



TEXAS CRIMINAL DEFENSE LAWYERS ASSOCIATION

MENTAL HEALTH FOR CLIENTS

SEMINAR INFORMATION

Date Wednesday, June 18, 2025

Location Hyatt Regency Riverwalk, 123 Losoya St., San Antonio, TX 78205
Regency Ballroom FGH

Course Directors Alyse Ferguson & Nicky Boatwright

Total CLE Hours 7.50 Ethics: 1.00

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Time	CLE	Topic	Speaker
8:00 am		<i>Registration and Continental Breakfast</i>	
8:30 am		<i>Opening Remarks</i>	Course Directors
8:45 am	1.00	Developing and Presentation of Mitigation in Non-Capital Cases	Kristine McDonald
9:45 am	1.00	Anosognosia: The Potential Impact on Sentencing	Marisol Morales
10:45 am	1.00	On Point Reentry	Rochion Gregg
11:45 am		<i>Lunch Line</i>	
12:00 pm	1.00 <i>Ethics</i>	<i>Lunch Presentation: A Lawyer's Mental Health Journey (Go to Indigent Defense Room)</i>	Angelica Cogliano
1:00 pm		<i>Break</i>	
1:15 pm	0.75	State Hospitals: Type of Commitments, Services & Waitlists <i>(Stay in Indigent Defense Room)</i>	Dr. Felix Torres & Kaylee Reza
2:00 pm	0.75	Police Interactions with Persons with Mental Illness <i>(Back to Mental Health Room)</i>	Sgt. Shawn Edwards
2:45 pm		<i>Break</i>	
3:00 pm	1.00	How to Identify Best Treatment Options	Dr. Jared Dempsey
4:00 pm	1.00	Advocacy for Clients on the Writ List or Going to the State Hospital	Melissa Shearer
5:00 pm		<i>Adjourn</i>	