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February 24, 2009

1:00 p.m. to 3:50 p.m. (Central)

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- _____ West Fargo City Hall
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- _____ Jamestown (State Hospital LRC 322)
- _____ Minot (MiSU Admin 160)
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**Addiction Dependency
&
Mental Health Issues
in the Legal Profession**



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Approved for 2.75 Ethics Credits (ND)
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This **FREE** Ethics seminar
is proudly presented by the
Lawyer Assistance Program,
a part of our profession's
disciplinary system

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FACULTY

JOAN BIBELHAUSEN is Executive Director of Lawyers Concerned for Lawyers located in St. Paul, MN. Joan received her J.D. from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1983 and has significant additional training in the areas of counseling, mental health and addiction, diversity, employment issues and management. She has spent more than two decades working with lawyers who are at a crossroads because of mental illness and addiction concerns as well as work/life balance, stress and related issues.

BRENT J. EDISON received his undergraduate degree in Business Administration from North Dakota State University and his Juris Doctorate degree from the University of North Dakota. His professional background includes experience as a law firm partner, Special Assistant Attorney General and state agency head. He currently serves as Assistant Disciplinary Counsel for the Disciplinary Board of the Supreme Court and the Judicial Conduct Commission.

MAUREEN HOLMAN received her undergraduate degree from the University of Nebraska and her Juris Doctorate Degree from UND. In 1983, she joined the Serkland Law Firm in Fargo. She concentrates her practice in the area of family law, and is also a family law mediator. Holman is the current chair of the Lawyer Assistance Program committee.

DICK WERRE is a native North Dakotan and a graduate of the University of Mary. He has provided clinical services, training and management consultation in North Dakota for more than 30 years. Dick is a licensed addiction counselor and social worker who currently provides services through the St. Alexius Employee Assistance Program in Bismarck, North Dakota. He is also an adjunct instructor for the University of Mary and for the North Dakota Law Enforcement Training Academy. Dick is the published author of a book entitled, *"I Love My Work . . . But, I Hate My Job: How to Survive Crisis & the Abuse of Power in the Workplace."*

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Program Highlights

Addiction Dependency & Mental Health Issues in the Legal Profession

- This presentation covers the incidence and prevalence of these conditions in the legal profession, their signs and symptoms, and effective means for treating them. It also describes the relevant case law and ethical rules that serve as a basis for supporting lawyers (and judges) who violate ethical standards of the profession as a result of their impairments. The faculty also describes the services of the North Dakota Lawyer Assistance Program.

Member Assistance Program

- Introduction to Member Assistance Program
- What is the Member Assistance Program?
- Why provide Member Assistance Services?
- Available Services through the Member Assistance Program
- Guidelines for Utilizing the Member Assistance Program
- Questions & Comments regarding the Member Assistance Program

SEMINAR MATERIALS

Materials are available **ONLY** online at www.sband.org, Free Ethics IVN.

You must be in attendance and sign the registration sheet in order to receive CLE Credits.

Important Information

Free Ethics CLE seminars, a member benefit, are popular and seating is limited!!!!

Registration policy: Attendance is mandatory to receive credit unless you purchase the book and CD for self study credit.

All registrations must be received by February 17, 2009. After that date, registrations must be made on site if seating is available. If seating is no longer available, the book and CD can be purchased for \$75 to use as self study credit.

Cancellation policy: Due to limited seating, if you are unable to attend please contact SBAND as soon as possible so that others may attend.

ACCOMODATIONS: If you have a disability and need special accommodations in order to attend this seminar, please contact the SBAND office at least two weeks prior to the seminar.

NEW SITE LOCATIONS

*maps of the site locations are available at

www.ndivn.nodak.edu

Heritage Center

Lecture Rm B
612 E. Boulevard Ave
Bismarck, ND

West Fargo City Hall

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