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From: Karen Gilbert [mailto:gilbertlaw@earthlink.net]
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Dear Ms. Triboulet: I support the WSBA's recommendations for proposed changes to the CLE rules to include:

- (1) Ethics and professional responsibility, defined as topics relating to the general subject of professional responsibility and conduct standards for lawyers and judges, including diversity and anti-bias with respect to the practice of law or the legal system, and the risks to ethical practice associated with diagnosable mental health conditions, addictive behavior, and stress;
- (2) Professional development, defined as subjects that enhance or develop a lawyer's professional skills including effective lawyering, leadership, career development, communication, and presentation skills;
- (3) Personal development and mental health, defined as subjects that enhance a lawyer's personal skills, well-being and awareness of mental health issues. This includes, stress management, and courses about, but not treatment for, anxiety, depression, substance abuse, suicide and addictive behaviors;"

Thank you. –Karen Gilbert

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