



LEGAL SERVICES REFERRAL LIST August 5, 2024 - August 31, 2024

Bread for the City's Legal Clinic will be closed for new client services from August 5-August 31, 2024.

The places below might be able to help you while we are closed:

CONSUMER LAW: (Bankruptcy, small claims, debt collection)

Tzedek DC

(202)-274-7386

Legal assistance for issues related to debt collection, credit reports, identity theft, bankruptcy, predatory lending and most general consumer matters and financial counseling

Consumer Law Resource Center

(202)-780-2574

Issues will help with: personal injury, medical malpractice, car accident, employment, debt collection, home improvement/independent contractor disputes, security deposit refunds, Small Claims cases, used car or car repair disputes, utility disputes and violations of the Consumer Protection Procedures Act.

FAMILY LAW:

Family Law Assistance Network

(202)-844-5428

Monday-Friday 9 am – 3 pm

Provides legal advice and representation for D.C. custody, child support, parentage, or divorce matters.

IMMIGRATION:

Ayuda

(202)- 387-4848

Can help with: Immigration/Asylum, Human Trafficking, Domestic Violence, Protection Orders and related Family Law, Family law--must be a victim of domestic violence; divorce, child custody, child support, social services; victim or aggressor must currently live in DC, victim must be foreign-born.

DC Affordable Law Firm "DCALF"

(202)-844-5430

Representation at affordable rates in the following areas: Immigration Unaccompanied Child (UAC) Asylum – Special Immigrant Juvenile Status (SIJS) – T Nonimmigrant Status (T Visa) – U Nonimmigrant businessStatus (U Visa) – Bond Redetermination. Initial consultations \$75. We provide an estimate of costs at the beginning of all cases.

LANDLORD/TENANT:

Landlord Tenant Legal Assistance Network (LTLAN)

(202)-780-2575

Monday-Thursday 9 am – 4 pm, Friday 9 am – 1 pm

Unrepresented tenants and unrepresented small landlords may call LTLAN to be connected with an attorney who can provide a range of free legal information, advice, and/or representation.

Office of the Tenant Advocate (Part of DCRA)

(202)-719-6560

Advises tenants on resolving disputes with landlords, identifies legal issues and the rights and responsibilities of tenants and landlords, and provides legal and technical assistance for further action such as filing tenant petitions.

PUBLIC BENEFITS, SSI/SSDI, PROBATE, and CONSUMER:

Legal Aid Society of DC

(202) 628-1161

Call Monday, Wednesday, 10 am – 3 pm or apply for help online at legalaiddc.org

Provides direct representation to clients in the areas of landlord-tenant law, domestic violence/family law, public benefits law, and consumer (debt/foreclosure/credit) law.

Neighborhood Legal Services Program

(202) 832-6577

Call Monday, Wednesday, or Friday 10 am – 3 pm or apply for help online at nlsp.org.

Provides free legal information, advice and representation regarding housing, family, domestic violence, public benefits and barriers to employment. Provides advice on some consumer issues and assists with preparing wills and advance directives.

Legal Counsel for the Elderly

(202) 434-2120

Monday - Friday 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Issue Areas: Protective Services, Power of Attorney, Housing Law, Consumer Protection, Wills, Public Benefits, Medicaid, Social Security, Nursing Home Concerns, Veterans Advocacy Project

DC resident, **age 60 or older, exceptions for persons 55 and over applying for SSI/SSDI.**

WORKERS' RIGHTS:

Washington Lawyers Committee

(202) 319-1040

Any worker with an employment related matter including unpaid wages, discrimination, family and medical leave act (FMLA violations), unemployment compensation, workers' compensation, sexual harassment, barriers to employment, and sick leave violations.