



Access to Justice

Advance, promote and facilitate increased access to justice for all Manitobans.

Desired Outcomes:

- Manitobans in northern and rural communities have increased access to legal services.
- Manitobans can choose to access the delivery of legal services from a wider range of legal services providers.

Stakeholder Confidence

Build public and stakeholder confidence in the Law Society as the regulator of the legal profession.

Desired Outcomes:

- Members of vulnerable and historically disadvantaged communities know about the Law Society and how we protect them.
- Members of the Northern Bar and rural communities feel connected to the Law Society and its resources.

Competence

Regulate proactively to protect the public interest by ensuring that legal services are delivered by competent and ethical lawyers.

Desired Outcomes:

- Sole Practitioners and Lawyers in Small Firms are adequately prepared to run their law practices and are well-supported.
- Articling students have greater awareness of and make use of Law Society resources.

Equity, Diversity and Inclusion

Promote and improve equity, diversity and inclusion within the legal profession in the regulation of the legal profession and in the delivery of legal services.

Desired Outcomes:

- The Law Society's admissions process is equitable.
- There are more Indigenous lawyers practising law in Manitoba.
- The legal profession better reflects the diversity of Manitoba.
- Lawyers strive to be culturally competent in the delivery of legal services.

