

# The Ethics of Digital Technology and Clinical Supervision

Attendees will earn 7.0 Category I Contact Hours, including 7.0 Category I Contact Hours of Ethics

## **Course Description:**

While implications exist for all practitioners, digital technology has brought heightened risk for clinical social work supervisors. Ethical dilemmas abound, including conflicts of interest and dual relationships, state-to-state disparities of licensure scope, and privacy and confidentiality issues. Effective supervisory oversight is essential for managing the current environment as it is affected by technology proficiency, appropriate use of social media and electronic communication, mandatory duty-to-warn situations, and industry demands for interstate practice and licensure portability. Professional liability for both the supervisor and supervisee is paramount. How does one effectively juggle all these moving parts?

Engage in innovative, interactional, and informative training that blends new knowledge with industry scenarios and application of the latest professional resources, including the 2017 Technology and Social Work Practice (NASW, ASWB, CSWE, CSWA, 2017) and the NASW Code of Ethics. With change the only constant in our industry, can you afford to miss out?

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Identifying current ethical disrupters to conducting clinical social work supervision.
- Discussing ethical implications of liability in engaging digital technology for social work supervision.
- Discuss how professional use of self-impact technology integrates into supervisory practice.
- Identifying and applying the Standards for Technology and Social Work Practice, plus the Code of Ethics; and
- Applying session knowledge to the attendee's individual practice setting.