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LOZANO SMITH ATTORNEY QUOTED IN MARCH 2011 ISSUE OF LRP PUBLICATIONS

Dan Osher, Shareholder in Lozano Smith's Monterey Office, was quoted in the March 24, 2011 issue of the LRP Publication *SpecialEdConnection*[®] in an article entitled, "Reassess District Procedures for Serving Students with Medical Conditions".

The article discussed issues related to individualized health plans for students with diabetes and the importance of personalizing health related practices.

The article's key points were:

- Don't simply rename student's health plan as Section 504 plan
- Disregard current health services when determining eligibility
- Make sure nurses understand child find, district 504 procedures

Dan Osher was quoted in the article stating that "'The ADA Amendments Act says you cannot take into account mitigating measures' when determining Section 504 eligibility." Osher continued to say that working with school nurses was important to help them "understand the kinds of factors that may put the district on notice of a possible disability..."

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