8:30 am		<i>Opening Remarks</i>	Terri Zimmermann and John Convery
8:45 am	.75	The Honor and Responsibility: Representing Veterans	Joseph Esparza, Gross & Esparza, P.L.L.C., San Antonio, TX
9:30 am	1.0	The Travis County Veterans Treatment Court	Judge Brad Urrutia, Jolene Grajczyk (court administrator), Karen Janda, LCSW (VJO)
10:30 am		<i>Break</i>	
10:45 am	1.0	A Lawyer's Guide to Working with the VA	Joanne Hurtekant, Staff Attorney Department of Veterans Affairs and Warren J. Pearson, LCSW
11:45 am		<i>Lunch Line</i>	
12:00 pm	.75	<i>Lunch Presentation:</i> Getting VA Benefits for Your Client	Rick Rousseau, Criss & Rousseau Law Firm LLP, Harker Heights, TX
12:45 pm	1.0	When They Come Home – the Effect of PTSD and TBI on a Veteran's Conduct	Dr. Franchesca Griffin
1:45 pm		<i>Break</i>	
2:00 pm	1.0	The VALOR program and the Regionalized Veterans Treatment Court	Misty Ely, LCSW, Clinical Director for the VALOR Program
3:00 pm	1.0	The Fort Hood Re-Entry/Diversion Program	Magistrate Judge Jeffrey C. Manske, United States District Court for the Western District of Texas
4:00 pm		<i>Adjourn</i>	