



## **GUARDIANSHIP AND ALTERNATIVES**

**A PRESENTATION BY ATTORNEY MEREDITH H. GREENE,  
SPECIAL NEEDS ATTORNEY AND CHAIR OF THE SPECIAL NEEDS PRACTICE  
GROUP AT FLETCHER TILTON,**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2021**  
**7:00 – 8:30 PM**

For parents and family members of persons with an intellectual or developmental disability, this seminar provides an overview of the legal consequences of reaching the age of emancipation at 18. Discussion will include a description of the range of decision-making options.

We will discuss Guardianship, the powers and duties of a guardian, the procedure of initiating a guardianship, and substituted judgement. We will also cover Supported Decision Making as an alternative to Guardianship, along with basic concepts such as Legal Emancipation, Presumption of Competence, Least Restrictive Alternative, and prioritization of the areas requiring decision-making.



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**Zoom Link will be emailed to registered participants one hour before presentation begins.**

**Meredith H. Greene practices in the firm's Trust & Estate Department and focuses on special needs planning, estate planning, guardianship, conservatorship, adult services advocacy, and government benefits advocacy. Ms. Greene was trained as a parent advocate representing children and families in the area of special education through the Federation for Children with Special Needs. She is a member of multiple organizations on behalf of individuals with special needs.**

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**Please join us for this informative seminar.**

**Parents, caregivers, and professionals are welcome to attend.**

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