



TOLEDO BAR ASSOCIATION
Lawyer Referral & Information Service
 LRIS Application & Agreement
 July 1, 2020 - June 30, 2021

PLEASE MAKE ANY CORRECTIONS TO INFORMATION BELOW.

Name:	Work:
Firm:	Fax:
Address:	Email:
	Website:
	Supreme Court #:
LRIS Dues Currently Renewed Thru:	Date Admitted to Ohio Bar:
Admitted to practice: <input type="checkbox"/> Federal Court <input type="checkbox"/> US Supreme Court	State Licenses: _____

Check all that apply:

<input type="checkbox"/> I will accept payments	<input type="checkbox"/> I will make home/hospital visits	<input type="checkbox"/> I will work with low income clients
<input type="checkbox"/> I can arrange evening hours	<input type="checkbox"/> My office is handicap accessible	<input type="checkbox"/> Appeals - please circle: Fed, Non Fed
<input type="checkbox"/> I have telecommunications devices for the hearing/speaking impaired	<input type="checkbox"/> I am fluent in sign language	
<input type="checkbox"/> I speak the following foreign languages: _____		

Counties: I practice in the following counties: (Please check all that apply.)

<input type="checkbox"/> Allen	<input type="checkbox"/> Fulton	<input type="checkbox"/> Huron	<input type="checkbox"/> Paulding	<input type="checkbox"/> Seneca	<input type="checkbox"/> Wood
<input type="checkbox"/> Defiance	<input type="checkbox"/> Hancock	<input type="checkbox"/> Lucas	<input type="checkbox"/> Putnam	<input type="checkbox"/> Van Wert	<input type="checkbox"/> Wyandot
<input type="checkbox"/> Erie	<input type="checkbox"/> Henry	<input type="checkbox"/> Ottawa	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandusky	<input type="checkbox"/> Williams	

Professional Liability Carrier: _____

Liability Insurance Policy #: _____ **Expiration Date:** _____

If this is a new membership, please list the names and addresses of three Toledo area attorneys (other than your present partners and associates) who have knowledge of your character and professional work and ability.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Have you ever been notified of a probable cause determination in a grievance proceeding against you, or been named in a criminal indictment or complaint that charges a crime involving moral turpitude or dishonesty? _____

If yes, please attach an explanation.

Costs:	Toledo Bar Association Members:	Non-Members:
	<input type="checkbox"/> 1-3 Panels: \$150	<input type="checkbox"/> 1-3 Panels: \$305
	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Panels: \$175	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Panels: \$330
	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Panels: \$200	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Panels: \$355

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Agreement
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By completing and signing this application form, the undersigned hereby certifies that the information and representations contained within my Lawyer Referral Application are accurate. Pursuant to the Ohio Rules of Professional Conduct Rule 7.2, I hereby waive the right to privacy granted pursuant to Gov. Bar R.V. Section 8 to the extent necessary to permit the Lawyer Referral Service to be informed or inquire as to the existence of any grievance proceeding against me that result in a determination of probable cause. I further understand that I shall provide written notice to the Lawyer Referral Service if notified of a probable cause determination in a grievance proceeding against the undersigned.

I will accept referral made in the areas that I have indicated on this application and consider myself competent to handle consistent with the Ohio Rules of Professional Conduct, Rules 1.1 and 1.3. I will abide by the LRIS rules. With respect to each referral, I agree to render an initial one-half hour consultation not to exceed the fee set by the LRIS Committee and the Board of Trustee, paid and collected on LRIS cases generating fee.

Attorney's signature: _____

Date: _____

Please sign, date, and return with your completed forms and panel dues.

****This Agreement Must Be Signed Each Year****

REFERRAL CATEGORIES FOR 2020

Please indicate with an "X" each area of law in which you request referrals and are competent to handle.
 You may choose 3 Major categories and all areas within. Don't forget the miscellaneous and modest means programs that are at no additional charge.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO KEEP YOUR CATEGORIES THE SAME FROM 2019, MARK THIS BOX

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW

- Educational / School
- Environmental / OSHA
- Municipal / Township / etc.
- Public Utilities

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES

(no additional charge if ADA marked under Employment Law)

- ADA Education
- ADA Miscellaneous
- ADA Employment
- Public Accommodations

BENEFITS

- ERISA
- PERS / STRS
- Pensions
- Retirement Funds
- Social Security Issues
- Social Security Disability
 - Child
 - Adult
- Social Security Overpayment
- Unemployment Comp.
 - Federal UC
- Worker's Comp.
- Veteran's Benefits

BUSINESS LAW

- Bank Issues
- Breach of Contracts
- Buy / Sell Agreements
- Replevin Action (Creditor)
- Contract / Commercial
- Corporate Partnership
- Limited Liability (LLC)
- Franchising / License
- Fraud
- Litigation
- Non-Profit Corp.
- Predatory Lending
- Professional Licensing
- Securities
- Single Proprietorship
- Small Business
- Stockbroker Malpractice
- Structured Settlement
- Unauthorized Practice of Law

CIVIL RIGHTS

- Discrimination
- Police Brutality
- False Arrest
- Prisoner's Rights
- Patient's Rights

CONSUMER LAW

- Auto
- Home
- Lemon Law
- Retail
- Warranties
- Creditor harassment

MODEST MEANS*

Must complete separate form (no additional charge)

CRIMINAL LAW

- Appeals
- Domestic Violence
- DUI

- Expungment
- Felony
- Homicide
- Misdemeanors
- Federal
- Juvenile
- Parole / Pardon / Probation
- Traffic Violations (auto / truck)
- White Collar
- Driver's License Reinstatement

DOMESTIC

- Custody / Visitation
- Divorce
- Abuse / Violence
- CPO / TPO
- Jail Marriage
- Experience Domestic Relations Panel*
- Annulment / Separation
- Dissolution
- Military Divorce
- Post Divorce Issues
- Pre-Marital Agreements
- Spousal Support
- Child Support
- Gay / Lesbian issues

EDUCATION LAW

- Discipline
- Special Needs Issues
- IEP
- Teacher / Student Issues

ELDER LAW

- Medicare / Medicaid
- Nursing Home Issues
- Elder Abuse
- Elder Law planning

EMPLOYMENT

- Employee / Employer
- Experienced Employment Panel*
- Employment Disability
- Wrongful Discharge
- Labor Law
- Harassment / Discrimination
- FMLA / FSLA
- Union
- ADA

FINANCIAL

- Experienced Bankruptcy*
- Bankruptcy
 - Chapter 7
 - Chapter 11
 - Chapter 13
- Credit Report Issues
- Taxation
- Debt Relief
- Debt Collection (Creditor)

IMMIGRATION

- Immigration Law

JUVENILE LAW

- Custody / Visitation
- Child Support
- Neglect / Abuse
- Paternity / Parentage
- CSB Issues
- Grandparents' Rights

INSURANCE

- Life / Benefits
- Accident / Health
- Home / Fire / Property
- Medical Payments
- Auto

PROBATE

- Simple Will
- Estate Planning
- Probate Estate
- Trusts
- Will Contest
- Adoption
 - Private
 - Agency
 - Step-parent
- Name Change
- Guardianship
- Power of Attorney
- Mental
- Relief from Administration

REAL ESTATE

- Purchase / Sale / Land Contract
- Landlord / Tenant Dispute (Landlord side)
- Landlord / Tenant Dispute (Tenant side)
- Boundary Dispute
- Easement / Zoning
- Subdivision / Condo
- Foreclosures
- Evictions
- Eminent Domain
- Mortgage Issues
- Mechanic's Lien
- Misrepresentation

TORT

- Assault / Battery
- Libel / Slander
- Product Liability
- Property Damage
- Malpractice
 - Medical
 - Legal
 - Dental
 - Veterinary
- Wrongful Death
- Personal Injury
 - Plaintiff
 - Defendant
- Dog Bite Issues
- Class Action-Prescription drugs

MISCELLANEOUS (no additional charge)

- Asbestos / Mold
- Entertainment Issues
- Gas / Oil
- HIPAA
- Identity Theft
- Intellectual Properties
 - Copyright
 - Trademark
 - Patent
- Lead Poisoning
- Privacy / Stalking
- Technology Law

*Denotes that this panel requires an additional application.

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Experienced Panel Application

Name _____

Please indicate your area of expertise below.

PANEL NAME	EXPERIENCE REQUIRED	CLE HOURS	OTHER
Bankruptcy ___ I am applying for the Bankruptcy Law Experienced Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 years active bankruptcy law practice • 2 years of experience with bankruptcy adversary proceedings • A substantial portion (>50%) of practice in the bankruptcy area 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend a bankruptcy seminar and either a spring or fall CLE session 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attend Bankruptcy Committee meetings • Be on the court's electronic filing system • Designate which bankruptcy you specialize in: ___ Chapter 7 ___ Chapter 11 ___ Chapter 13
Domestic Relations ___ I am applying for the Domestic Relations Experienced Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 years in active practice of law • At least 3 years in Domestic Relations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 CLE Hours • 10 hours completed over a 2 year period 	In the past 5 years: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 or more custody trials both pending and post cases. (Includes work as a Guardian ad Litem or attorney for the child) • Conducted 2 or more evidentiary hearings that went to hearing including pending and post. • 20 contested divorces involving property and/or spousal support with at least 2 going to trial • 10 dissolutions and/or uncontested divorces • Examined an expert witness at a hearing or deposition related to litigation in Domestic Relations area.
Employment Law ___ I am applying for the Employment Law Experienced Panel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 years in active practice of law • In each of the past 3 years, actively engaged in the practice of employment law • A substantial portion (>25%) of practice in employment area 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At least 4 hours in the area of labor & employment law in the last reporting period. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Admitted to practice before the USDC Northern District of Ohio. • Assisted at least 10 clients regarding complaints that they have filed with or have been filed against them with the OCRC and/or EEOC. • I have represented at least 10 clients with at least 3 cases in each of the following: ___ State Court lawsuits on employment law issues ___ Federal Court lawsuits on employment issues

If you do not meet the specific requirements, but believe you have substantial equivalent experience, please describe that experience.

Signature _____

Date _____