

STATE BAR SUPPORT PROVIDED TO PRO BONO ATTORNEYS

- **State Bar Malpractice Insurance Network** pays premiums for professional liability insurance for more than 55 legal aid and pro bono service programs throughout Texas. The insurance covers staff attorneys and pro bono volunteers for cases taken through these programs. The Legal Services Support Division (LSSD) administers the network.
- **Tuition Waivers** to TexasBarCLE courses are available for pro bono attorneys who are nominated by approved legal aid or pro bono service programs for their service.
- **State Bar Pro Bono Mentor Program** provides up to 5 hours of MCLE credit (including 1 hour of ethics) to attorneys participating as a “mentor” or “mentee” when handling a pro bono case for an approved legal aid or pro bono service program.
- **Free Membership in the Pro Bono College** of the State Bar for attorneys who contribute a minimum of 75 hours (or paralegals who contribute a minimum of 50 hours) of eligible pro bono legal services in a year. Benefits include a one-year free subscription to the TexasBarCLE Online Library (a \$295 value); a certificate signed by the State Bar President and the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas; a subscription to the *LegalFront* e-newsletter published by LSSD; recognition at the State Bar Annual Meeting and reduced tuition at the 3-day Annual Poverty Law Conference sponsored by LSSD.
- **Access to the Statewide Advocate Website** at www.TexasLawyersHelp.org containing resources for legal aid and pro bono attorneys in Texas. Register now!

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