Syllabus for Heath Law Seminar - Summer 2013 - Subject to Change

Topics for Classes 1-3

Defining health, health care, and illness, public health, practice of medicine, licensure and discipline, ancillary providers, alternative medicine, quality and regulation, accreditation

Pages 3 Katskee, 28 Berry, 99 Jacobson, 117 Williams, 120 Hoover, 132 McDonagh, 141 Ruebke, 161 Mauceri,

Topics for Classes 4-6

Patients, entitlement to health care, informed consent, malpractice, liability, standards of care, reimbursement versus professional obligation, patient behavior

Pages 195 Esquivel, 209 Millard, 212 Mills, 219 Tunkl, 327 Hall, 342 Hinlicky, 438 Grimm, 441 Scott, 445 Burless, 462 Muse

Topics for Classes 7-8

Payment and Reimbursement Programs, Medicare and Medicaid and Beyond

Pages 767-770, 776-785, 813-814, Medicare Program text from Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

Topics for Classes 9-11

Structure of hospitals, medical staff and provider and institutional relationships including governance, responsibility, remuneration, investment, contracting including employment versus independent contractor, peer review and discipline

Pages 852 Sokol, 859 Mateo-Woodburn, 865 Mahan, 945 Berlin, 912 Stern, 929 Manhattan Eye & Ear
Classes 12-13

Enforcement and adjudication, including state oversight and federal oversight, anti-kickback, Stark, false claims, and differences between civil and criminal matters and various liability implications including regarding intent, motive, knowledge, recklessness, preponderance versus beyond a reasonable doubt, and strict liability

Pages 1025 & 1032 Krizek, 1058 Greber, 1063 Starks

Topics for Class 14

Health information technology including HIPAA, HITECH Act, ARRA, GINA 2008, life sciences, and FDA devices including software, mHealth, genetics/genomics, and telemedicine

Outside readings to be assigned