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The State Bar Web site educates and informs the public on legal issues and services. Resources available from the State Bar include:

- Common Legal Terms – a legal glossary on criminal and civil legal terms used in the legal profession.
- Law Topics – *Adoption; Auto Accidents; Clients' Rights and Responsibilities; Complaints Against Lawyers; Divorce and Separation; Employee Rights — Title VII; Employer Rights and Obligations; How to Save on Attorney Fees; Landlord–Tenant Relations; Rights of Children in Juvenile Court; Rights and Obligations of Parents in Juvenile Court; Same-Sex Partners and the Law; Social Security and SSI; and What Should I Know About Lawyers and Their Fees.* These publications are available in a printed format for a small fee. Orders of 50 or more can be obtained by calling 797-6067.
- *Senior Legal Handbook* – developed to assist and empower seniors regarding legal rights and the resources available that help ensure those rights.
- Senior Supplements – *Advance Health Care Directive; Debt Problems; Medicaid and Long-Term Care; Living Trust; Power of Attorney; Probate and Your Estate; and Transfer on Death Deed.*
- Student Essays - showcases past contest winners of the Annual High School Essay Contest, which encourages an appreciation for the law and promotes higher education.

Members are encouraged to direct the public to these resources to better understand legal topics and make informed decisions about their own legal representation.

We welcome your comments and suggestions to continually improve the site. Give us a call at (505) 797-6039 or email us at vcordova@nmbar.org.