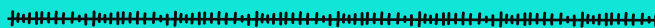


WVSPA VIRTUAL FALL CONFERENCE



WEBINAR #1 • OCTOBER 16, 2020 • 1 PM - 4 PM (3 CPD Credits)

The Legal and Ethical Implications of HIPAA & FERPA

Presenter: John B. Comegno, II, Attorney at Law

THIS SESSION COUNTS FOR ETHICS

School psychologists daily face novel questions regarding FERPA and HIPAA's application to education records and student confidentiality. Is there a difference between FERPA and HIPAA in school? Is all information collected during evaluations and IEP implementation protected from disclosure by federal law? Do these laws apply equally? How does dual-licensure affect application? Remote service delivery and data collection during the COVID-19 school closures raised new questions – are there additional consent requirements? How do school psychologists stay safe during synchronous and asynchronous remote instruction and service delivery? This informative and entertaining session, delivered by nationally-known attorney and speaker John Comegno, Esq., will answer these questions and more.

Learning objectives include:

1. Understand whether FERPA or HIPAA both apply in school, and learn important differences between the laws.
2. Recognize confidentiality implications in tele-therapy, involving both synchronous and asynchronous individual and/or group related services.
3. Navigate consent rules under federal laws.
4. Apply best-practice "confidentiality" issues while supporting student mental health.

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