

**NEW YORK STATE CLE PROGRAM RULES
JOINT RULES OF THE APPELLATE DIVISIONS
22 NYCRR 1500**

§ 1500.22 Minimum Requirements

(a) Credit Hours. Each attorney shall complete a minimum of 24 credit hours of accredited continuing legal education each biennial reporting cycle in ethics and professionalism, skills, law practice management, areas of professional practice, diversity, inclusion and elimination of bias, or cybersecurity, privacy and data protection, at least four (4) credit hours of which shall be in ethics and professionalism, at least one (1) credit hour of which shall be in diversity, inclusion and elimination of bias, and at least one (1) credit hour of which shall be in cybersecurity, privacy and data protection.

Attorneys may apply a maximum of three (3) credit hours of cybersecurity, privacy and data protection-ethics to the four-credit hour ethics and professionalism requirement.

Ethics and professionalism, skills, law practice management, areas of professional practice, diversity, inclusion and elimination of bias, and cybersecurity, privacy and data protection are defined in §1500.2. *[revised effective July 1, 2023]*