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What Hospitals Need to Know About Immigration and Worksite Enforcement

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DATE AND TIME

July 13, 2010

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OVERVIEW

The U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement (ICE) means business. The latest announcement of 1,000 new I-9 audits places all employers on notice of the need to be in compliance or face possible civil and criminal consequences. This program will provide attendees with the tools to audit their I-9 practices before ICE arrives at the hospital.

TARGET AUDIENCE

CEOs, COOs and HR directors/managers.

OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this program, attendees will:

1. Understand the new ICE enforcement focus on employers.
2. Learn what their risks are with civil and criminal penalties.
3. Learn how to prepare for an ICE audit.
4. Learn what the best practices they should implement for their hospital and how to implement them.

FACULTY

Victor X. Cerda

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Victor X. Cerda is a nationally recognized leader in representing the employer community on complex immigration enforcement issues. He focuses his practice exclusively on advising, counseling, and litigating on behalf of corporations, individuals, and overseas clients on immigration and visa processes. His areas of focus include employer worksite enforcement, I-9 compliance audits,

immigrant and non-immigrant visas, entertainment visas and immigration court removal proceedings.

Mr. Cerda has represented and counseled foreign governments, current and former heads of state, Fortune 500 companies, executives and business owners; members of the motion picture, recording and professional sports industries; and individuals facing complex immigration matters.

Mr. Cerda has successfully counseled companies in navigating through ICE I-9 audits and worksite investigations, defended individuals in removal proceedings, and addressed security issues in the visa process. In addition, Mr. Cerda frequently provides expert commentary on immigration and homeland security issues for national media, including FOX, CNN, *The New York Times*, and *The Washington Post*.

In 2004, he became the Acting General Counsel for ICE, managing 600 attorneys nationwide and formulating ICE legal positions on removal cases, worksite enforcement and national immigration issues. He concluded his government career as the Acting Director of Detention and Removal Operations (DRO) where he managed DHS' detention and removal operations and managed more than over 4,000 employees, including more than 2,500 sworn federal law enforcement officers. As DRO Director, he reorganized DRO's headquarters and field offices, expanded ICE's fugitive operations mission, deported a then record number of individuals, implemented a national Alternatives to Detention Program, and began implementing the Criminal Alien Program.

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