Mental Health America of Illinois
- Presents -

Outpatient Commitment for Persons with Mental Illnesses

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Adler University, Community Room
17 N Dearborn, Chicago
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$30 Registration

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About the Program
This program will discuss the history of outpatient commitment in Illinois and elsewhere, the arguments for and against outpatient commitment, and whether and how it can improve mental health services in Illinois. Recently, Illinois received a federal grant to increase the use of outpatient commitment in Cook County. The cost for this workshop is $30.00. Two CEUs are available for Social Workers

About Mental Health America of Illinois (MHAi)
For more than 100 years, Mental Health America of Illinois (MHAi) has been the leading non-profit, non-governmental, statewide organization in Illinois concerned with the entire spectrum of mental and emotional disorders. MHAi is dedicated to promoting mental health, working for the prevention of mental illness and improving care and treatment for persons suffering from mental and emotional disorders. MHAi is an affiliate of the national nonprofit, Mental Health America.

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