

DO YOU HAVE A LEGAL PROBLEM?

YOU MIGHT NOT EVEN REALIZE IT.

Referrals are intended for people living or facing a legal problem in Wisconsin.

FREE (F) AND LOW-COST/SLIDING SCALE (SS) LEGAL RESOURCES are available for problems ranging from driver's licenses to child support. By completing this legal check-up, you might discover a civil legal need you were not even aware of. Organizations listed might be able to help. Most organizations listed have eligibility criteria based on your income.

1. Are you unable to get or keep a valid driver's license?

- If yes, Legal Action of Wisconsin's Center for Driver's License Recovery (F) may be able to help:
 - o MATC Downtown Campus: 414-297-6407, 700 W. State St. Foundation Hall

2. Do you need help registering to vote?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o My Vote Wisconsin (F): www.myvote.wi.gov/en-us/RegisterToVote
 - o League of Women Voters (F): <https://my.lww.org/wisconsin/register-vote>

3. Do you need power of attorney documents?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee, Inc. (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Mobile Legal Clinic Estate Planning Clinic (F): <https://www.mkemobilelegalclinic.com/estate-planning>

4. Do you need a will?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee, Inc. (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Mobile Legal Clinic Estate Planning Clinic (F): <https://www.mkemobilelegalclinic.com/estate-planning>

5. Do you need assistance navigating a probate case?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000 (uncontested cases only)
 - o Marquette Volunteer Legal Clinics (F): 414-288-6912, <https://law.marquette.edu/assets/community/pdf/probate-clinic.pdf>

6. Do you have issues with your credit? (For example, bad credit, unpaid debts, or collection efforts against you.)

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Marquette Volunteer Legal Clinics (F): 414-288-6912, www.law.marquette.edu/mvlc
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee, Inc. (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000

7. Is your home in foreclosure or at risk of foreclosure?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidmke.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Metro Milwaukee Foreclosure Mediation Program (SS): 414-939-8800, www.mediatemilwaukee.com

8. Do you need help with a divorce?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Centro Legal (SS): 414-384-7900, www.centrolegalwisconsin.org, 611 W. National Ave., Suite 103
 - o Civitas Law Group (SS): 414-949-5266, www.clgmke.org, 2618 W. Greenfield Ave.
 - o Milwaukee Justice Center (F): 414-288-6912, www.MilwaukeeJusticeCenter.org, Milwaukee Co. Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Room G-9

9. Do you have problems getting or paying child support?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Centro Legal (SS): 414-384-7900, www.centrolegalwisconsin.org, 611 W. National Ave., Suite 103
 - o Civitas Law Group (SS): 414-949-5266, www.clgmke.org, 2618 W. Greenfield Ave.
 - o Milwaukee Justice Center (F): 414-288-6912, www.MilwaukeeJusticeCenter.org, Milwaukee Co. Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Room G-9
 - o Milwaukee County Child Support Services (F): 414-615-2593, Milwaukee Co. Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Room 101

10. Do you have problems being able to see your children? (For example, issues related to custody and/or placement.)

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Centro Legal (SS): 414-384-7900, www.centrolegalwisconsin.org, 611 W. National Ave., Suite 103
 - o Civitas Law Group (SS): 414-949-5266, www.clgmke.org, 2618 W. Greenfield Ave.
 - o Milwaukee Justice Center (F): 414-288-6912, www.MilwaukeeJusticeCenter.org, Milwaukee Co. Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Room G-9

11. Are you having trouble receiving public benefits such as Food Share, Badger Care, Medicaid, or others?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidmke.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Disability Rights Wisconsin (F): 800-928-8778, www.disabilityrightswi.org, 6737 W. Washington St., #3230

12. Do you have concerns about your legal status in this country?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Catholic Charities Legal Services for Immigrants and Refugees (F): 414-643-8570, www.risccmke.org/en/, 1233 South 45th Street
 - o Marquette Volunteer Legal Clinics (F): 414-288-6912, www.law.marquette.edu/mvlc
 - o Voces de la Frontera (F): (414) 643-1620, <https://vdlf.org/legal-services/>

13. Are you afraid of your partner or anyone in your home?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Culturally specific programs: www.weareheremke.org
 - o Latina Resource Center (F): 414-389-6500
 - o Milwaukee Commission on Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault (F): 414-286-2997
 - o Milwaukee Women's Center (F): 414-671-6140
 - o Sojourner Family Peace Center (F): 414-933-2722 or via text at 414-877-8100
 - o Disability Rights Wisconsin (F): 800-928-8778, www.disabilityrightswi.org, 6737 W. Washington St., #3230
 - o National Domestic Violence Hotline (F): 800-799-SAFE (7233) or via text by texting "START"

14. Have you been forced to have sex for money, food, shelter, or another reason?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help
 - o Exploit No More (F): 414-384-6100
 - o LOTUS Legal Clinic (F): call or text 414-885-1469
 - o National Human Trafficking Resource Center (F): 888-373-7888
 - o Disability Rights Wisconsin (F): 800-928-8778, www.disabilityrightswi.org, 6737 W. Washington St., #3230

15. Are you concerned about financial, physical, emotional abuse or neglect of an individual 60 or older?

- If yes, Legal Action of Wisconsin's SeniorLAW program (F) may be able to help: 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000

16. Are you the primary caregiver for an elderly person or a person with a disability who may need guardianship or an alternative to guardianship?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Marquette Volunteer Legal Clinics (F) with ADVICE: 414-288-6912, www.law.marquette.edu/mvlc
 - o Milwaukee Justice Center (F) with FORMS: email mjclegalhelp@gmail.com
 - o Disability Rights Wisconsin (F): 800-928-8778, www.disabilityrightswi.org, 6737 W. Washington St., #3230

17. Do you wish to contest guardianship and seek other less restrictive alternatives?

- If yes, Disability Rights Wisconsin (F) may be able to help: 800-928-8778, www.disabilityrightswi.org, 6737 W. Washington St., #3230

18. Are you the primary caregiver for a child (you are not their parent) in need of a legal guardian?

- If yes, Kids Matter, Inc. (F) may be able to help: 414-344-1220, www.kidsmatterinc.org, 1850 N. Dr. MLK Jr. Dr.

19. Do you owe taxes or have tax problems?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F) may be able to help: 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Wisconsin Judicare (F): 715-842-1681, www.judicare.org, P.O. Box 6100, Wausau, WI 54402

20. Do you have a criminal record or need other background record cleanup?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722 www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Mobile Legal Clinic Pardon Application Clinic (F): 414-278-2046, www.mkemobilelegalclinic.com

21. Do you have unpaid/unresolved municipal or traffic tickets?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Nonprofit Legal Referral Services (SS): 414-435-0636

22. Are you navigating a criminal law matter?

- If yes, the Wisconsin State Public Defender's Office may be able to help (F): <http://wisspd.org/>
 - o Contact the SPD office in the county in which you live to determine if that office can represent you. In Milwaukee, the Public Defender's Office for:
 - Adult cases is located at 819 North Sixth Street, Room 908, (414) 227-4130.
 - Juvenile and mental health cases is located at 10930 W. Potter Road, Suite D, (414) 266-1182.

23. Do you have problems with an employer or previous employer?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell
 - o Disability Rights Wisconsin (F): 800-928-8778, www.disabilityrightswi.org, 6737 W. Washington St., #3230

24. Have you performed work for which you have not been paid by your employer? Or are you struggling with the process to receive Unemployment Insurance?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell

25. Do you have issues related to your current or past housing?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsociety.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell and Eviction Free MKE (F): 414-892-7368
 - o Rental Housing Resource Center (F): 414-895-7368, www.renthelpmke.org

26. Are you a renter with an upcoming court date?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Legal Aid Society of Milwaukee (F): 414-727-5300, <https://legalaidsmke.com/>, 728 N. James Lovell and Eviction Free MKE (F): 414-892-7368
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin's Eviction Defense Project (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000
 - o Rental Housing Resource Center (F): 414-895-7368, www.renthelpmke.org

27. Do you have an eviction record that presents barriers to obtaining housing?

- If yes, the Eviction Diversion Initiative (F) may be able to help:
<https://www.milwaukeejusticecenter.org/landlord-tenant.html>

28. Do you need to file bankruptcy?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Bankruptcy Help Desk (F): www.wieeb.uscourts.gov/pro-se-help-desk, 517 E. Wisconsin Ave., Room 153
 - o Legal Action of Wisconsin (F): 414-278-7722, www.legalaction.org, 633 W. Wisconsin Ave, Suite 2000

29. Do you need assistance with unpaid medical bills or medical expenses? Are you uninsured or your insurance is unaffordable?

- If yes, ABC for Health (F) may be able to help: <https://www.safetyweb.org/intake.html>

30. Do you want to start a small business or nonprofit or need legal help related to your small business or nonprofit?

- If yes, these groups may be able to help:
 - o Marquette Volunteer Legal Clinics (F): 414-288-6912, <https://waitwhile.com/locations/smallbusinessandnonp/>
 - o Marquette Law and Entrepreneurship Clinic (F): <https://law.marquette.edu/community/marquette-law-and-entrepreneurship-clinic> or email entrepreneurship@marquette.edu

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Access free legal advice online using Wisconsin Free Legal Answers: <https://wi.freelegalanswers.org/>

Additional legal information and resources statewide: <https://www.wislawhelp.org/>