

The Law Society of Manitoba



Values

Integrity

- Honest and ethical behaviour.

Competency

- Best practices, high standards, pursuit of excellence.

Accountability

- Open and transparent processes to the profession and to the public.

Fairness

- Fair, respectful and consistent treatment of all people.

Equity, Diversity and Inclusion

- In the governance of the profession and the delivery of legal services.

Collaboration

- With other regulator Law Societies, the Federation, the profession, the courts, the Law School and other stakeholders in the legal system.

Ends

- Lawyers are qualified on the entry to the profession.
- Lawyers provide legal services competently after the call to the Bar and are ethical and of good character in the practice of their profession.
- The investigation and disposition of matters relating to non-compliance with the Code, Act and Rules are thorough, timely and fair.
- To the extent permitted by law, the Law Society of Manitoba conducts its business in a manner that is transparent.
- The legal profession is independent of government in a manner which best preserves and promotes the rules of law.
- Legal services are reasonably available to the public at a reasonable cost.
- The public are protected from financial loss arising from dishonest or negligent lawyers.
- All persons may fully participate in the legal profession.

Mission Statement

The aim of the Law Society of Manitoba is a public well-served by a competent, honorable and independent legal profession.