

## What is the Mentoring Program?

The VBA Mentoring Program provides VBA members a way to seek and receive advice on, and to discuss, a wide range of general issues in the practice of law. These issues include, but are not limited to, substantive law questions, attorney-client communications, law office management, and professional ethics.

The purpose of the Mentoring Program is to provide counseling, guidance, and an open atmosphere for learning and developing professional skills. Mentors and those they are mentoring do not establish an attorney-client relationship.

## How the Mentoring Program Works

If you request a mentor, you will be matched with an experienced lawyer by the areas of law you specify, by size of practice, by special skills and abilities, or by whatever characteristic is important to you. You will be assigned a mentor for a period of one year. You and your mentor should decide how to structure the mentoring relationship so that you will receive the maximum benefit.

## To Volunteer as a Mentor:

To volunteer as a Mentor, please print and fill out the attached **Application to Serve as a VBA Member** (link below) and mail it to the VBA, P. O. Box 100, Montpelier, VT 05601-0100 or fax it to 802-223-1573

[Application to be a Mentor](#)

## To Request a Mentor:

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