This unique practice-based program provides an opportunity to explore and understand the complex intersection of mental health and the legal system.

Now is the time to:

- Gain a comprehensive understanding of mental health law
- Explore consent & capacity issues and the role of the substitute decision maker
- Learn about mental health in geriatric and pediatric context
- Enhance your knowledge around privacy, confidentiality and risk assessments
- Acquire a clearer understanding of the intersection of mental health and the criminal justice system

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One of the many challenges in dealing with mental health law issues is understanding the relevant law and its application. Often decisions must be made quickly, with inadequate information or consultation. Failure to adequately assess risk, to properly address the rights of individuals and their families, or to provide proper patient care, can compromise essential rights of an individual and his or her family, landing you and your organization in the midst of an investigation, an inquiry and even litigation.

Over the course of five intensive one-day modules and led by Program Directors Kendra Naidoo, Kristin Taylor, and Michele Warner, you will learn what you need to know about Mental Health Law and acquire best practice tips from some of the most knowledgeable and experienced experts in Canada. You will come away from this program with knowledge, tools, strategies and tactics that you can immediately put to use!
Gain the knowledge you need to handle the challenging and sensitive area of Mental Health including:

- A comprehensive overview of mental health law
- Hearing directly from perspectives of patient side counsel, hospital counsel and PPAO
- Community treatment orders: what you need to know
- Consent & Capacity Board: understanding the process and practice
- Rules with respect to emergency treatment
- Concurrent disorders: addiction and mental health
- The legal issues arising in the geriatric context
- Admission to long-term care homes
- Issues in children’s mental health – an overview of clinical concepts
- Privacy, confidentiality and risk assessment
- Advocacy and mental health
- Clinical risk management in mental health settings
- Systemic issues linking mental health and the criminal justice system
- Legal and ethical issues with respect to mental health in the federal correctional system

Who Should Attend?

- Psychiatrists, physicians, nurses and other licensed medical professionals
- Health care and social service professionals
- Social workers
- Representatives from hospitals, psychiatric facilities, long-term care facilities, CCAC’s and community service provider agencies
- Law enforcement officers
- Corrections and rehabilitation services representatives
- Crown lawyers, defence counsel, duty counsel
- Mental health patient advocates
- Health law practitioners
- Health care risk managers
- Government and public policy advisors
Tap into the expertise of our multidisciplinary faculty of experts, including:

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Agenda

MODULE 1
September 26, 2018
8:45 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Overview of Mental Health Law

- An overview of the civil and forensic systems, as well as the systemic issues/themes in mental health
- Civil commitment under the Mental Health Act
- Admission to hospital and procedures
- Psychiatric assessment criteria
- The role of the patient advocate and patient rights
- Advising a client under care in a health care facility
- Ethno-cultural diversity and mental health
- Access, stigma and cultural competency
- Barriers to care in diverse populations

Providing Care in a Legalized Environment
- Understanding the system under which mental health hospitals operate and the care that is provided under the current system

Perspectives: A Panel Presentation by Patient Side Counsel, Hospital Counsel and PPAO
- Mental health law through various lenses
- This session includes presentations from panel members followed by a group discussion

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MODULE 2
October 3, 2018
8:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Consent, Capacity and Substitute Decision Making

- Consent to treatment under the Health Care Consent Act
- Patients’ rights to refuse treatment
- Capacity to make decisions (respecting treatment, admission to a care facility, personal assistance services and management of property)
- Overview of the Substitute Decisions Act
- Rules with respect to emergency treatment
- Summary of case law relating to capacity assessments
- The roles and responsibilities of the substitute decision-maker
- Difference between attorneys and guardians under the Substitute Decisions Act
- Explanation of “best interest” under the law
- Rules relating to community treatment orders
- Issues related to property

Mock Consent and Capacity Board (CCB) hearing and panel discussion on the CCB’s process and practice

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MODULE 3
October 10, 2018
8:45am – 4:15pm
Special Issues in the Geriatric and Pediatric Contexts

- Concurrent disorders: addiction and mental health
- Clinical issues in the treatment of elderly patients
- Assessment and management of older people with psychiatric disorders
- Working with older people with primary neurological disorders, including dementia, that have complex psychiatric manifestations
- The role of the Public Guardian and Trustee in investigations and treatment decisions
- Issues in admission to long-term care homes – both the patient advocate and institutional representative perspectives

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• Legal issues arising in the context of dual diagnosis
• Issues in children’s mental health – an overview of clinical concepts

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MODULE 4

October 17, 2018
8:45 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Privacy, Confidentiality and Risk Assessment

• Practical strategies to minimize risk and maintain reliable documentation
• How to respond in a crisis; how to run the “huddle”
• Clinical risk management in mental health care settings
• Legal aspects of search and seizure in mental health settings and intersecting privacy issues

Interactions with the police in the mental health context

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MODULE 5

October 24, 2018
8:45 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
The Forensic System

• Systemic issues linking mental health and the criminal justice system
• Essential components of the defence of “not criminally responsible”
• Forensic mental health and the Criminal Code
• Ontario Review Board hearings
• Challenges and tools for assessing violent and sexual offenders
• Treatment of the mentally disordered accused
• Mental health issues and youth criminal justice
• Legal and ethical issues with respect to mental health in the federal correctional system

Treatment of the Mentally Disordered Accused and Assessment of Risk of Violence

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