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Legal Information

This handout is intended to better inform those who would like information on legal resources. One is not limited to these resources and is encouraged to speak with family and friends about their experiences for further legal advice. Please note that the information provided is not a full list of legal resources, but instead a list of some of the various services.

ABC for Health, Inc. (ES)

32 N. Bassett Street
Madison, WI 53703

(608) 261-6939 : Main phone
(608) 261-6939 : Alternate phone
(608) 261-6938 : Fax Number

Website: www.safetyweb.org

Email: info@safetyweb.org

Intake Procedures: Call for details

Fees: None. *Sliding fee scale for legal representation. Call for details

Advocacy and Benefits Counseling for Health is a non-profit public interest law firm dedicated to ensuring healthcare access for children and families, especially with special needs or at risk. Provides information, advocacy tools, legal services, and expert support to navigate complicated healthcare financing systems. Can help apply for health coverage, challenge insurance claims. Call for details

Circuit Court

912 56th St
Kenosha, WI 53140

(262) 653-2664 : Main phone
(262) 653-2675 : Alternate phone
(262) 653-2673 : Fax Number
(262) 653-2435 : Fax Number
(262) 653-2454 : Alternate phone

Website: www.kenoshacounty.org/118/Clerk-of-Courts

Intake Procedures: Call for details

Fees: Call for details

Kenosha County Court System.

Information regarding the Wisconsin Circuit Court System and public court records can be accessed online. www.wicourts.gov

Disability Rights Wisconsin

6737 W. Washington Street, #3230
Milwaukee, WI 53214

(414) 773-4646 : Main phone
(414) 773-4647 : Fax Number

Website: www.disabilityrightswi.org

Email: info@drwi.org

Intake Procedures: Call for speak to an Intake Specialist

Fees: None

Provides advocacy, advice, information and referral services to people with disabilities who have been discriminated against, neglected, abused or denied a needed service or program based on a disability. Priority areas include abuse/neglect, patient rights advocacy for SSI Managed Care and Family Care, Partnership, PACE or IRIS problems.

Division of Quality Assurance- DQA

1 West Wilson St.
Madison, WI 53703-3445

(800) 642-6552 : Main phone

Website: www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/guide/complaints.htm

Intake Procedures: Call for details. Complaints can be made by phone or registered on-line.

Fees: None

Is responsible for assuring the health, safety, and welfare of persons using health and community care provider services in Wisconsin. File a complaint online by emailing DQA at DHSwebmailDQA@wisconsin.gov(link sends e-mail).

Call the toll-free number to file a complaint by dialing 800-642-6552. Leave a voice mail message and your call will be returned by the next working day.

ELCA Outreach Center (ES)

6218 26th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53140

(262) 652-5545 : Main phone
(262) 997-1028 : Fax Number

Website: www.elcaoutreachcenter.org

Email: info@elcaoutreachcenter.org

Intake Procedures: Call or walk-in. *Call to schedule Legal advice appointment

Fees: None

Free legal advice service on following issues: Debt, Renters Rights, Family Law, Guardianship, Child Support, Driver's License Recovery and Small Claims. Please complete our online form or print and fill out the Intake Form

<https://elcaoutreachcenter.org/forms/legal-intake-form/> Please call 262-455-8511 for schedule information. *Attorneys can only assist if NOT already represented by an attorney

Elder Financial Empowerment Project

6320 Monona Drive
Madison, WI 53716

(800) 488-2596 : Main phone

Website: www.cwag.org

Email: skomisar@cwag.org

Intake Procedures: Call and leave a message for a call back

Fees: None

The Elder Financial Empowerment Project assists Wisconsin victims of financial abuse who are age 60 and above by:

- Staffs a state-wide legal help line to provide information, advice, and referral to elder victims and their surrogates, Providing limited emergency legal assistance to victims, Restraining Order, Revocation of POAH, redrafting of POAH to remove abusive agent, legal advocacy.

Law Offices of Stephanie M. Gwyn, LLC (ES)

P.O. Box 1114
Kenosha, WI 53141

(262) 764-5036 : Main phone

Email: stephaniegwyn1@gmail.com

Intake Procedures: Call for an appointment

Fees: Varies, sliding scale based on income available. Call for full details

Law firm, providing immigration law service to individuals and the international business community. Serve clients with immigration needs such as employment visas, family-based permanent residence applications, marriage-based green card petitions, adjustment of status, labor certification and bona fide asylum claims through out the United States.

Lawyer Referral and Information Service

5302 Eastpark Boulevard
Madison, WI 53718

(608) 257-4666 : Main phone
(800) 362-9082 : Alternate phone
(608) 250-6020 : Fax Number
(888) 529-7599 : Alternate phone

Website: www.wisbar.org/forPublic/Pages/for-public.aspx

Email: LRISResponse@wisbar.org

Intake Procedures: When you call the service, you will not get legal advice. However, you will talk to a legal assistant who is experienced in analyzing potential legal problems – and in helping you locate the best source of help. Call or visit their web site

Fees: None

Can assess if you need an attorney, and then appropriate, LRIS can refer you to a lawyer in the Kenosha or elsewhere in Wisconsin who has indicated an interest in dealing with your legal situation. Attorneys referred through LRIS agree to charge no more than \$20 for the first consultation, up to one half hour. Modest Means Program www.wisbar.org/modestmeans, or 888-529-7599

Legal Action of Wisconsin (ES)

245 Main Street, Suite 202
Racine, WI 53403

(262) 635-8836 : Main phone
711 : TTY
(262) 635-8838 : Fax Number
(800) 362-3904 : Alternate phone
(855) 947-2529 : Alternate phone
(855) 947-2529 : Alternate phone

Website: www.legalaction.org

Email: law@legalaction.org

Intake Procedures: Call for an appointment. Many services can be completed over the telephone

Fees: Free for qualified income-eligible individuals. Call for eligibility information
Legal Action provides free civil legal services to persons who meet our income, priority and special grant criteria. Depending on the status of funding available, Legal representation and assistance may be provided to eligible persons in various areas of law. Call for full details.

Legal Advocacy Program

Women and Children's Horizons
Kenosha, WI 53143

(262) 652-9900 : Main phone
(262) 656-3402 : Fax Number
(262) 653-2767 : Alternate phone

Website: www.wchkenosha.org

Email: wchfrontdesk@wchkenosha.org

Intake Procedures: Call to speak to an advocate for more information

Fees: None

Women and Children's Horizons Legal Advocacy Program has an advocate that can assist a victim through the criminal justice process, restraining orders, and family courts such as divorces, legal separations and child custody issues. Advocates are not lawyers. Advocates are available for support, information regarding court processes, court accompaniment, and help filing important documents.

MyVote Wisconsin (ES)

Elections Commission
Madison, WI 53703

(608) 266-8005 : Main phone
(866) 868-3947 : Toll-free
(608) 267-0500 : Fax Number

Website: myvote.wi.gov/

Email: elections@wi.gov

Intake Procedures: Access website, or call for details

Fees: None

At myvote.wi.gov you can register to vote, update your contact information, check your voter registration status, find your polling place, see what's on your ballot, request an absentee ballot (military and permanent overseas voters only), and check provisional ballot status.

****Kenosha Voter Registration information** (262) 653-4020

National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys, Inc.

1577 Spring Hill Rd., Suite 310
 , VA 22182

(703) 942-5711 : Main phone

(703) 563-9504 : Fax Number

Website: <https://www.naela.org/findlawyer>

Email: naela@naela.org

Intake Procedures: Call for details or search for local Elder Law Attorney, online by state

Fees: Call for details

NAELA members assist their clients with public benefits, probate and estate planning, guardianship, conservatorship, and health and long-term care planning, among other important issues. If you are seeking legal advice, please click on the "Find an Attorney" button located on the website: <https://www.naela.org/findlawyer>

National Organization of Social Security Claimants Representatives

1300 I (Eye) Street, NW Suite 825
 Washington , DC 20005

(800) 431-2804 : Main phone

(202) 849.6466 : Alternate phone

Website: www.nosscr.org

Email: nosscr@nosscr.org

Intake Procedures: Call NOSSCR at 1-800-431-2804 to obtain the name and phone number of a private attorney in your area. You can contact the attorney about representing you in your claim for Social Security or SSI benefits

Fees: Varies, call for details

A specialized bar association for attorneys and other advocates who represent people with disabilities. Call NOSSCR at 1-800-431-2804 for the name and phone number of a private attorney in your area. You can contact the attorney about representing you in your claim for Social Security or SSI benefits. Represent people with disabilities.

Refugee and Immigration Services - Catholic Charities (ES)

1233 S. 45th Street

(414) 643-8570 : Main phone

West Milwaukee, WI 53214

(414) 643-6726 : Fax Number

Website: risccmke.org/en/

Email: contactRIS@ccmke.org

Intake Procedures: Call for appointment, no walk ins

Fees: Information sessions are at no charge. Legal counseling fees are on a sliding scale based on ability to pay

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Milwaukee provides broad-based immigration legal services to newcomers to the United States who are seeking to become citizens or reunify with family members living here. They also assist individuals trying to secure asylum or temporary protection in the United States. Serves poor and low-income people in the ten counties of southeastern Wisconsin.

Tenant Resource Center (ES)

2510 Winnebago Street

(608) 257-0006 : Main phone

Madison, WI 53703

(877) 238-7368 : Toll-free

(608) 286-0804 : Fax Number

Website: www.tenantresourcecenter.org

Email: asktrc@tenantresourcecenter.org

Intake Procedures: Call for details

Fees: None. Donations for forms and information are accepted

Services outside of Dane County depends on availability funds. At times they can only serve Dane Co. residents. Offers information for tenants and landlords interested in learning more about their rental rights and responsibilities, information on state and local rental laws and regulations and lease screening services. Access website for full list of topics, forms and information.

Wisconsin-ABA Free Legal Answers

American Bar Association

Chicago, IL 60654

Website: wi.freelegalanswers.org/

Intake Procedures: Access website to check eligibility and send your legal question

Fees: None

Wisconsin Free Legal Answers is a virtual legal advice clinic in which qualifying users post civil legal questions at no cost to be answered by pro bono attorneys licensed in their state. Users post their civil legal question to their state's website. Users will then be emailed when their question receives a response. Access website for details.

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You can also contact the Better Business Bureau by phone: 1-800-273-1002 or access their website: www.wisconsin.bbb.org/