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SCONL All Regions Virtual Forum

May 2, 2025 | 10 am -11:30 pm

Join us for the first SCONL All Regions virtual forum of 2025. We will have a 2025 Immigration Landscape for Healthcare Entities presentation where we will address the benefit of conducting I-9/E-Verify self-audit, discuss ICE worksite enforcement trends & how to prepare, as well as cover key concepts such as ICE penalties, judicial vs. administrative warrants, subpoena requests, undocumented immigrants & more. We will also have an update from the BON as well as a legislative update from SCHA.

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| 10:00 – 10:10 am | Welcome & Introductions
Tony Derrick, VP & CNO, McLeod Health, SCONL President |
| 10:10 – 10:40 am | 2025 Immigration Landscape for Healthcare Entities:
Best Practices for Preparing for ICE Workplace Raids & Audits
Melissa Azallion Kenny, Partner, Burr & Forman |
| 10:40 – 11:00 am | Board of Nursing Update
Carol Moody, Administrator, SC LLR |
| 11:00 -11:15 pm | SCHA Legislative Update
Lara Hewitt, VP Workforce & Member Engagement, SCHA |
| 11:15 – 11:30 | Open Forum |

Registration & Fees Current Members of SCONL:

This session is open to current paid members of SCONL only at no cost, however you must register to receive the log in.

Registration & Fees Non- Members of SCONL:

If you are not currently a member of SCONL, we invite you to become a member at \$80 per person to participate in this session as well as the September 26th members only forum.

The next in-person conference is the joint meeting with the SC ASHRM+AHQ Society & the SC Healthcare Human Resources Society in Columbia, SC, location to be determined. You will receive a discounted registration fee for this conference by joining this society. [Click here](#)

How to Register:

To register for this or other meetings, visit the [SCHA web calendar of events](#). Select this event, view the agenda, and register online. A registration confirmation will be emailed directly to you once you complete the registration process. **You will receive an email from Kim Wooten, kwooten@scha.org with the webinar login information a couple of days before the event, please do not share the link, as it is for you only.**

Bio's:**Melissa Azallion Kenney, Partner, Burr & Forman:**

Melissa Azallion Kenny is the Chair of the firm's Immigration practice group. She has more than 20 years of experience advising clients on business immigration and labor and employment law issues. Ms. Kenny represents clients in multiple industries including manufacturing, technology, health care, quick service/food service, hospitality, government and education.

Ms. Kenny's immigration experience includes the representation of multinational and domestic corporations, their employees and private individuals in business immigration matters before U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services, the U.S. Department of Labor, and at U.S. Consulates and Embassies throughout the world. Ms. Kenny assists businesses in obtaining and maintaining temporary work visas for professionals and skilled workers. She also has substantial experience assisting U.S. and international companies in sponsoring foreign nationals for green cards including labor certifications, national interest waivers and extraordinary alien petitions, among others. She processes J-1 visa waivers for foreign medical graduates and advises students and exchange visitors on a diverse range of issues. Ms. Kenny defends U.S. employers involved in ICE and state immigration audits and conducts training sessions for clients on immigration matters including I-9 and E-Verify compliance.

Carol Moody, MAS, BSN, RN, NEA-BC, Board Executive, SC Board of Nursing:

Ms. Moody transitioned to her current role with the SC Board of Nursing in 2017 after serving 35+ years as a RN. She has been a member of SCONL since 1996, & is the NLC Commissioner for SC. She currently serves on the NLC Executive Board.