Legal Aid of North Carolina

APPLY FOR HELP

Toll-free helpline: (866) 219-5262 legalaidnc.org/apply

Legal Aid of NC provides free legal help to low-income North Carolinians in civil cases involving basic human needs like safety, shelter, income and more.

TYPES OF CASES WE HANDLE:

HOUSING

- Evictions
- Habitability (safety and maintenance)
- · Admissions to public housing
- Terminations of housing subsidies (ex. Section 8 vouchers)
- · Housing discrimination

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE & SEXUAL ASSAULT

- Protective orders (50B)
- Child custody for victims and children exposed to violence or sexual abuse
- Other services housing, finances, etc.
 that will help stop the violence

CONSUMER

- Bankruptcy
- Debt collection
- Illegal trade practices
- Foreclosure
- Repossession

EMPLOYMENT

- Unemployment insurance
- · Wage theft
- Denial/loss of occupational licenses

PUBLIC BENEFITS

- Denials, terminations, reductions and overpayments
- Food stamps
- · Medicaid and Medicare
- · Social Security
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Supplemental Security Disability Income (SSDI)

AND MORE

- Human Trafficking: Immigration status, permission to work, refugee certification
- Veterans: Disability compensation, discharge upgrades, overpayments, pension benefits
- Community Economic Development:
 Job readiness, small business
 development, affordable housing
- Natural Disasters: Housing, benefits, consumer issues, insurance and more
- Education: School enrollment, discipline, special education and more
- Advance Directives: Wills, living wills, powers of attorney, health care powers of attorney
- Immigration: Immigration relief for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, human trafficking and other violence
- Expunction: Expunctions, certificates of relief
- Native Americans: Federal recognition, domestic violence, adoption, housing, Tribal Court

WE DO NOT HANDLE

- Criminal cases
- Civil cases for prisoners
- · Personal injury or traffic cases
- Most divorce, alimony, spousal support, and equitable distribution cases
- Most immigration cases
- · New applications for public benefits



NEED HEALTH INSURANCE?

You may still be able to get affordable health insurance with financial help if you experienced one of these events.



Change in income



Aging off parent's health plan



Permanent move



Graduation: loss of student health plan



Divorce: loss of health plan



Losing coverage (employer insurance, COBRA, Medicaid, etc.)



Gain legal immigration status



Have or adopt a child



Get married



Released from incarceration



Other changes

FREE IN-PERSON expert help is available in your area.

Call 1-855-733-3711

www.NCNavigator.net



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LEGAL AID OF NORTH CAROLINA is YOUR law firm.

Our clients are:

Children
Senior Citizens
The Disabled
The Unemployed

The Abused
Renters
Homeowners
The Homeless

Native Americans Farmworkers Veterans

AND YOU!

Call today for free help with civil (non-criminal) legal problems.

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HOURS OF OPERATION: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm Monday – Friday

5:30 pm — 8:30 pm Monday & Thursday

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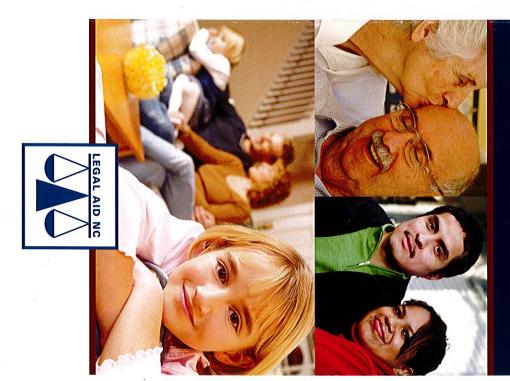
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HELPLINE

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Our Legal Aid Helpline staff can discuss your legal questions by telephone:

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TOLL-FREE

ABOUT US

LEGAL AID OF NORTH CAROLINA (LANC) is a nonprofit law firm that provides free legal services in civil (non-criminal) matters to low-income people in order to ensure equal access to justice and to remove legal barriers to economic opportunity.

LANC has a history of serving North Carolinians who are of modest means or are living in poverty that stretches back to 1976. Today LANC has 18 offices across the state that serve the critical legal needs of over 25,000 households a year.

Our Legal Aid Helpline offers help in the following areas:



HOUSING LAW

Evictions Safe Housing Housing Discrimination Foreclosure



CONSUMER LAW

Contracts
Debt Collection
Repossessions



PUBLIC BENEFITS

Medicare/Medicaid Food Stamps TANF/Work First Social Security Unemployment Benefits



FAMILY LAW

Domestic Violence



OTHER

Education
Powers of Attorney/Wills
Expungements
Veterans Benefits

If you qualify, our Legal Aid Helpline can provide the following:

ADVICE

Our attorneys can answer legal questions regarding civil (non-criminal) matters and/or offer advice in a timely and responsive manner.

BRIEF SERVICE

We can write letters and/or place telephone calls for you to help resolve your problem.

INFORMATION

Our attorneys can review legal documents, clarify issues, and provide options.

REFERRALS

If you require extensive services, we may refer you to your local Legal Aid of North Carolina office or other agencies for additional help.