

**NORTH MISSISSIPPI RURAL  
LEGAL SERVICES  
2019 ELDER LAW  
CONFERENCE**

Oxford Conference Center  
August 9, 2019

**AGENDA**

- 8:30-8:50 CONFERENCE REGISTRATION**
- 8:50-9:00 WELCOME TO THE CONFERENCE**  
Ben Thomas Cole II, J.D., Executive Director, NMRLS  
Al Cutturini, J.D., Elder Law Project Director, NMRLS
- 9:00-10:00 VETERANS LAW FOR OLDER ADULTS**  
Colonel (Ret.) James F. Garrett, J.D., Eastland & Garrett Law Firm, PLLC, Oxford, MS
- 10:00-10:10 BREAK**
- 10:10-11:10 INNOVATIVE APPROACHES TO GUARDIANSHIP AND CONSERVATORSHIP**  
Honorable Lawrence Primeaux, Chancery Judge, 12<sup>th</sup> Chancery Court District
- 11:10-12:10 FILING A COMPLAINT THROUGH ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES**  
Bridgette Williams, J.D., State of Mississippi, Office of the Attorney General, Jackson, MS
- 12:10-12:40 LUNCH AND LEARN: MISSISSIPPI DIVISION OF MEDICAID ESTATE RECOVERY PROGRAM**  
Thea Gates, Mississippi Division of Medicaid Program Coordinator Senior, Jackson, MS
- 12:40-1:10 LUNCH AND LEARN: CYBER CRIME UNIT**  
State of Mississippi, Office of the Attorney General, Jackson, MS
- 1:10-2:10 DIG IN YOUR HEELS: DEFENDING NURSING HOME EVICTIONS**  
Eric M. Carlson, J.D., Directing Attorney, Justice in Aging, Los Angeles, CA
- 2:10-3:10 MEDICAID POLICIES AND PITFALLS: PROTECTING HEATH AND ASSETS**  
Richard A. Courtney, CELA, Frascogna Courtney, PLLC, Jackson, MS
- 3:10-3:20 BREAK**
- 3:20-4:20 ETHICAL ISSUES SURROUNDING IDENTIFYING A SURROGATE AND ADDRESSING CONFLICT**  
Lindsey Hinton, M.D., Palliative Care Physician, North Mississippi Medical Care Center Cancer Care