



Evelyn Frank Legal Resources Program

**THE NEW FORM M11q in the MEDICAID PERSONAL CARE  
(a/k/a Home Attendant) PROGRAM IN  
NEW YORK CITY**

**DATE:** Thursday, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010 9:30 AM – 12:15 PM (registration 9:00 – 9:30)

**LOCATION:** Selfhelp Community Services, Inc., 520 Eighth Ave, 5<sup>th</sup> fl., NY NY 10018  
(Between 36<sup>th</sup> – 37<sup>th</sup> Street, near A, E and C trains)

*Participation also possible remotely online through “GoToMeeting.” This is not a webcast. Participants call in by telephone to hear audio, and log-in online to see written materials projected online, and will receive complete written materials in advance.*

**CLE credit:** This course has been accredited as a New York CLE program:

**Areas of Professional Practice:** 3 CLE credit hours

The course is appropriate for both newly admitted and experienced attorneys, except that *CLE credit for remote online participation is only available for attorneys admitted 2+ years, upon filing requisite certificate of attendance on form provided, subject to approval of accreditation. New attorneys may receive CLE credit only for live in-person attendance.*

**TRAINERS:** Valerie Bogart, Esq., Director, Selfhelp Evelyn Frank Legal Resources Program  
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This is not an April Fools’ joke! The NYC Medicaid program announced that a revised M11q will go into effect on April 1, 2010, posted at <http://www.nyc.gov/html/hra/downloads/pdf/M11q.pdf>. Before that date, the old form is still acceptable, posted at <http://wnylc.com/health/afile/34/30/>. A comparison of the two versions shows that the new form eliminates important sections that formerly asked the treating physician to indicate the client’s need for assistance with key activities such as toileting, ambulation, and transfer. HRA eliminated the section on elimination(!) which asked whether the client is continent, and also deleted questions about mental status. This training will:

- Suggest strategies to work with physicians to describe the client’s need for personal care assistance using the new form, including standards for assessment in *Mayer* and *Rodriguez* cases (see <http://wnylc.com/health/entry/7/>)
- Explain the legal regulatory framework for the M11q form in the personal care assessment process
- Explain the context of this change in light of the fiscal crisis – pressure to cut costs in the Medicaid home care programs, with an update on the status of proposals to cut personal care services in the 2010-11 New York State budget

**Registration Form**  
**Selfhelp Evelyn Frank Legal Resources Program**  
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**April 1, 2010**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  Attorney  Student  Other non-attorney

Organization/Firm \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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I will attend  In-person  Remotely online through GoToMeeting

NOTE: NO CLE credit available for GoToMeeting unless admitted 2+ years

<b>Tuition</b>			
	Non Profit/ Students	Private Law Firms/Geriatric Care Managers	Students
Fee for each Part (in-person)	\$ 50	\$100	\$50
Remote GoToMeeting – 10% deducted from fees listed above			

A \$25 fee will be added to registrations received less than 2 business days before the program.

My check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed, payable to Selfhelp Community Services, Inc.

Credit card (Master Card/Visa only) \_\_\_\_\_ Acct. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ Amount to charge \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Hardship Policy:** Financial scholarships, which may reduce or waive tuition, may be requested by those indicating unemployment or other financial hardship. *Financial Scholarship Application* that includes criteria for review is available upon request, which must be submitted to this office two weeks before the seminar date. This policy is intended to make our programs accessible to those facing financial hardship.

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