



## News & Updates

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### Explore Law Society Broadcasts Online

The Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador is excited to introduce our new webpage dedicated to showcasing past broadcasts. This new resource offers convenient access to previous newsletters in one place, enhancing your ability to stay informed and engaged with our content.

For submissions or inquiries regarding our broadcasts, please contact Amelia White, Communications Specialist, at [awhite@lsnl.ca](mailto:awhite@lsnl.ca).

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Our [practice resources](#) offer valuable insights regarding the complexities of law practice management. Created to help lawyers navigate the requirements and obligations outlined in the *Law Society Act, 1999*, Law Society Rules, and Code of Professional Conduct, they serve as supportive tools. While not exhaustive, they provide valuable insights.

Please remember that every practice management question should be considered within your unique context, and professional judgment is very important.

## Reading Suggestions for Practice Management

CLIENT IDENTIFICATION AND VERIFICATION

## Disciplinary Matters

Through the disciplinary process, the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador reviews and assesses the professional conduct of its members. These assessments are made based on ethical standards outlined in the [Law Society Act, 1999](#), along with the [Law Society Rules](#) and the [Code of Professional Conduct](#).

DISCIPLINARY DECISIONS

HEARINGS

COUNSELS & CAUTIONS



### Invitation to Participate in Survey on Federal Child Support Guidelines

The [Department of Justice Canada](#) invites you to participate in a survey regarding the Federal Child Support Guidelines. This survey aims to gather input on potential changes to the Federal Guidelines. Your feedback will be instrumental in shaping future amendments and contributing to ongoing legal policy work. The survey will take approximately 15 minutes, and all responses will be anonymous.

The deadline to complete the survey is 25 September 2024.

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The Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador website has an events section with updated CPD opportunities, events, conferences, and more. [Seminar recordings are available here.](#)

## Upcoming Events

### *Law Society Events:*

- Municipal Issues Arising in Real Estate Transactions by the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador - *August 28*

### *Third-Party Events:*

- Recovering the Balance: Practical guidance on flexible work, the right to disconnect, and avoiding burnout by Lancaster House - *August 15*
- Leadership Development by the Achieve Centre for Leadership - *August 20*
- Can We Be Friends? Navigating workplace interactions in an increasingly conflicted world by Lancaster House - *August 27*
- Legal French for Beginners Series by the Fédération des Francophones de Terre-Neuve et du Labrador - *September 10*
- Introduction to Family Dispute Resolution by the Continuing Legal Education Society of British Columbia - *September 12*
- Cybercrime in the intimate partner and honour-based abuse contexts: signs and preventative strategies by the Commonwealth Lawyers Association - *September 19*
- 6-Part Mediation Guest Lecture Series by the Commonwealth Lawyers Association - *September 19*
- Family Mediation - Theory, Skills, and Practice by MDW Mediation - *September 19*
- Deposing Difficult Witnesses by the Seminar Partners - *September 19*
- The future of Artificial Intelligence and Automated Decision-Making in Public Law Decision-Making by the Commonwealth Lawyers Association - *September 26*
- Killer Correspondence by the Toronto Lawyers Association - *October 1*
- Workplace Investigation Pitfalls & How to Avoid Them by the Seminar Partners - *October 10*
- CLIA Peace of Mind Virtual Conference - *October 24*
- Preventing & Dealing with Will Drafting Errors by the Seminar Partners - *November 7*

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Did you know that the Law Society of Newfoundland and Labrador website has a News section with updated information on job opportunities, professional development, notices, and more? Visit our website today to check out some of the great online resources available.



### Current Opportunities

- Insurance Defence (Counsel I) - TD Insurance (NS)
- Intake Lawyer - MacGillivray Law
- Crown Attorney - Public Prosecution Service (NS)
- Commissioner of Official Languages - Government of Canada (ON)
- Crown Prosecutor - Ministry of Justice (SK)

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