



Los Angeles County Bar Association

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Dear LACBA Members, Employees, Families and Guests:

We continue to take a cautious and pragmatic approach to the rapidly changing information surrounding COVID-19 and public meetings. The health and safety of our members, employees, families and the public is paramount to our mission, and we will continue to place these concerns above all else.

The California Department of Public Health has announced that gatherings with 250 people or more should be rescheduled or cancelled and LACBA has taken steps to implement that recommendation. In response to the virus and as reaffirmed by the Executive Committee of the LACBA Board of Trustees, our Sections have been granted the discretion to postpone any planned program or event through April 30, 2020. By May 1, 2020, we expect to have a better understanding of the current health situation and to be better informed as to what is necessary to proceed forward.

Should cancellations and postponements become necessary, we have established the following protocols for our members and guests:

- In the event that events are cancelled, all registrants will be notified and refunds will be issued automatically with no action required from guests.
- In the event that events are postponed, all registrants will be notified of the postponement, and informed of the new program date as soon as that date is determined. Guests will have the option of attending the event on the new date, or requesting a refund.
- If you have registered for an event and it is moving forward, but you have decided you no longer wish to attend, please contact LACBA's Member Services at 213-896-6560 prior to the event start and we will issue a full refund.

We have added a page to the LACBA website to update you on event postponements and/or cancellations: <https://www.lacba.org/calendar/postponed-events>. Please check this often as we navigate the next several weeks.

Thank you for your membership and support. We look forward to the containment of the virus and the resumption of business as usual at LACBA, across the nation and around the world.

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President