

WYOMING STATE BAR

2003 MEMBER SURVEY RESULTS

The Wyoming State Bar conducted its 2003 Member Survey during the spring of 2003. Following are the results of the survey.

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Respondents = 1,342

BAR SERVICES AND ACTIVITIES

1. Please rate each of the following activities or services that the Wyoming State Bar offers, in terms of importance to you as a member of the Bar.

Mandated Functions

Admissions

60.6% Very Important
15.1% Somewhat Important
16.5% Important
2.6% Unimportant
2.8% Not at all Important
2.4% Unaware

Client Security Fund

24.0% Very Important
18.2% Somewhat Important
28.8% Important
11.8% Unimportant
7.0% Not at all Important
10.2% Unaware

Discipline

52.6% Very Important
21.9% Somewhat Important
19.4% Important
3.0% Unimportant
1.6% Not at all Important
1.5% Unaware

Fee Arbitration

14.4% Very Important
20.1% Somewhat Important
34.8% Important
14.3% Unimportant
8.3% Not at all Important
8.1% Unaware

Lawyers' Assistance

14.6% Very Important
17.4% Somewhat Important
34.9% Important
14.5% Unimportant
8.6% Not at all Important
10.0% Unaware

Mandatory CLE (MCLE)

28.4% Very Important
25.2% Somewhat Important
30.5% Important
8.1% Unimportant
5.6% Not at all Important
2.2% Unaware

Unauthorized Practice of Law

32.2% Very Important
24.1% Somewhat Important
27.1% Important
7.8% Unimportant
5.0% Not at all Important
3.8% Unaware

Wyoming Lawyer Magazine

18.4% Very Important
28.2% Somewhat Important
38.3% Important
9.7% Unimportant
4.2% Not at all Important
1.2% Unaware

Non-Mandated Functions

Annual Meeting

16.3% Very Important
21.2% Somewhat Important
34.7% Important
14.8% Unimportant
9.6% Not at all Important
3.3% Unaware

Attorney Publications (Pattern Jury Instructions, etc.)

26.2% Very Important
31.1% Somewhat Important
29.0% Important
7.0% Unimportant
3.3% Not at all Important
3.3% Unaware

Bar Brief Newsletter

6.0% Very Important
17.3% Somewhat Important
41.7% Important
19.8% Unimportant
9.1% Not at all Important
6.0% Unaware

Blue Cross/Blue Shield Group Insurance Plan

10.7% Very Important
10.5% Somewhat Important
23.3% Important
19.5% Unimportant
19.4% Not at all Important
16.7% Unaware

Bar's Website

12.2% Very Important
18.3% Somewhat Important
37.5% Important
15.8% Unimportant
8.4% Not at all Important
7.8% Unaware

CLE Programs (other than Annual Meeting)

20.7% Very Important
27.7% Somewhat Important
35.3% Important
7.9% Unimportant
6.2% Not at all Important
2.2% Unaware

Judicial Advisory Poll

19.6% Very Important
24.4% Somewhat Important
30.1% Important
12.6% Unimportant
8.1% Not at all Important
5.3% Unaware

Funding of Wyoming Law Review

10.7% Very Important
17.8% Somewhat Important
35.7% Important
17.5% Unimportant
12.1% Not at all Important
6.2% Unaware

Lawyer Referral Service

8.6% Very Important
15.6% Somewhat Important
37.9% Important
19.7% Unimportant
13.2% Not at all Important
5.0% Unaware

Legislative Lobbying

13.8% Very Important
19.1% Somewhat Important
32.1% Important
15.6% Unimportant
13.1% Not at all Important
6.3% Unaware

Wyoming State Bar Directory

46.5% Very Important
26.9% Somewhat Important
21.6% Important
2.5% Unimportant
1.8% Not at all Important
0.7% Unaware

2. Please rate the following sections of the *Wyoming Lawyer*.

President's Column

12.7% Always Read
58.9% Usually Read
26.0% Never Read
2.4% Unaware

Executive Director's Column

8.3% Always Read
54.5% Usually Read
34.2% Never Read
3.0% Unaware

"Meet Your Bar Leaders" Columns

7.6% Always Read
45.6% Usually Read
42.1% Never Read
4.6% Unaware

Legal Beat

14.5% Always Read
58.2% Usually Read
19.7% Never Read
7.5% Unaware

Appointments, Announcements & Honors

27.1% Always Read
56.0% Usually Read
14.9% Never Read
2.0% Unaware

Perspective Article

11.3% Always Read
63.9% Usually Read
19.2% Never Read
5.7% Unaware

Feature Articles

17.8% Always Read
71.0% Usually Read
9.3% Never Read
1.9% Unaware

Wyoming State Bar Foundation Update

5.3% Always Read
37.4% Usually Read
49.1% Never Read
8.2% Unaware

Pro Bono Program Update

5.8% Always Read
35.2% Usually Read
50.8% Never Read
8.3% Unaware

Lawyer Referral Service Update

5.9% Always Read
32.8% Usually Read
51.9% Never Read
9.4% Unaware

Attorney Discipline

41.4% Always Read
47.4% Usually Read
9.3% Never Read
1.9% Unaware

Ethical Issues by John M. Burman

30.9% Always Read
55.6% Usually Read
12.2% Never Read
1.3% Unaware

Selected Supreme Court Opinions

39.3% Always Read
48.2% Usually Read
11.5% Never Read
1.1% Unaware

Continuing Legal Education Calendar

24.3% Always Read
51.6% Usually Read
21.6% Never Read
2.4% Unaware

Classified Advertisements

22.7% Always Read
46.1% Usually Read
27.6% Never Read
3.6% Unaware

3. Idaho, Oregon and Washington have entered into a reciprocal admissions agreement whereby if you are admitted to the Bar in one state, and comply with all requirements, you may be admitted without examination in one of the other participating states. Utah is considering joining, and overtures have been made to Wyoming and Montana. Do you agree or disagree that Wyoming should join a group of western states in a reciprocal admissions agreement?

53.8% Strongly Agree
 29.7% Agree
 10.0% Disagree
 6.4% Strongly Disagree

LEGISLATION AND LOBBYING

4. The present policy of the Wyoming State Bar is not to lobby either for or against legislation upon which there is a substantial difference of opinion among members. Do you feel the Bar should:

72.0% Continue the existing level of lobbying
 10.0% Increase the amount of lobbying
 18.0% Not lobby at all

5. Do you favor or oppose the imposition of a sales tax on legal services?

6.8% Favor
 85.4% Oppose
 7.8% Undecided

CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION

6. Which one factor most determines whether or not you attend a CLE program?

59.5% Topic
 1.9% Speaker
 14.5% Location
 7.0% Price
 16.9% The need for CLE credit
 0.1% Professional insurance deduction

7. What is the most you are willing to pay per credit hour for a locally-offered CLE seminar?

39.0% \$25 per credit hour
 40.1% \$50 per credit hour
 13.4% \$75 per credit hour
 7.5% More than \$100 per credit hour

8. What presentation methods do you prefer when participating in a CLE seminar? (Rank your top three preferences using 1-3, with 1 being your most preferred method.)

In Person:

First	Second	Third	Not Ranked
88.9%	3.2%	2.9%	5.0%

By telephone conference:

First	Second	Third	Not Ranked
2.1%	11.1%	14.9%	71.9%

By videotape or audiotape in a group of 5 or more:

First	Second	Third	Not Ranked
1.7%	21.0%	17.8%	59.5%

Internet/online

First	Second	Third	Not Ranked
1.9%	10.1%	11.9%	76.1%

Self-study

First	Second	Third	Not Ranked
4.3%	12.2%	18.6%	64.9%

Interactive Compressed Video

First	Second	Third	Not Ranked
1.6%	19.6%	9.8%	69.1%

WYOMING STATE BAR ANNUAL MEETING & JUDICIAL CONFERENCE

9. If you did not attend the last Wyoming State Bar Annual Meeting & Judicial Conference, what was the main reason?

42.6% Scheduling conflict
 20.6% Location
 8.6% Cost
 6.1% Quality of CLE
 22.0% Other

10. What area most needs improvement to increase the overall quality of the Annual Meeting & Judicial Conference?

57.2% CLE presentations
 3.4% Luncheon/dinner speakers
 4.0% Social functions
 10.6% Scheduling/organization
 3.1% Recreational opportunities
 5.7% Family activities
 16.0% Other

11. Which one of the following would improve Annual Meeting & Judicial Conference CLE presentations the most?

- 32.1% Professional/Paid CLE speakers
- 57.6% More specialized CLE topics
- 10.4% Less specialized CLE topics

DISCIPLINE

12. Have you been a complaining party or witness in a grievance inquiry in the past two years?

- 3.6% Yes
- 96.4% No

13. Have you been a respondent in a grievance inquiry in the past two years?

- 5.1% Yes
- 94.9% No

14. Are you aware the disciplinary code has been revised this year?

- 53.7% Yes
- 46.3% No

15. Have you reviewed the following information in the past year?

a. The Rules of Professional Conduct for Attorneys at Law (as set out in Wyoming Court Rules Volume).

- 59.5% Yes
- 40.5% No

b. The Disciplinary Code for the Wyoming State Bar (as set out in the Wyoming Court Rules Volume).

- 41.0% Yes
- 59.0% No

16. Do you believe that you understand how the Wyoming disciplinary system and procedures work?

- 67.8% Yes
- 32.2% No

17. Would you attend an ethics CLE program which explained the disciplinary procedure in detail?

- 70.8% Yes
- 29.2% No

18. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with each of the following statements about Wyoming's disciplinary system.

a. The disciplinary system is effective.

- 14.6% Strongly Agree
- 34.9% Agree Somewhat
- 38.3% Neutral
- 8.4% Disagree Somewhat
- 3.7% Strongly Disagree

b. The disciplinary process is fair to lawyers.

- 15.0% Strongly Agree
- 34.2% Agree Somewhat
- 38.4% Neutral
- 8.7% Disagree Somewhat
- 3.7% Strongly Disagree

c. The disciplinary process is fair to the public.

- 16.4% Strongly Agree
- 31.5% Agree Somewhat
- 42.4% Neutral
- 7.5% Disagree Somewhat
- 2.2% Strongly Disagree

d. Disciplinary sanctions are consistent.

- 10.1% Strongly Agree
- 20.6% Agree Somewhat
- 53.3% Neutral
- 10.5% Disagree Somewhat
- 5.4% Strongly Disagree

19. At what point in the grievance process should a complaint be open to the public?

- 0.9% Upon receipt of a letter from a complaining individual
- 9.6% Upon the filing of a formal disciplinary complaint for hearing
- 8.1% When a complaint goes to hearing
- 81.4% Upon filing of a public discipline order by the court

20. Please indicate the degree to which you agree or disagree with the following statements regarding lawyer discipline.

a. The bar should conduct random audits of trust accounts managed by lawyers.

- 13.9% Strongly Agree
- 17.9% Agree Somewhat
- 32.0% Neutral
- 13.6% Disagree Somewhat
- 22.5% Strongly Disagree

- b. **Disciplinary proceedings against Wyoming lawyers should be handled by a state agency and paid for through an assessment separate from Bar license fees.**

6.4% Strongly Agree
 8.2% Agree Somewhat
 22.9% Neutral
 20.4% Disagree Somewhat
 42.1% Strongly Disagree

ECONOMICS & OFFICE PRACTICE

26. **How many hours in a typical week do you devote to the practice of law?**

35.2% 50 hours or more
 38.8% 40 to 49 hours
 12.8% 25 to 39 hours
 13.2% Less than 25 hours

27. **How many of the hours that you work each week are billable hours?**

11.5% 40 hours or more
 20.9% 30 to 39 hours
 20.3% 20 to 29 hours
 10.5% 10-19 hours
 36.9% (Not applicable)

32. **If you charge on an hourly basis, what is your usual hourly rate?**

0.8% Less than \$75
 1.9% \$76 to \$85
 2.4% \$86 to \$95
 8.3% \$96 to \$105
 4.6% \$106 to \$115
 12.1% \$116 to \$125
 16.5% \$126 to \$150
 17.2% More than \$150
 36.1% (Not applicable)

33. **In your office, what percent of your firm's gross income goes to cover overhead expenses to maintain your office on a monthly basis? (Please include rent, equipment, regular monthly payables and support staff salaries, but not salaries for partners and associates.)**

9.4% Up to 30%
 9.0% 31 to 40%
 7.0% 41 to 45%
 11.3% 46 to 50%
 7.7% 51 to 60%
 4.3% More than 60%
 14.9% (Don't know)
 36.3% (Not applicable)

34. **In your office which of the following is the highest-cost item, other than salaries?**

36.2% Rent
 3.9% Travel
 5.7% Phone
 6.7% Office Equipment
 15.5% (Don't know)
 32.1% (Not applicable)

JUDICIARY

21. **What do you think of the judicial discipline system?**

23.3% Effective
 24.4% Ineffective
 52.3% (Don't know)

22. **What is your opinion of the current state of Wyoming's Bench/Bar relations?**

31.7% Excellent
 64.0% Fair
 4.3% Poor

23. **What is the one best method for improving communications between members of the Bench and the Bar?**

41.7% More opportunities for informal communication
 29.6% More seminars involving judges on panels and as speakers
 10.7% More opportunities for social interaction
 18.0% Communication is already adequate

24. **Are you in favor of the Bar continuing to conduct the Judicial Advisory Poll?**

89.7% Yes
 10.3% No

25. **Do you agree or disagree: Wyoming District Courts should adopt the approach of the Federal Courts and require litigants to exchange mandatory initial disclosures of information and documents before being allowed to undertake discovery.**

29.8% Strongly Agree
 44.8% Agree
 18.4% Disagree
 7.1% Strongly Disagree

35. Are you busier in your office this year than last?

68.9% Yes
31.1% No

36. In 2002, what was your personal net income or earnings from the practice of law? (If you are in private practice, please give a pre-tax estimate of your personal income.)

7.3% Less than \$10,000
2.3% \$10,000 to \$19,999
11.5% \$20,000 to \$39,999
20.4% \$40,000 to \$59,999
17.9% \$60,000 to \$79,999
11.5% \$80,000 to \$99,999
10.9% \$100,000 to \$124,999
18.1% \$125,000 or more

37. In terms of profitability, is your firm or office better off or worse off than it was last year?

27.5% Better off
13.5% Worse off
25.7% Same
33.4% (Not applicable)

38. Do you keep time records?

47.4% Always
15.8% Usually, except in fixed fee or contingency cases
7.5% Sometimes
3.5% Never
25.9% (Not applicable)

39. Do you discuss your fees and how you determine them in your first interview with a client?

42.5% Always
19.6% Usually
2.0% Sometimes
0.5% Rarely
35.4% (Not applicable)

40. Do you use written fee agreements with your clients?

32.7% Always
29.7% Sometimes
3.0% Never
34.6% (Not applicable)

41. What one area of law constitutes the largest portion of your practice?

9.3% Tort/plaintiff
7.9% Tort/defense
10.1% Business law
12.8% Criminal law
8.9% Domestic relations
4.6% Real Estate law
7.2% Estate Planning/probate
1.4% Insurance
1.6% Tax law
2.3% Bankruptcy
0.3% Banking law
4.3% Administrative law
9.7% Government law
4.0% Judicial functions
15.5% Other

OFFICE AUTOMATION

42. Which of the following computer-related systems do you use in your practice? (Please mark all that apply.)

94.7% Word Processing
49.7% Accounting
39.1% CD-Rom Research Library
71.3% Internet access
53.4% High-Speed Internet connection
76.6% Online Legal Research
91.2% E-mail
32.3% Website for your firm
51.7% Laptop computer
41.5% Local Area Network
25.4% Presentation software

43. What law-related websites do you visit regularly? (Please mark all that apply.)

36.8% Wyoming State Bar
43.5% Secretary of State
15.2% Legislative Service Office
43.3% Wyoming Supreme Court
8.5% Governor's Office
22.8% Other

44. Would you participate on a Wyoming State Bar Listserv?

40.4% Yes
59.6% No

PROFESSIONALISM

45. How would you rate the professionalism of the Wyoming State Bar?

55.2%Excellent
 43.1%Fair
 1.7%Poor

46. Is the professionalism and reputation of the Bar in your community better or worse than it was five years ago?

22.5%Better
 21.3%Worse
 56.2%No change

47. Are you covered by professional malpractice insurance?

62.8%Yes
 37.2%No

48. If you answered “no” to the previous question, why are you not covered by professional malpractice insurance?

18.4%Too expensive
 0.2%Uninsurable
 69.6%Not in private practice
 11.7%Other

49. Would you support a resolution requiring attorneys in private practice to carry malpractice insurance?

49.3%Yes
 50.7%No

51. What is the average number of hours of law-related volunteer work (not pro bono) that you perform in an average month (e.g., Law Day, Moot Court, Bar committees/board service, etc.)?

32.7%None
 48.1%1 to 5 hours
 12.3%6 to 10 hours
 4.7%11 to 20 hours
 1.1%21 to 30 hours
 1.2%More than 30 hours

LONG RANGE PLANNING

52. What do you believe are the most critical challenges facing the legal profession in Wyoming? (Rank the top five challenges by using 1-5, with 1 being the most critical.)

Access to the legal system for all citizens

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
21.7%	12.0%	9.1%	9.1%	10.9%	37.2%

The internet and related technology

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
2.6%	4.0%	5.6%	7.2%	8.5%	72.1%

Loss of professionalism and civility among lawyers

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
8.0%	14.8%	14.6%	13.2%	10.2%	29.3%

The practice of law by non-lawyers

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
7.1%	8.2%	8.6%	9.0%	10.6%	56.4%

Legislative intervention into the judicial branch

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
4.2%	6.6%	8.5%	8.1%	8.9%	63.7%

Loss of popular respect for an independent judiciary

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
3.6%	10.7%	13.2%	12.7%	8.5%	51.3%

Loss of confidence in the legal system by the public

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
27.2%	23.6%	16.9%	10.9%	6.7%	14.6%

Loss of job satisfaction of attorneys

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
13.5%	15.8%	16.0%	14.5%	12.0%	28.2%

Other

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
2.4%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%	2.3%	93.0%

53. What do you think the top priorities of the Wyoming State Bar should be? (Rank the top five priorities by using 1-5, with 1 being the top priority.)

Continuing Legal Education

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
22.0%	20.4%	22.0%	14.5%	7.2%	13.9%

Helping attorneys with changing technology

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
2.8%	5.9%	7.7%	10.3%	12.8%	60.5%

Certifying or recognizing practice specialties

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
4.0%	5.4%	5.0%	7.1%	7.0%	71.5%

Reviewing and examining new admittees

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
31.8%	14.0%	12.2%	9.3%	7.5%	25.1%

Identifying new markets for legal services

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
2.2%	3.2%	4.4%	3.9%	5.2%	81.2%

Helping attorneys respond to changing habits of legal consumers

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
4.5%	5.5%	5.9%	8.4%	10.7%	65.1%

Educating the public about the legal profession

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
17.3%	14.5%	16.4%	16.1%	10.8%	24.9%

Reviewing ethical complaints

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
11.9%	26.2%	18.3%	11.3%	8.3%	24.0%

Becoming more involved in legislative issues

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
2.1%	3.3%	4.1%	5.9%	9.3%	75.3%

Other

1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	Not Ranked
2.9%	0.3%	0.8%	0.8%	1.6%	93.6%

54. In general, do you as an attorney agree or disagree with the following statements?

a. The Bar should maintain a primary role in the regulation of the legal profession.

65.3%	Strongly Agree
24.7%	Agree Somewhat
6.4%	Neutral
2.3%	Disagree Somewhat
1.3%	Strongly Disagree

b. The Bar should decrease its regulatory duties and focus more on services to its members.

8.9%	Strongly Agree
16.3%	Agree Somewhat
29.9%	Neutral
30.2%	Disagree Somewhat
14.7%	Strongly Disagree

c. The Bar has an adequate balance of regulatory responsibilities and professional services.

10.3%	Strongly Agree
37.2%	Agree Somewhat
40.4%	Neutral
10.1%	Disagree Somewhat
2.0%	Strongly Disagree

d. The Bar should actively enforce existing prohibitions against multi-disciplinary practice.

13.6%	Strongly Agree
20.6%	Agree Somewhat
43.0%	Neutral
14.9%	Disagree Somewhat
7.9%	Strongly Disagree

e. The Bar should study and give consideration to adopting rules permitting multi-disciplinary practice.

10.9%	Strongly Agree
24.4%	Agree Somewhat
40.5%	Neutral
13.0%	Disagree Somewhat
11.3%	Strongly Disagree

UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING SCHOOL OF LAW

55. Did you attend the University of Wyoming School of Law?

66.6% Yes
33.4% No

56. How do you rate your personal relationship with the University of Wyoming School of Law?

15.7% Excellent
32.9% Good
18.7% Fair
7.7% Poor
24.9% (Not applicable)

LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE

57. Are you a member of the Wyoming State Bar Lawyer Referral Service?

14.4% Yes
85.6% No

58. If you are not a member of the Lawyer Referral Service, please indicate your one main reason below:

2.9% \$25 Membership fee
4.8% Registration forms too cumbersome
41.3% I do not wish to receive referrals from the Wyoming State Bar
5.2% Malpractice insurance requirement
8.7% I was not aware there was a Lawyer Referral Service
37.1% Government attorney or practice prohibits participation

59. If you are a member of the Lawyer Referral Service, how satisfied are you with your membership?

12.1% Very Satisfied
39.0% Satisfied
44.0% Neutral
3.8% Dissatisfied
1.1% Very Dissatisfied

60. Has your membership with the Lawyer Referral Service increased your client base?

32.8% Yes
67.2% No

WYOMING STATE BAR FOUNDATION

61. Is your firm or office currently enrolled in the state's Interest on Lawyer's Trust Accounts (IOLTA) program?

41.5% Yes
15.4% No
43.1% (Not applicable)

62. If you do not presently participate in the IOLTA program, what is the one main reason?

48.0% Not in private practice
22.8% Do not handle client monies
29.2% Other

63. Are you planning to apply for CLE credit for performing pro bono work?

4.6% Yes
95.4% No

64. How would you rate your level of knowledge about the Wyoming State Bar Foundation?

2.1% Excellent
13.6% Good
43.2% Fair
41.1% Poor

65. Do you support an attorney fundraising effort for equal justice issues?

50.0% Yes
50.0% No

66. On average, how many hours per month do you devote to front-end pro bono clients or clients accepted at a substantially reduced rate? (Please do not include hours spent on cases billed but not collected.)

34.4% 5 hours per month or less
24.1% 6 to 10 hours per month
8.6% 11 to 20 hours per month
3.3% 21 or more hours per month
5.6% I make cash donations to Legal Services or the Bar Foundation in lieu of doing pro bono legal work.
24.0% I do not accept pro bono cases and do not donate cash in lieu of pro bono work.

DEMOGRAPHICS

67. What is your gender?

73.4% Male
26.6% Female

68. What is your age?

4.7% Under 30
14.9% 30 to 36
35.3% 37 to 49
31.2% 50 to 59
11.5% 60 to 74
2.3% 75 or over

69. How long ago were you first admitted to the Bar?

2.7% Less than 1 year
14.1% 1 to 5 years
26.8% 6 to 15 years
31.5% 16 to 25 years
23.4% 26 to 50 years
1.4% More than 50 years

70. What is currently your main employment position? (Please mark one box.)

21.8% Sole practitioner
28.4% Partner in firm or shareholder in P.C.
10.9% Salaried associate or contract attorney
3.3% Judge
18.8% Full-time government attorney
3.6% Corporate counsel
6.0% Retired or inactive
7.3% Other

71. How many lawyers are there in your law firm or legal department?

23.6% 1
12.5% 2
20.1% 3 to 5
12.8% 6 to 10
4.5% 11 to 15
2.8% 16 to 25
9.8% More than 25
13.9% (Not applicable)

72. In which judicial district do you live?

30.2% First Judicial District
10.4% Second Judicial District
8.1% Third Judicial District
6.5% Fourth Judicial District
7.6% Fifth Judicial District
6.1% Sixth Judicial District
13.2% Seventh Judicial District
4.3% Eighth Judicial District
13.6% Ninth Judicial District

73. In what size city do you practice?

0.9% 1,000 or fewer people
6.2% 1,000 to 5,000 people
14.5% 5,000 to 10,000 people
16.0% 10,000 to 25,000 people
13.9% 25,000 to 50,000 people
48.4% More than 50,000 people

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