

## PARA1112 - Legal Ethics for the Paralegal

Credits:	3 (3/0/0)
Description:	This course covers the attorney-client privilege as it relates to paralegals, unauthorized practice of law, regulation of paralegals, ethical codes and rules.
Prerequisites:	
Corequisites:	
Pre/Corequisites*:	
Competencies:	<ol> <li>Describe role of paralegal ethics.</li> <li>Describe what constitutes the unauthorized practice of law.</li> <li>Analyze ethical duty to confidentiality.</li> <li>Identify conflict of interest.</li> <li>Describe competent representation.</li> <li>Define fiduciary duty regarding safekeeping of client funds.</li> <li>Analyze duty to report misconduct.</li> <li>Describe appropriate circumstances for law firm advertising.</li> <li>Advocate moral concepts of decision making by businesses.</li> <li>Analyze role of legal ethics as it relates to technology.</li> </ol>
MnTC goal areas:	None

<sup>\*</sup>Can be taking as a Prerequisite or Corequisite.