

WHERE TO FIND LEGAL HELP

West Virginia State Bar

The **Lawyer Referral Service** at the State Bar can connect you with qualified, local attorneys including a referral to a lawyer for a 30-minute consultation for \$25 or less.

Learn more at www.wvlawyerreferral.org

Tuesday Legal Connect – Free Live Legal Help

Tuesdays between 6:00pm and 8:00pm **1-800-642-3617**

Volunteer lawyers will provide *general* legal information.

Attorneys cannot provide direct legal advice.

West Virginia Free Legal Answers – Ask a Question Online

A free online message system to privately post a civil legal question

Learn more at <https://wv.freelegalanswers.org>

West Virginia Judiciary

Main Number: **1-304-558-0145**

Home web page: www.courtswv.gov

The Judiciary website offers resources for self-help including links to the courts across West Virginia and a downloadable court forms at: www.courtswv.gov/legal-community/court-forms.html

Additional assistance can be found by contacting the Clerk's Office at:

1-304-558-2601 (main telephone)

1-304-558-4219 (TTY for hearing impaired)

Family Court Mediation Services

An approved list of mediators can be obtained through Family Court Services at the Supreme Court of Appeals or on the website. **1-304-558-0145**

<https://www.courtswv.gov/sites/default/pubfiles/mediator/2024-01/MediatorByCounty1-24.pdf>

West Virginia Law Library is located at the State Capitol in Charleston. The library has books for research, computers to use, and law librarians that can help you.

<https://www.courtswv.gov/public-resources/law-library/contact-us> or call **1-304-558-2607**

The West Virginia Library Commission

Public libraries throughout West Virginia may have computers, forms, books, and other information that can help you. **1-800-642-9021**

WVU College of Law Clinical Program

Free legal assistance by law students under the supervision of attorneys in a variety of areas, including family law, immigration, veterans assistance, domestic violence, and others. <https://law.wvu.edu/clinics> or call **1-304-293-7249** or email cliniclaw@mail.wvu.edu

The **WV Coalition Against Domestic Violence** is a statewide network of community-based domestic violence programs working to end violence in the lives of women, children and men. www.wvcadv.org or call **1-800-799-7233** (National Domestic Violence Hotline)

Legal Aid of West Virginia provides legal services in certain kinds of cases if your income meets certain guidelines. <https://legalaidwv.org> or **1-866-255-4370**

Mountain State Justice is a non-profit public interest law office dedicated to pursuing impact and significant litigation on behalf of low-income West Virginians. They provide free legal services in certain areas of practice to qualifying individuals. <https://mountainstatejustice.org> or **800-319-7132**

Senior Legal Aid Services provides free legal assistance to seniors, 60 and older. www.seniorlegalaid.com or **1-800-229-5068**

WV Attorney General's Office - Consumer Hotline

Offering consumer protection assistance including downloadable consumer complaint forms and a Consumer Protection Hotline at **1-800-368-8808** www.ago.wv.gov/consumerprotection/pages/default.aspx