



## **Legal Aspects of Healthcare Administration Course**

### **Course Description**

A comprehensive analysis of the more significant legal issues encountered by health care administrators and the ramifications of those issues. Both theoretical and practical applications of law are addressed with an analytical focus on the prompt identification of legal and bioethical issues arising from and affecting various health care employment settings.

### **Goals and Objectives**

**By the end of this course, participants will have examined:**

The principles of health care law in a complex constitutional system in relation to:

- Privacy
- Contracts
- Tort reform
- Regulation of the health care marketplace
  - Legal and regulatory constraints
  - Liability of health care providers
  - Rights of patients
  - Employment law and labor relations
  - Administrative law for health care organizations

### **Classroom sessions will include presentations and workshops on:**

Introduction to Healthcare Law

Corporate Structure and Legal Issues

Tort Law

Employee Discipline and Discharge

Contracts and Antitrust

Medical Staff

Nursing and the Law

Information Management

Patient Consent

Legal Reporting Requirements

Patient Rights and Responsibilities

Healthcare Ethics

End-of-Life Issues