

Continuing Professional Development Certificate

The Opoid Crisis

Date: Thursday 14 February 2019

Time: 1.10pm - 1.55pm

Speakers: Shane Sayers, Partner, Kennedys

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In this IIL Accident lecture Shane Sayers and Karishma Paroha provided an update on the development of opioid abuse together with the legal insurance risks and ramifications.

In their presentation, Shane and Karishma started with an introduction and brief history of opioid abuse, including the US, Canada and Europe. The main part of their presentation was a commentary on the developing epidemic including consideration of relevant guidelines, cases and recent articles.

By the end of this lecture, members would have gained an insight into:

- 1) The background to the Opioid Crisis
- 2) A comparison between the status of Opioid Abuse in the USA and Europe
- 3) The latest headline developments and anticipated projections.



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