



*LONG ISLAND ASSOCIATION OF
SPECIAL EDUCATION ADMINISTRATORS*

20th Annual Members Only Conference

Same Winter Conference different date

Wednesday, October 31st - Friday, November 2, 2018

Distinguished Speakers:



Perry A. Zirkel, Ph.D., J.D., LL.M

Special Education Law:

The Latest Under Section 504/ADA and the IDEA

Debbie Caputo, M.S. Ed.

Health & Safety Connection

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**Gurney's Montauk Convention Center
290 Old Montauk Hwy, Montauk, NY**

Workshop Sessions:

1. **How to Coordinate Provision of Related Services**
2. **Advocacy**
3. **Pre-K CPSE Issues Update Procedures and Guidelines**
4. **Life Skills**
5. **New Administrators**

THURSDAY

**Perry A. Zirkel, Ph.D., J.D., LL.M.**

Perry A. Zirkel is university professor emeritus of education and law at Lehigh University, where he formerly was dean of the College of Education, subsequently held the Iacocca Chair in Education for its five-year term, and continues to co-direct the Lehigh Special Education Law Symposium. He has a Ph.D. in Educational Administration and a J.D. from the University of Connecticut, and a Master of Laws degree from Yale University. He has done presentations in every state in the U.S. He has written more than 1,500 publications on various aspects of school law, with an emphasis on legal issues in special education. He writes a regular column for NAESP's *Principal* magazine and NASP's *Communiqué* newsletter, and he did so previously for *Phi Delta Kappan* and *Teaching Exceptional Children*. Past president of the Education Law Association and co-chair of the Pennsylvania special education

appeals panel from 1990 to 2007, he is the author of the CEC monograph *The Legal Meaning of Specific Learning Disability*; the more recently published books, *A Digest of Supreme Court Decisions Affecting Education and Student Teaching and the Law*; and the two-volume reference *Section 504, the ADA and the Schools*, now in its fourth edition. In 2012, he received the Research into Practice Award from the American Educational Research Association (AERA) and the Excellence in Research Award from AERA's Division A (Administration, Organization & Leadership). In 2013, he received the University Council for Educational Administration's Edwin Bridges award for significant contributions to the preparation and development of school leaders. In 2016, he received the Education Law Association's Steven S. Goldberg Award for Distinguished Scholarship in Education Law, and in 2017 he received the Council for Exceptional Children's Special Education Research Award.

Friday

Debbie Caputo, M.S. Ed., Health & Safety Connection

Debra Caputo, M.S.Ed., is a Mental Health and Education Consultant, Health and Safety Advisor, and Training Specialist. Debra has a passion for working with youth and adults, designing programs to increase Mental Health literacy, to reduce stigma, and to enhance skills to save lives. She coordinates leadership trainings in the arenas of Mental Health, Suicide Prevention/Intervention/Postvention, CPR/First Aid, and other Health Education topics. As a certified health education teacher who has taught at all levels; she is a consulting specialist and trainer who has provided customized workshops and presentations at all levels to students, parents, school personnel, administrators, and mental health professionals within the schools and communities throughout the Northeast Region. Debra's dedication within the mental health field has allowed her to provide trainings as a National Council for Behavioral Health Mental Health First Aid Instructor, LivingWorks ASIST and safeTALK Instructor, Signs of Suicide Trainer, Lifeline Trilogy, Creating Suicide Safety in Schools, Train the Trainer for AFSP programs, and other evidence-based trainings. Debra serves as a National Suicide Prevention Lifeline counselor and mentor at the Long Island Crisis Center. She is also an Outreach Educator with Response Crisis Center and has served as the Project Coordinator for the SAMHSA Project AWARE-LEA grant for both Putnam/Northern Westchester BOCES and Western Suffolk BOCES. She is an NCAA Division II East Coast Conference trainer, a Board Member of the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, and a trainer for the Society for the Prevention of Teen Suicide. Debra guides a rapidly expanding network of forward-thinking school districts, universities and colleges, community organizations, and businesses with programming focusing on social-emotional learning, mental health education, curriculum mapping, and overall safety. Mental Health issues have been on the rise and districts have had to increase resources in order to provide for our students' needs.

This workshop will review what you need to know, how you can meet mandates, and what resources are available.

- An overview of the NY Mental Health Report's Requirements and Recommendations
- The required curriculum framework which includes signs & symptoms of mental health conditions and reduction of the stigma of mental illness
- Build capacity and strengthen relationships between educators and pupil personnel services (school psychologist, social worker, school counselor, nurse)
- Develop school, community and mental health partnerships
- Strategies to engage families and students in supporting mental health and well-being

LIASEA – Agenda

Wednesday, October 31, 2018

- 2:00 PM Check-In Rooms
- 4:30 PM Registration/Scholarship Raffle Tickets/Vendors
- 5:30 PM Workshop Sessions
- New Administrators
 - How to Coordinate Provision of Related Services
 - Pre-K CPSE Issues Update Procedures and Guidelines
 - Advocacy
 - Life Skills
- 7:00 PM Membership Dinner and Evening Event

Thursday, November 1, 2018

- 7:00 AM Breakfast & Vendors
- 8:30 AM Registration/Scholarship Raffle Tickets/Welcome
- 8:45 AM **Introduction**
- 9:00 AM **Speaker: Perry A. Zirkel, Ph.D., J.D., LL.M.**
- Current Section 504 Student Issues
 - Two-Year National Case Law Update
 - Bonus Handout of NY and Second Circuit Decisions for the past 20 years
- 10:30 AM Short Break
- 10:45 AM **Speaker: Perry A. Zirkel, Ph.D., J.D., LL.M. (continued)**
- 12:00 PM LUNCH
- 1:00 PM **Speaker: Perry A. Zirkel, Ph.D., J.D., LL.M. (continued)**
- 3:30 PM Closing
- 6:30 PM President's Networking Reception
- 7:30 PM Business Meeting and Dinner

Friday, November 2, 2018

- 7:00 AM Breakfast & Vendors
- 8:30 AM Welcome and Introduction
- 8:45 AM **Speaker: Debbie Caputo, M.S. Ed., Health & Safety Connection.**
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- 11:00 AM Wrap Up and Members Meeting - Frank Caliguiri, LIASEA President

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RESERVE ROOM EARLY SEND PO# OR CHECK LATER

REGISTRATION ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVE BASIS

We must have a check or Purchase Order by October 1st for us to continue to hold your rooms!
checks payable to LIASEA or fax/email purchase orders.

REGISTER NOW ONLINE AT www.liasea.org

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***Cancellation policy: Cancellations will be accepted for full refund with a 72 hour notice in writing only for conference only. PLEASE NOTE: Cancellations will NOT be accepted for refund for room reservations after September 28, 2018. You are responsible for the cost of your room reservation.**

Name: _____ Title: _____

School District/Agency: _____ Business phone: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail: _____ Alternate E-Mail: _____

Emergency Contact Phone: (in case of inclement weather) Cell phone: _____ Home phone: _____

Select One Option:

◇ **Wednesday/Thursday/Friday Hotel Accommodations and Conference**
Includes Lodging Wednesday/Thursday nights Networking Activities and all meals Wed/Thurs/Friday
◇ **Double Occupancy - \$510 pp - Name of Attendee Roommate** _____
◇ **Single Occupancy - \$760 pp**

◇ **Wednesday/Thursday Hotel Accommodations and Conference**
Includes Lodging Wednesday night, Networking Activities and Dinner, Thursday Breakfast and Lunch
◇ **Double Occupancy - \$420 pp - Name of Attendee Roommate** _____
◇ **Single Occupancy - \$670 pp**

◇ **Thursday/Friday Hotel Accommodations and Conference**
Includes Lodging Thursday night, Networking Activities and Thursday Lunch and Dinner/Friday Breakfast
◇ **Double Occupancy - \$420 pp - Name of Attendee Roommate** _____
◇ **Single Occupancy - \$670 pp**

◇ **Wednesday/Thursday/Friday Conference Only Commuter Special Day Rate - \$330 pp**
Includes all meals and Networking Activities

◇ **Thursday/Friday Conference Only Commuter Special Day Rate - \$290 pp**
Includes Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner Thursday and Breakfast Friday, and Networking Activities

◇ **Thursday Conference only Commuter Special Day Rate - \$175 pp**
Includes Breakfast and Lunch Thursday only

◇ **Friday Conference Only Commuter Special Day Rate - \$65 pp**
Includes Breakfast Friday and Networking Activities