Accepting a Case

Steps CLS follows to accept and refer cases to volunteer attorneys are below (click on a step to learn more):

- How CLS screens cases and decides what to accept and refer to attorneys
- How CLS works with pro bono attorneys
- Conflict rules
- Pro bono and contract cases
- Client complaints and difficult clients
- Sample retainers
  1. NCLSP attorney-client agreement form
  2. Durango SWBVLA retainer
  3. Durango SWBVLA limited representation retainer
- Swink case – Colorado Court of Appeals decision on pro bono attorneys collecting attorney fees from other side of case.
- CBA Ethics Opinion 117 (regarding conflicts)

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