



**PROBLEM-SOLVING COURTS SYMPOSIUM**

**THE PROS AND CONS OF TREATMENT**

**IN THE**

**CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM**

**Tuesday April 20, 2010 - 6:00 – 9:00 PM**

**New York County Lawyers' Association  
14 Vesey Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Auditorium  
New York, NY 10007-2992**

Panel:

**Justin Barry, New York City Drug Court Coordinator**

**Honorable Marcia Hirsch, Presiding Justice, Queens Treatment Court**

**Marvin Schechter, Co-Chair, NACDL Problem-Solving Courts Task Force**

**Lisa Schreibersdorf, Esq., Executive Director, Brooklyn Defender Services**

**Candice Singer, Policy Analyst, National Council on Alcoholism and Drug Dependence New Jersey**

**Anne Swern, 1<sup>st</sup> Assistant District Attorney, Office of Kings County District Attorney**

**Moderator: Joel M. Schumm, Professor, Indiana University School of Law**

**Co-Sponsored by the National Association of Criminal Defense Lawyers, the Criminal Justice Section of the New York County Lawyers' Association and the New York State Bar Association Criminal Justice Section**

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This symposium will provide an opportunity for interested groups to debate the various functions of problem-solving courts, including access, standards and whether those most in need of treatment are being served. The discussion will focus on how we can effectively find solutions to some of society's health concerns while balancing individual constitutional rights.

Light refreshments provided.

To register, go to: <http://problem-solvingcourts.eventbrite.com>. For more information, please contact Angelyn C. Frazer at [angelyn@nacdl.org](mailto:angelyn@nacdl.org) or Keith Schmidt at [keiths19@gmail.com](mailto:keiths19@gmail.com).