

**OVERVIEW OF HOURS AND DEADLINES UNDER CURRENT AND AMENDED
CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION RULE**

Last Name of Attorney Begins with Letter:	Biennial Period	Total Continuing Legal Education Requirement	What is My Professional Conduct Hour Requirement?	What is the Maximum Number of Hours I May Earn in Specific Categories?	Deadline to Complete Hours	Deadline to Submit Final Reporting Transcript	Applicable Gov. Bar Rule
A through L	2012 and 2013	24 hours, including 1 hour of ethics, 1 hour of professionalism, and .50 hour of substance abuse instruction.	As part of your total 24-hour requirement, you must earn 1 hour of instruction related to the Ohio Rules of Professional Conduct (“ethics”), 1 hour of instruction related to professionalism, and .5 hour of instruction on substance abuse, including causes, prevention, detection, and treatment alternatives.	Self-Study: Six In-House: Twelve Publication: Ten Teaching: Twelve for attorneys; Twenty for judges Pro Bono: None	12/31/2013	1/31/2014	Gov. Bar R. X, eff. 12/1/11 and CCLE Regulations, eff. 11/08
M through Z	2013 and 2014	24 hours, including 2.5 hours of instruction on “professional conduct.”	As part of your total 24-hour requirement, you must earn 2.5 hours of instruction on “professional conduct” topics. Although you will no longer be required to earn a specific number of hours in ethics, professionalism, or substance abuse, you will be required to earn at least 2.5 hours in topics that have been designated as “professional conduct.” Professional conduct instruction will include programs on legal ethics; professionalism; substance abuse, alcoholism, and mental health issues; access to justice and fairness in the courts; self-represented litigants; encouraging pro bono representation; accommodating language interpretation; and assuring fairness in matters of race, ethnicity, foreign origin, religion, gender, sexual orientation, disability, socio-economic status, or other relevant topics. Courses that you take in calendar year 2013 that have been designated as “ethics,” “professionalism,” or “substance abuse” will count toward your “professional conduct” requirement.	Self-Study: Twelve In-House: Twelve (public service attorneys may be eligible to earn up to twenty-four hours in limited circumstances; see CCLE Reg. 407.2 and 407.3) Publication: Twelve Teaching: Twelve for attorneys; Twenty for judges Pro Bono: Six (pro bono credit will be awarded for work conducted on or after Jan. 1, 2014)	12/31/2014	Not Applicable (attorneys will no longer be required to file a final reporting transcript).	Gov. Bar R. X and CCLE Regulations, eff. 1/1/14
A through L	2014 and 2015	24 hours, including 2.5 hours of	As part of your total 24-hour requirement, you must earn 2.5 hours of instruction on	Self-Study: Twelve In-House: Twelve	12/31/2015	Not Applicable (attorneys will	Gov. Bar R. X and

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