

Corrections Legal Update Seminar

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Hosted by ELSI Legal LLC and
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Register Early - Hotel block ends March 6th

OVERVIEW

A two-day seminar reviewing many key topics, such as:

- *correctional legal issues
- *transgender issues
- *leadership in local jails
- *managing the mentally ill
- *use of force
- *and much more

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE

Corrections staff, supervisors, administrators, agency heads, and attorneys who advise correctional clients

Participants will gain knowledge they can use immediately

The program will cover recent Supreme Court and notable Circuit Court of Appeal decisions with an emphasis on how they affect a correctional facility. In addition to case law, the program will cover current federal statutory law that may impact facility operations; including the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act, Prison Litigation Reform Act, Americans with Disabilities Act, and Prison Rape Elimination Act. As well as, current trends in 42 USC 1983 litigation.

REGISTRATION FEES

UPDATE:

Discounted registration rate of \$369 available through March 28, 2019.

Printed materials available to all participants in attendance at no cost.

TOTAL SAVINGS - \$60 per person!

TRAINING LOCATION

The Riverside Hotel
2900 Chinden Blvd; Boise, ID; 83714

REGISTRATION INCLUDES:

Continental breakfast and afternoon snack provided on both days of training.

Lunch will be participant responsibility on both days of training.

HOTEL RESERVATION BLOCK:

HOTEL – Block reservation Dec 7, 2018 – March 6, 2019

NOTE: When making reservations at the hotel, please reference: **“2019 Corrections Seminar / ELSI Legal”**

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INSTRUCTORS

Elmer Dickens, JD, President, Member spent two years as a corrections officer at a maximum-security penitentiary where he was assigned to Disciplinary Segregation and the Death Row Unit for one year. He has served as the General Counsel for the Washington County [Oregon] Sheriff's Office for over 15 years. Mr. Dickens also serves as the General Counsel to the Oregon State Sheriff's Association, and is the primary author of the Oregon State Sheriff's Association Jail Standards. He is also a faculty member of Americans for Effective Law Enforcement. Mr. Dickens has experience litigating in both State and Federal courts on a wide variety of law enforcement and corrections issues, and is admitted to practice in all Oregon courts, the US District Court of Oregon, the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals, and the United States Supreme Court.

Tami Dickens, M.A. SPED spent fourteen years at Intel Corp. where she managed 24x7, worldwide organizations in Finance as well as in the New Business Group supporting the latest data center technology. Prior to retiring from Intel, Mrs. Dickens coordinated the end of million-dollar contracts as part of a team managing the shut-down of one of the largest New Business Groups Intel had established at the time. Mrs. Dickens received her M.A. in Special Education in 2012 and focused her teaching in Life Skills, moderate to severe, K-5th grade. She has experience in developing policies and procedures, training material, accounting, and contract management. During her time as a Special Education Teacher, she developed and provided a full-circle of support for her students. Mrs. Dickens has experience and has volunteered her time advocating for those of all ages who are impacted by mental and physical health conditions.

Robert M Gordon, Sheriff (Ret.) Sheriff Gordon joined the Washington County Sheriff's Office in 1979, after serving four years in the United States Marine Corps. Prior to his retirement in late 2011, he held the positions of Jail Deputy, Senior Deputy, Sergeant, Lieutenant, Patrol Commander, Jail Commander, and Chief Deputy Sheriff. For the last ten years of his career, he served as the Sheriff of Washington County. Mr. Gordon has a B.A. degree in Human Resource Management from George Fox University, and held dual executive certificates from DPSST in police and local corrections. He attended Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government and is a graduate of the FBI National Academy. Mr. Gordon remains active in public safety leadership instruction and occasionally assists agencies with leadership team building and cultural change. Until recently, he was employed by an inmate communications provider, serving as their National Director of Account Management.

Kenny Montoya, Esq spent five years as the City of Salem's litigation attorney; three years as the attorney for City County Insurance Services; and four years as Marion Counties Senior Assistant Legal Counsel. Mr. Montoya joined the Law Office of Gerald L. Warren and Associates in 2018. Kenny has also served on the Task Force for the Oregon Association of Chiefs of Police and the Oregon State Sheriff's Association where he assisted in the development of a statewide policy framework for law enforcement leaders to use in creating policy and response decisions involving encounters with persons suffering a mental health or behavioral crisis. Mr. Montoya has experience teaching multi-agency trainings on mental health response protocol considerations as well as use of force training for patrol and custodial facilities. He was a police officer reserve and was in the United States Marine Corps Reserve. Mr. Montoya has experience litigating in state and federal trial courts as well as, the Court of Appeals and Ninth Circuit Court. He was a commissioner on the Oregon Government Ethics Commission and serviced as its Chairman in 2015.

If you have any questions regarding this seminar or need assistance with registration, please contact Tami Dickens 503-550-2125 or email info@elsilegal.com.