MCLE Credit Categories

- **Law and Legal Procedure** ("Law and Legal” or “L&L”) credits can be earned from attending, presenting or participating in courses for which the course focus is on the subject of substantive law, legal procedure, process, research, writing, analysis, or related skills and technology. “Law and Legal” credits can also be earned by teaching law school courses and attending law school courses for which the topics cover the subjects listed above.

- **Ethics and Professional Responsibility** ("Ethics") credits can be earned from attending, presenting or participating in courses for which the course focus is on topics relating to the general subject of professional responsibility and conduct standards for lawyers, LLLTs, LPOs, and judges, and the risks to ethical practice associated with diagnosable mental health conditions, addictive behavior, and stress.
  - **Equity Ethics or “Equity...”** credits can be earned from attending, presenting, or participating in courses for which the course focus is in the topics relating to equity, inclusion, and the mitigation of both implicit and explicit bias in the legal profession and the practice of law.

- **Other** credits include courses devoted to the following subjects: professional development, personal development and mental health, office management, improving the legal system, and nexus topics. “Other” credits can also be earned by participating in approved activities, such as course preparation, legal writing, presenting or participating in a CLE course, providing pro-bono service through a qualified legal services provider, or participating in a structured mentoring program.

- See APR 11(f) for definitions of all approved course subjects.

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