



Kent Akron Association of School Psychologists

The Kent Akron Association of School Psychologists (KAASP) is one of the regional affiliates of the Ohio School Psychologists Association. KAASP is committed to promoting the professional growth of school psychologists by sharing ideas, methods, and current research and practices in the area of school psychology and other related fields.

TOPIC: **Legal Update for School Psychologists**

The presentation will contain information regarding new and interesting case law in the special education arena, Section 504 and the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act, compliant ETRs and IEPs, FERPA changes, hot topics (ever-changing and unknown as of this moment). The objective of this presentation is for the audience to come away with a better understanding of common legal (and otherwise) pitfalls educators run into when dealing with students with disabilities and how to avoid them. Coming out of this presentation participants should have a basic understanding of what is and is not required by Section 504 and the ADA and IDEA.

WHO: **Susan McGown, Special Education Practice Coordinating Director of McGown & Markling Co.**

As General Counsel for the Ohio Educational Service Center Association, Ms. McGown provides special education law consultation to a wide array of educational service centers and school districts through the [School Law HotlineSM](#) and other legal services. Ms. McGown has served as a school psychologist and coordinator of special education for various Ohio school districts, and as an adjunct faculty member for the University of Akron School of Law. Ms. McGown is a frequent presenter on special education law throughout the State of Ohio. Ms. McGown has been selected by her legal peers as one of *The Best Lawyers in America*[®] in the specialty of Education Law.

WHEN: **Friday, February 3, 2012**
LUNCH from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.
PRESENTATION from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 pm

COST: **\$15 for Members to attend the Lunch & Presentation**
\$5 for Members to attend the Presentation only
\$25 for Guests/Nonmembers to attend the Lunch & Presentation
\$15 for Guests/Nonmembers to attend the Presentation only

WHERE: **American Red Cross Building-First Energy Room-East, 501 West Market St., Akron, OH, 44303**
501 West Market St.
Akron, OH 44303
Directions: <http://www.summitcounty.redcross.org/show.aspx?mi=4582>

Please send your check, payable to KAASP, along with your form to KAASP Secretary, Heather Doyle. Deadline for the reservation is **Friday, January 27th**. If you discover that you are able to attend, but don't have time to mail your reservation, EMAIL Heather Doyle at hdoyle@kent.edu by January 27th. No refunds will be given after January 27th.

FEBRUARY 2012 MEETING REGISTRATION FORM – LEGAL UPDATE

Registrant: _____

School District: _____

Contact Email: _____

Contact Phone: _____

LUNCH and PRESENTATION:

Number of Members at \$15.00 each _____
Number of Guests at \$25.00 each _____
Check to request a vegetarian lunch option _____

PRESENTATION ONLY:

Number of Members at \$5.00 each _____
Number of Guests at \$15.00 each _____

MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION:

_____ I am already a paid member of KAASP for the 2011-2012 school year.
_____ I am enclosing my KAASP membership dues for the 2011-2012 school year.
Full (\$20.00) _____ Associate (\$10.00) _____ Student/Intern (\$5.00)

_____ I am attending as a guest.

Return Registration Forms and Payments to:

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