What to Expect as an Expert Witness

An APHL Training Webinar
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Registration Deadline: May 3, 2015

DESCRIPTION
On June 23, 2011 the US Supreme Court ruled that a defendant has the right to question the scientist who completed the laboratory testing that yielded the result being admitted into evidence, not the supervisor or another expert. If you were called to testify, how would you defend your results?

This program webinar will cover all the basics of serving as an expert witness, including
- a general overview on the role of an expert witness;
- how to effectively communicate with lawyers, juries, and judges;
- expert’s report; and
- a quick sketch of the litigation process and where experts fit in (and how they qualify).

OBJECTIVES
At the conclusion of the program, the participant will be able to:
- Discuss the role and obligations of experts in the litigation process.
- Express tips and strategies on how to best communicate as an expert.

FACULTY
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AUDIENCE
This basic-intermediate-level program is appropriate for laboratory professionals working in clinical, public health, forensic, environmental and academic settings.

CONTINUING EDUCATION
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REGISTRATION  Register Now!
- Registration fee: $115 is per site for one connection to the live program with unlimited attendance (and CEUs) for everyone AND unlimited access (and CEUs) to the archive program for 6 months
- Site facilitator must register online at www.aphl.org/courses/pages/588-913-15.aspx. Having difficulty with the online registration process? Please email registrar@aphl.org or call 240.485.2727 from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM ET.
- After your facility’s registration is confirmed, the site facilitator will receive all necessary instructions and paperwork via email.
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