



# CREATING A VIRTUAL FULL SERVICE PRACTICE GROUP

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19TH, 2026

Registration: 12:00PM | Program: 12:30PM – 1:30PM

Making and receiving referrals is a common part of legal practice and carries important ethical responsibilities. This program provides a practical overview of attorneys' duties, including compliance with the Rules of Professional Conduct governing referral fees, fee-sharing arrangements, and related code sections. Participants will explore best practices for making high-quality, ethical referrals, with an emphasis on vetting recipients and referring matters only to qualified professionals with appropriate experience and subject-matter expertise, and will also learn how professional relationship-building and in-person networking can be conducted ethically.

ORANGE COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION  
SOLO/SMALL FIRM SECTION  
FEBRUARY MEETING: IN PERSON

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OCBA OFFICE:  
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## SPEAKERS:

SUZANNE B. LESLIE, ESQ.  
MANAGING PARTNER,  
LESLIE LAW FIRM

GEORGE D. STRAGGAS, ESQ.  
FOUNDER, MEDIATION  
SOLUTIONS

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APPROVED FOR 1.0  
LEGAL ETHICS CREDIT

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| Meeting Price                       | Attending In-Person *Lunch Included* |
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| Solo/Small Firm Section Member:     | \$45                                 |
| OCBA Attorney (Non-Section Member): | \$60                                 |
| Non-OCBA Member Attorney:           | \$70                                 |

## MUST REGISTER TO ATTEND | NO WALK INS ALLOWED

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