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To Members of the Malaysian Bar and pupils in chambers

Counselling Services Programme for Members of the Bar and Pupils in Chambers

You don't have to face stress and burnout alone. The Malaysian Bar, in partnership with the Board of Counsellors Malaysia (Lembaga Kaunselor Malaysia), provides free counselling to Members of the Bar and pupils in chambers ("pupils").

In 2021, the Malaysian Bar entered into an initial Memorandum of Understanding ("MoU") with the Board of Counsellors (Malaysia) ("Board of Counsellors"). Under the MoU, the Malaysian Bar will pay for a maximum of **five** counselling sessions for Members, provided by registered counsellors appointed by the Board of Counsellors ("panel counsellors"). More recently, the scheme has been extended to pupils.

Confidentiality is of utmost importance and we wish to point out that the identity of the Members and pupils seeking counselling will be known only to the panel counsellor whom the Members and pupils approach, and the Board of Counsellors. In accordance with the provisions of the MoU, the identities of Members and pupils seeking assistance will **not** be made known to the Bar Council.

We encourage Members and pupils who require assistance to contact their preferred panel counsellors from the list of panel counsellors available [here](#) on the Malaysian Bar website. This list is updated from time to time, when changes are made by the Board of Counsellors.

Please click [here](#) to view a set of Frequently-Asked-Questions ("FAQ"), available in English and Bahasa Melayu, about the programme. Members and pupils are encouraged to review the FAQ to learn more about the programme before making use of the counselling services.

Should you have any enquiries regarding this programme, kindly contact Nuur Syuhadah bt Mad Tarmizi from the Board of Counsellors by telephone at 03-8323 2526, or by email at syuhadah.lkm@kpwkm.gov.my.

Thank you.

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