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**Rule 31 Continuing Mediation Education
Accreditation Request Form**

Provider Name: __Tennessee Valley Mediation Association

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Course Title:Reflections

Date(s) Held:February 21, 2012, 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m

Location(s):2117 Middlebrook Pike, Knoxville, TN (next to Banks & Jones Law Office)

Fee for Members/Non-Members: _\$5.00—members; \$20.00---non-members

Does this course have CLE Commission Approval? _Application pending

Session Description	Type of Credit Requested	Start Time	End Time	Credit Approval (Office Use Only)
Linda G. Welch, J.D., B.S., R.N., Rule 31 trained Mediator and former Administrative Law Judge for the Tennessee Department of Education will present various perspectives and points of view on Mediation in Special Education, employment, Medical Malpractice, and Family disputes. Ms. Welch served as a nurse for many years after earning her R.N. degree from East Tennessee Baptist Hospital of Nursing, after which she attended University of Tennessee School of Law, where she graduated in 1981. She has had a distinguished and varied career in law as an attorney, Administrative Law	General, Ethics	6:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	1.0 Hour General Mediation Issues

<p>Judge and Rule 31 mediator. She has successfully handled cases ranging from medical malpractice through employment discrimination, and has represented both children and teachers in education cases. She has conducted hearings in cases involving disabled students and has also served as a family attorney in divorce and juvenile court. She will reflect on the role and usefulness of mediation in various types of disputes and discuss the future of mediation in general.</p>				
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Total Approved CME: 1.0 Hour
Date Approved: February 9, 2012