

Focus on *Access to Justice*

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Register Online for Dec. 16 Disability Law CLE Miniseries

The Disability Law Miniseries, sponsored by the Louisiana State Bar Association's Legal Services for Persons with Disabilities Committee (LSPD), will be offered both in-person and virtually this year on Friday, Dec. 16. After a two-year hiatus, the LSPD Committee is bringing its CLE training back to all Bar members for free. In-person attendance is at capacity; virtual participation available. Registration deadline is Friday, Dec. 2.

This CLE event will include a general overview of federal and state laws and protections for persons with disabilities and will provide attorneys with a better understanding about the complexities of disability law and how it can affect one's everyday legal practice. While the need to navigate disability-related issues may be infrequent for some attorneys, understanding how to ensure meaningful and accessible representation for one's clients helps the legal community meet its duties to serve the public and serve the profession.

To review sessions and speakers and to register, go to: www.lsba.org/goto/disabilitylawcle.

LA.FreeLegalAnswers.org Virtual Clinics Conducted

The Louisiana State Bar Association's Access to Justice Department hosted virtual LA.FreeLegalAnswers.org clinics on Sept. 9 and Sept. 30. LA.FreeLegalAnswers.org is an online pro bono program allowing low-income Louisianans to ask civil legal questions on the site. These questions are then answered by attorney volunteers.

Virtual clinics pair attorneys and law students in Zoom breakout rooms, allowing the pairs to answer questions submitted to the site. Questions to the site cover a variety of civil legal issues, including divorce, child custody, evictions, employment issues, bankruptcy and disaster-related legal issues.

Anyone interested in volunteering or participating in an upcoming clinic should email Rachael Mills, rachael.mills@lsba.org.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

LA.FreeLegalAnswers.org



A FREE ONLINE FORUM FOR CIVIL LEGAL QUESTIONS

LA.FreeLegalAnswers.org allows volunteers to:

- Log in whenever/wherever
- Choose the question you answer and respond anonymously
- Receive training and access to resources
- Be covered by malpractice insurance

For more information or to volunteer, contact Rachael Mills, ATJ Projects Counsel, by emailing rachael.mills@lsba.org or calling 504.619.0104.

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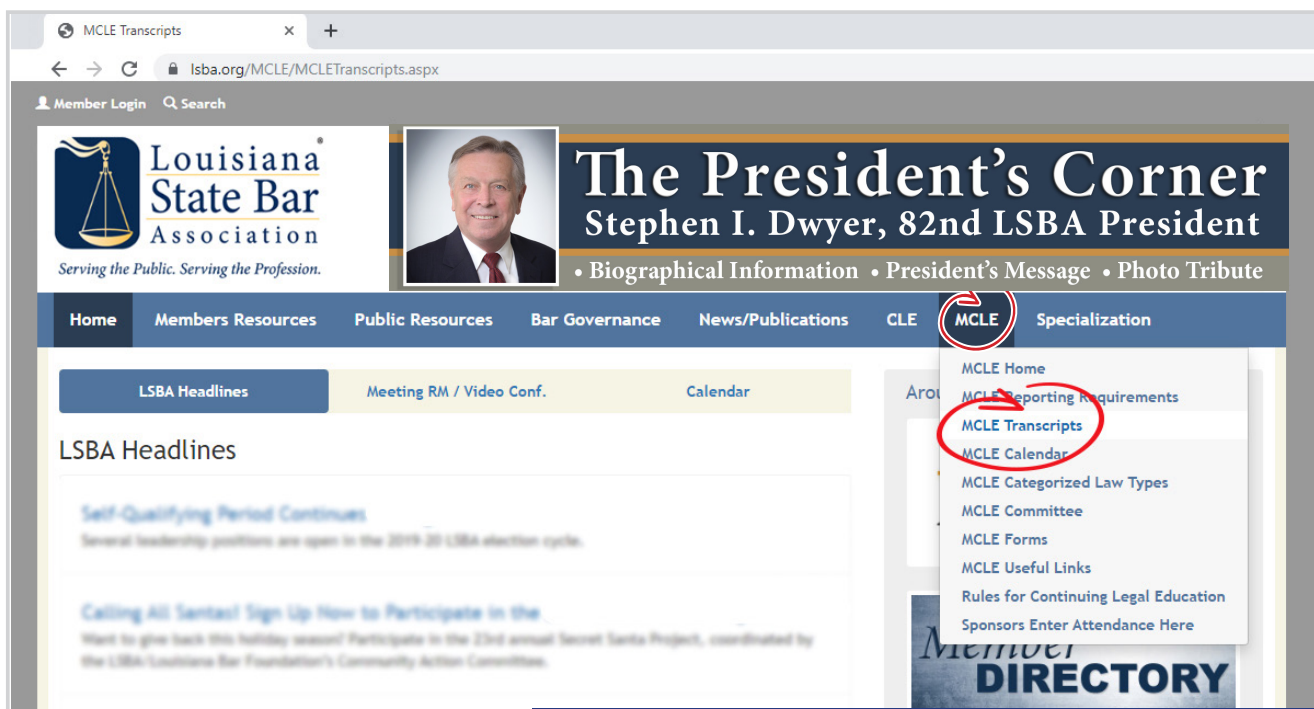


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HELPFUL INFORMATION

- Members must earn 12.5 hours of CLE credit per calendar year (including 1 hour of ethics and 1 hour of professionalism).
- All credit hours must be completed by December 31, 2022.
- Newly admitted attorneys, see Rules for Continuing Legal Education 3(b).
- The LASC has lifted the online credit hour limit from 4 to 6 for the 2022 compliance period, read more at www.lsba.org/mcle.
- Carry over credits from 2021 into 2022 will count towards the in-person requirement for this compliance period. All 2022 CLE hours must be reported by January 31, 2023.
- If you need CLE hours, visit a list of approved courses: www.lsba.org/MCLE/MCLECalendar.aspx