

## REVISITING THE IALCP STANDARDS OF PRACTICE

Objective: Attendees will be able to explain the origins of the IALCP Standards of Practice along with critical elements contained in the Standards. Attendees will also be able to explain the relationship between the IALCP Standards of Practice and the mechanics of building a defensible life care plan. Attendees will be able to analyze the content of a life care plan in light of the IALCP Standards of Practice

- I. Historical Context
  - A. Seminal events leading to development of the first Standards
  - B. Collaborating for release of the first IALCP Standards of Practice
  - C. Key Supreme Court decisions and their impact upon the Standards
- II. Characteristics of the IALCP Standards of Practice
  - A. The need for standards of practice in various contexts
  - B. The “trip-wire” effect
  - C. C. Standards from other life care planning groups
- III. Pivotal Elements of the IALCP Standards of Practice
  - A. Maintaining objectivity as author of the life care plan
  - B. The function of collaboration
  - C. Research and its place within the IALCP Standards of Practice
- IV. Applications for Your Life Care Planning Practice
  - A. How life care plans are scrutinized
  - B. Aligning your practice with the IALCP Standards of Practice
  - C. Being prepared for litigation-driven developments