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Anatomy for Lawyers

Tuesday, April 28, 2015

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9:00 am – 4:00 pm (Eastern)

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Who Should Attend

This course is designed for lawyers whose practice includes personal injury, workers compensation, disability, health regulation, and medical negligence cases.

About the Program

Lawyers are trained to recognize or defeat theories of liability but medical issues, such as causation and damages, play an equally important role. Without an understanding of medical matters, you're at a disadvantage when cross-examining a health care professional or trying to explain or disprove an injury. To efficiently and effectively handle a medical injury case, you need enhanced knowledge and skills. Sam Hodge is your most effective guide to achieving them. In plain-English, and with a sharp focus on the challenges you face in your law practice, Sam makes practical, case-clarifying sense of complicated medical injuries, terms and conditions. Illustrated with vivid photos and detailed video, this program carefully and thoughtfully covers all of the details you need to know to properly assess and articulate your case, including the parts of the body most susceptible to injury (and how those injuries most often occur), how diagnoses are made, and the practical details of medical tests and surgical procedures. Don't miss this extraordinary opportunity to enhance your ability to evaluate injury cases and to prosecute or defend them.

Program Schedule (Eastern)*

8:30 *Registration and light breakfast*

9:00 *Welcome and introduction*

Building Blocks of Human Anatomy

- Learn the terminology you read about in medical reports

Systems of the Body

- Systems of the body account for medical specialties
- Skeletal system – Bone provides the structure of the body but it is subject to trauma. Examine the parts of bone as you learn about fractures and how to fix them
- Nervous system – learn the difference between the central and peripheral nervous system as you learn about brain injuries and spinal nerves dysfunction
- Integumentary system

12:15 *Lunch (included)*

1:00 **Systems of the Body Cont'd**

- Muscular system – find out what constitutes a muscle, tendon and ligament
- Circulatory system, Respiratory system, Gastrointestinal system, Endocrine system

The Back, Arm and Knee

- Learn the difference between a herniated and bulging disc
- Examine the interworking of the shoulder to see why it is a costly injury
- Find out the different types of ligaments in the knee and why injury occurs in the opposite part of the knee that is hit
- Go into the operating room to see how common surgeries are performed because the type of surgery makes a difference in valuing a file
- Learn how radiologists make a diagnosis

3:55 *Wrap up and program evaluation*

**Includes two 15 minute breaks*

Here's what past attendees have said about Sam Hodge:

- "Best seminar I've been to in 10 years of practice."
- "I've been handling injury cases for many years and I finally have a good understanding of the medical anatomical terms which are used by lawyers and adjusters every day. Outstanding presentation."
- "Professor Hodge has ruined me for all future 'normal' CLE's. Fantastic on all counts."
- "One of the best presentations I have attended. Not only was it informative but he managed to make it entertaining as well!"



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Meet Your Presenter



Samuel D. Hodge, Jr. is an award-winning teacher and personal injury author. A skilled litigator and professor at Temple University, Hodge has won multiple teaching awards including Outstanding Achievement Award for Best Program from ACLEA, the International Association for Continuing Legal Education.

He has been designated a Master Teacher by the Academy of Legal Studies and his interactive teaching style has been the subject of stories in *The New York Times*, the *Philadelphia Daily News*, the *Chronicle of Higher Education*, *National Public Radio* and television. He lectures on anatomy to lawyers, physicians, judges, and insurance professionals. He has authored more than 150 articles which have been published in journals such as *The Practical Litigator*, *Modern Medicine*, the *Insurance Counsel Journal*, the *Practical Lawyer*, *The Barrister*, and the *American Business Law Journal*. He has also written several legal texts including *Anatomy for Litigators* published by ALI-ABA. Hodge's most recent book, *The Forensic Autopsy for Lawyers*, is co-authored by Michael Panella. Hodge received his J.D. from Temple University School of Law.

✓ **Yes, I want to attend *Anatomy for Lawyers with Samuel D. Hodge***

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