

GEORGIA CHILD SUPPORT GUIDELINES DEVIATION STRATEGIES— CUTTING COSTS WHILE OFFERING MORE FOR YOUR CLIENTS

**Tuesday, March 23, 2010
The Mansour Center, Marietta, GA**

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**3 regular CLE hours for GA
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This seminar on child support deviation strategies has been revamped into a crash course on cutting costs while offering more for your clients.

This morning seminar condenses key issues on making sure you comply with procedures for deviating—including for new appellate opinion on parenting time deviations. Then the focus shifts to how to quickly build analysis and exhibits for your Word documents for court room arguments. The seminar shows you how to quickly become comfortable using the seminar's Excel software for deviation exhibits. Strengthen your arguments and give the judge a place to hang his or her hat.

Can you readily explain what your deviation amounts are based upon?

When your client gives you updated information for the child support worksheet or financial affidavit, can you instantly rework not just the affidavit but your deviation exhibits?

This seminar's software helps you take care of these ongoing recalculation needs and bolsters your courtroom presentations.

Although the seminar has been condensed and revamped into a 3 hour crash course version, the seminar materials are still feature length. The updated seminar tools include a brand new Excel version of the deviation calculator which covers more deviation factors. The new version covers: parenting time, life insurance, other health-related insurance, travel expenses, child care tax credits, and putting child care expenses on a reimbursement basis. Importantly, you can copy and paste all exhibits into Word!

The seminar additionally includes:

- Case law from Georgia on deviating as well as from long-standing Income Shares states.
- A check list for deviating and helping to ensure supporting exhibits are appropriate.

- Easy to use software to simplify creating exhibits to support deviation arguments. The updated seminar has a brand new Excel version of the deviation calculator which covers more deviation factors and is easier to use for copying and pasting exhibit tables than the original Java version. The new version covers: parenting time, life insurance, other health-related insurance, travel expenses, child care tax credits, and putting child care expenses on a reimbursement basis. Importantly, you can copy and paste all exhibits into Word! Minimal Excel experienced needed!
- Additional resource materials, including an Excel version of the required financial affidavit and an Excel parenting time calculator.

What stands out about this seminar is that the strategies are documented—with underlying studies, statutes and case law from Georgia and other states, and apply rational methodologies.

Economist and expert witness R. Mark Rogers shares his experience from working with clients in Georgia and over a dozen other states nationally on strategies for deviating for many common deviation factors. Emphasis is on using the new deviation Excel calculator to simplify creating exhibits and use for Schedule E.

AGENDA

GEORGIA INCOME SHARES CHILD SUPPORT GUIDELINES DEVIATION STRATEGIES

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The seminar includes 3 hours CLE credit, regular CLE hours.

8:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Registration
8:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introductory Comments
9:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Broad Deviation Strategies.• Mandatory Steps for a Deviation Award—A Minimum Checklist for Deviating.• Concepts and Standards for Rebuttal and Deviation.• Rebuttable and Irrebuttable Presumptions.
9:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• An Easy Start to Understanding Schedule E Calculations: Travel Expenses as a Deviation Factor• Using the Excel Deviation Calculator to Determine the Schedule E Deviation Amount
10:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Break. Coffee and tea.
10:40	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parenting Time Adjustments:<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Underlying Facts▪ Economic studies on parenting time▪ Georgia appellate opinion on parenting time deviation requirements.▪ Using the Excel Deviation Calculator to Determine the Schedule E Deviation Amount
11:10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Life Insurance and Other Health-Related Insurance Premiums as Deviations.
11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Child Care on a Reimbursement Basis
11:50	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Highlights of Special Topics:<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Modification Requirements and an Increase in Income for Obligor Does Not Preclude Downward Modification—including Georgia appellate opinion.▪ Allocating Uninsured health care Expenses According to the Underlying Study▪ Agreement by the Parties as a Deviation Factor▪ Deviating Upon the Oldest Child Reaching Majority—including Georgia appellate opinion.▪ Child-Related Tax Benefits as a Deviation Factor—guidance from other states and the IRS.
12:15	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Adjourn

**REGISTRATION FORM:
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Registration: 8:15 a.m. Program: 8:50 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

The March 23, 2010 seminar is being held at the conference facilities of The Mansour Center, 995 Roswell Street, NE, Suite 100, Marietta, GA 30060. One block west of the "big chicken."

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Early registration fee: \$95. \$80 without CLE credit (public & legal assistants). Late registration fee: \$115, \$100 without CLE credit.

Early registration due EOD Friday, March 19, 2010.

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I have enclosed a check for the early registration fee, payable to Rogers Economics, Inc.

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