

# FAQs: Changes to NLMP Mentor Credit

## Effective May 1, 2024

### **What rules have changed and when do the new rules take effect?**

MCLE Regulation 5.100(b) was amended to clearly define when a New Lawyer Mentoring Program (“NLMP”) mentor may claim MCLE credit for participation in the program.

The new rules go into effect May 1, 2024.

### **What changes were made to MCLE Regulation 5.100(b)?**

MCLE Regulation 5.100(b) has been amended to read:

(b) ~~A Lawyer~~ members who serve as ~~a~~ mentors to a new Lawyer in the NLMP may claim up to ~~earn a total of~~ 8.0 total CLE credits, including 2.0 ethics credits and 6.0 general credits during the three year reporting cycle, ~~upon filing of a NLMP Completion Certificate~~. If a member serves as a mentor for more than one new lawyer in the NLMP, the member may claim up to 16.0 total credits, including 4.0 ethics credits, during the three year reporting cycle. If another lawyer assists with the NLMP completion, the mentoring credits must be apportioned between lawyers in a proportionate manner agreed upon by the NLMP mentors. The mentor may claim these credits in either the same reporting period that their mentee files a NLMP Completion Certificate or the reporting period immediately succeeding.

Click [here](#) to view the amended language of the MCLE Rules and Regulations.