



Community Court Access Program

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Legal Assistance Resource Guide

➔ Legal Aid Society of Northeastern NY

Counties covered: Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, and Schoharie

Financial eligibility: Basic income eligibility for LASNNY is 125% of the Federal poverty level. Some exceptions apply.

Services provided: Civil, non-criminal cases involving Domestic violence; Housing, Public Benefits; Impact Advocacy

Contact information: www.lasnny.org, 833-628-0087

➔ Legal Information for Families Today (LIFT)

Counties Covered: Albany, Columbia, Greene, Rensselaer, Schoharie, Sullivan and Ulster

Financial eligibility: none, services are free to anyone who may need them

Services provided: Child Support; Custody; Visitation; Domestic Violence

Contact information: www.liftonline.org; 212-343-1122

➔ Legal Services of the Hudson Valley

Counties covered: Sullivan and Ulster

Financial eligibility: Household income is 200% or below the federal poverty guidelines (approximately \$52,400 for a family of four in 2020)

Services provided: Child Support; COVID-19/Coronavirus issues; Crime Victims; Disability Advocacy; Domestic Violence; Elder Law; HIV/AIDS; Housing and Homelessness Prevention; Independent Consumer Advocacy Network (Ombudsman Program for people with Medicaid who need long-term services – e.g., home attendant, adult day care or nursing home accommodations); LGBTQ Legal Project; The Pink Project (civil legal services to eligible survivors of breast cancer and those battling the disease); Public Benefits; Veterans and Military Families

Contact information: www.lshv.org, 1877-574-8529

➔ The Legal Project

Counties Covered: All programs cover Albany, and Rensselaer. Services also offered in Columbia, Greene, and Schoharie, but not all programs are available in these counties.

Financial eligibility: Legal consultation for most programs available to anyone who may need them; Eligibility for representation varies by program

Services provided: Domestic Violence; Immigration; Homeowner Protection; Affordable Housing; Bankruptcy and Credit; Wills; Crime Victims Assistance; Human Trafficking; Small Business; Legal Clinics/Advice; Veterans; Uncontested Divorces

Contact information: www.legalproject.org, 518-435-1770

Additional Legal Resources:

➔ **Free Legal Answers:** connect with volunteer attorneys on civil matters -

<https://ny.freelegalanswers.org/>

➔ **LawHelpNY:** free legal information and attorney referrals - <http://lawhelpny.org/>