

## **Broward County Bar Association Coronavirus (COVID19) Announcement**

In light of recent Coronavirus (COVID19) developments, and in an abundance of caution and concern for the safety of our members, employees, and the community at large, effective Monday March 16, the Broward County Bar Association will make the following changes:

### **EVENTS**

All events and CLE's that are scheduled for the next 4 weeks will be rescheduled to a later date.

**Committee Meetings** will be either rescheduled or changed to a format that does not allow for in-person contact (e.g. telephone or video conferencing), in order to promote social distancing and reduce the possibility of exposure to the virus.

- If you are registered for a specific event, you will be notified via email as to when the event will be rescheduled. The BCBA calendar of events will also contain this information.
- If you are a committee member, you will be notified via email regarding any upcoming committee meetings.
- Please be sure to check your spam folders for notifications

### **LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE (LRS)**

The BCBA Lawyer Referral Service is now set to continue operations, with the following changes:

- Effective Monday, March 16, for a 4-week period, the LRS will no longer accept walk-in clients. We will still accept referral calls and emails. If a client or someone you know needs a lawyer referral, please ask them to call the Lawyer Referral Service at 954-764-8310, rather than visit our location.

### **MEMBERS**

The BCBA values the safety and wellbeing of both its members and employees. Toward this end, we ask the following:

- Members should forego visits to the BCBA office for the next 4 weeks, in favor of contacting the BCBA via telephone or email, whenever possible.
- A Directory of BCBA telephone numbers and email addresses is provided [here](#).

We appreciate your patience and understanding during this time. We at the BCBA are confident that all of us working together and cooperating will help ensure the safety of all, and that normal operations will resume in a short time.