

Clients who seek assistance through the Reduced Fee Program must NOT have:

- Income greater than 250% of the official poverty threshold (OPT), as established by the Federal Government (amounts listed below);
- Liquid assets over \$4,000.00;
- Own more than one home per family; and
- Own more than one car per adult.

Family Size	Weekly Income	Monthly Income	Annual Income
1	\$ 701	\$ 3,038	\$ 36,450
2	\$ 948	\$ 4,108	\$ 49,300
3	\$ 1,195	\$ 5,179	\$ 62,150
4	\$ 1,442	\$ 6,250	\$ 75,000
5	\$ 1,689	\$ 7,321	\$ 87,850
6	\$ 1,937	\$ 8,392	\$100,700
7	\$ 2,184	\$ 9,463	\$113,550
8	\$ 2,431	\$10,533	\$126,400
Add for each add'l member	\$ 247	\$1,071	\$12,850

Clients who do not meet these qualifications CANNOT participate in the Reduced Fee Program and must be:

- Referred back to the MCBA Lawyer Referral Service at (973) 267-6089; or
- Handled as a LRS Percentage Fee Program referral, IF the attorney is a member of the LRS Program.

If you have any questions regarding the Reduced Fee Program, please call the Bar Office at (973) 267-6089.