



**LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE  
2011 ENROLLMENT FORM**

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Please check any 3 major categories of law in bold, and any/all of their respective subcategories in which you now concentrate your practice for which you are willing to accept referrals. Also, if you wish to participate in our modest means program, please check MMP box. Checking the MMP box does not count towards your 3 categories. (See reverse for explanation). The enrollment fee through November 30, 2011 is \$125 if admitted to practice law in NYS prior to 2009 and \$100 for new admittees. (For non MCBA members the fee is \$250). Up to 2 additional major areas and their subcategories can be selected for \$15 each. The Mental Hygiene, Veterans Administration, Military Law and Pro Bono Cases Areas can be checked at no additional charge, and does not count towards your 3 categories. Enrollment is up until January 1, 2012.

**AREAS OF PRACTICE**

**Bankruptcy**  **MMP**

- Debtor
- Creditor

**Business Law**  **MMP**

- Administrative Law
- Contract Disputes
- General
- Non-Profit

**Civil Litigation**  **MMP**

- Appeals
- Auto/Life Insurance
- General
- Health Insurance
- Small Claims

**Civil Rts & Liberties**  **MMP**

- ADA
- Defam/Libel/Slander
- Discrimination
- HIPAA
- Prisoner's Rights

**Collections**  **MMP**

- Debtor
- Creditor
- Identity Fraud

**Consumer Affairs**  **MMP**

- Contracts
- Warranties
- Lemon Law

**Criminal Law**  **MMP**

- Appeals
- DWI/DUI
- Felony
- Misdemeanor
- Prisoner Issues
- Traffic Violations

**Educational Law**  **MMP**

**Elder Law**  **MMP**

**Employment Law**  **MMP**

- Licensure Boards
- Disability Retirement
- Discrimination
- Employee Relations
- Employer
- Civil Service
- Workers' Compensation
- Unemployment
- Union & Pension Issues
- Wrongful Termination

**Environmental Law**  **MMP**

- Asbestos
- Land Conservation
- Lead Paint
- Mold
- Pollution

**Estate Law**  **MMP**

- Probate & Administration
- Planning (Wills, Trusts, etc)
- Litigation/ Will Contests

**Family Law**  **MMP**

- Adoption
- Child Abuse/Neglect
- Custody
- Divorce/Sep/Annul
- Domestic Violence
- Guardianship
- International
- Juvenile Law
- Name Change

QDROs

Support

**Immigration Law**  **MMP**

**Intellectual Property Law**

- Copyright
- Patent
- Trademark
- Computer Law
- Entertainment Law

**Mental Hygiene Law**  **MMP**

**Military Law**  **MMP**

**Negligence**

- Dental Malpractice
- Legal Malpractice
- Legal Malpractice-Buffalo
- Medical Malpractice
- Personal Injury
- Products Liability

**Real Estate Law**  **MMP**

- Commercial
- Home Owner Assns.
- Foreclosure
- Landlord/Tenant
- Residential
- Tax Certiorari

**Social Security/Disability/SSI**

**Tax Law**  **MMP**

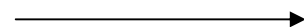
**Veteran's Administration**  **MMP**

**PRO BONO CASES**

**Add your own Category/Area:**

\_\_\_\_\_  **MMP**

Please see reverse



Other states in which you are admitted: \_\_\_\_\_

Languages Spoken:

Spanish                       Italian                       Am. Sign Lang                       Other \_\_\_\_\_

Client Payment Methods:               Credit Card               Installments               Contingency

**Modest Means Program**

Clients qualify for the MMP based upon their income. The MMP requires an attorney to reduce their regular rates and work with clients that have limited incomes. There is no scale for this reduction; it is at the discretion of the attorney, however we recommend at least a 25% reduction. The referral fee (collected up front in most situations) is reduced to \$20.00 and includes up to one half hour consultation at no charge. See Rules and Guidelines.

- 1) I hereby certify that I have received and read a copy of the Rules and Guidelines of the MCBA Lawyer Referral Service.
- 2) I represent that I am licensed to practice law in New York, that I am covered by a Professional Liability Insurance policy with limits of not less than \$100,000 and that I will maintain this policy throughout the period of my participation in the service. (Photocopy of coverage page must be attached annually.)

Malpractice Insurance Policy Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Carrier \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount of Coverage \_\_\_\_\_

- 3) I further certify that I am competent to counsel and represent clients in matters pertaining to the categories of law which I have designated in this enrollment application. I will disclose any public or private discipline brought before the Grievance Committee (Appellate Division) against me during the prior two years of this agreement.
- 4) I further agree to conform to, and abide by, all Rules and Regulations presently existing or that may hereafter be adopted by the Lawyer Referral Service and the Monroe County Bar Association and acknowledge that this application serves as an agreement between the Monroe County Bar Association LRS and myself as an attorney panel member.
- 5) Fees: Under this agreement, my responsibility for percentage fees remains until all cases are closed irrespective of whether or not I maintain an active membership in the LRS program, or no longer practice law.
- 6) I further agree to hold harmless the Lawyer Referral Service as to referrals made.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

Forms can also be found at [www.mcba.org](http://www.mcba.org) ▪ 585-546-1817  
Submit forms and payment to LRS at MCBA ▪ One West Main Street, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor ▪ Rochester, NY 14614