

# MONTEREY COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION

Presents

## “LEGAL MENTAL CAPACITY: A PSYCHIATRIST’S PERSPECTIVE”



**FOCUS AREAS:** A medical perspective on: The domains of mental function in the Due Process in Competence Determinations Act (DPCDA) as found in Probate Code 810-813; Psychiatric conditions such as dementia that can affect capacity; and, clues attorneys can look for regarding lack of capacity, susceptibility to undue influence, and the need for probate conservatorship.

**SPEAKER:** Patrick Fitzsimmons, M.D., author of *Dementia and Decision-Making Capacity in Older Adults*; co-author of *Capacity and Undue Influence: Assessing, Challenging, and Defending in California*.

Thursday, June 17, 2010  
**Brown Bag** – 12:00 – 1:00 pm  
Monterey Courthouse

ONE UNIT CLE GENERAL

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