

OREGON LEGAL ASSISTANCE RESOURCE GUIDE

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AGENCY/SERVICE	COVERAGE AREA	CONTACT INFO	NOTES / KEYWORDS
211 Info	Oregon and SW Washington	211 (phone) www.211info.org	Community information and referrals to health, welfare, and a wide range of other personal and community service offerings.
ACLU of Oregon	Oregon	503-227-3186 www.aclu-or.org	Civil liberties/civil rights preservation.
Animal Law Clinic, Lewis & Clark Law School	Oregon	503-768-6600 http://law.lclark.edu/centers/animal_law_studies/animal_law_clinic/	Animal protection litigation and legislation.
Bankruptcy Clinic – OSB and LASO	Clackamas, Columbia, Wasco, Hood River, Yamhill, Sherman, Multnomah, & Washington Counties	Call county LASO office (see also other listings for Legal Aid Services of Oregon [LASO]) http://sites.lawhelp.org/program/694/index.cfm	Monthly class on Chapter 7 bankruptcy. Consultations and possible pro bono referrals available for qualified low-income individuals and families.
Bicycle Transportation Alliance (BTA)	Oregon	503-226-0676 http://btaoregon.org/	Nonprofit supporting bicyclists and bicycling. Hosts bi-monthly legal clinics.
Cascades Resources Advocacy Group (CRAG Law Center)	Oregon	503-296-5454 http://crag.org/	Supports community environmental initiatives in Pacific Northwest.

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Catholic Charities – Immigration Legal Services	Oregon	503-542-2855 http://catholiccharitiesoregon.org/services_legal_services.asp	Intake for new clients: 1 st Tuesday of month. Also serve domestic violence victims – call anytime (no special intake).
Catholic Charities – El Programa Hispano Support Services: Low Income Tax Clinic	Oregon	503-669-8350 http://catholiccharitiesoregon.org/latino_services_family.asp	Provides advocacy and education about the tax system to low income Latino families. The LITC also serves clients with disputes with IRS.
Center for Non-profit Legal Services – Legal Aid	Jackson County	541-779-7291 http://cnpls.org/	Provides crisis civil legal assistance to low income and elder residents in housing, public welfare, family dissolution, employment, immigration, and other legal problems.
Centro Cultural	Washington County	503-359-0446 www.centrocultural.org	Provides legal and other services for Spanish speaking immigrants.
Child Support Hotline: Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO)	Oregon	800-383-1222 http://sites.lawhelp.org/program/694/RTF1.cfm?pagename=Hotline%20Information	For low-income persons who have problems with getting or paying child support.
Civil Rights Division – Oregon Bureau of Labor and Industries (BOLI)	Oregon	971-673-0764 www.oregon.gov/BOLI/CRD	Defends the rights of all to equal opportunity in employment, housing, public accommodations and career schools. Complaints filed online or by phone.
Community Alliance of Tenants (CAT) - Renter's Rights Hotline	Oregon	503-288-0130 http://oregoncat.org/	Tenants'/ renters' rights. See website for statewide information/links. See also under <i>Tenant Hotline</i> , the hotline provided by the Oregon Law Center's Hillsboro Regional Office.

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Community Law Project: A Nonprofit Law Office with Sliding Fee Scales	Oregon	503-208-4079 www.CommunityLawProject.org	Specializing in bankruptcy, tenant representation, small business advising, tax, mediation, and offering a wide range of practice areas tailored to low- and middle-income people.
Consumer Protection – Oregon Department of Justice	Oregon	503-378-4320 (Salem) 503-229-5576 (Portland) 877-877-9392 (toll free) www.doj.state.or.us/consumer	Consumer-related questions, concerns or complaints; recover money from companies that engage in unfair, deceitful or fraudulent behavior.
Consumer and Business Services – State of Oregon	Oregon	503-378-4100 www.oregon.gov/DCBS	Business and financial institution information and complaints.
De Muniz Reentry Resource Center, Legal Clinic (Community Corrections Campus, Salem)	Marion County	503-990-7370 http://marioncountyreentry.com/de-muniz-resource-center/	Screen reentry (ex-offender) clients for possible legal assistance by pro bono attorneys in certain civil, family, and expungement law matters.
Disability Rights Oregon	Oregon	503-243-2081 800-452-1694 503-323-9161 (TTY) 800-556-5351 (TTY) www.disabilityrightsoregon.org	Disability Rights Oregon (DRO) promotes Opportunity, Access and Choice for individuals with disabilities by assisting them with legal problems directly related to their disabilities.
Domestic Violence Resource Center	Washington County	503-640-5352 866-469-8600 www.dvrc-or.org	24-hour crisis line, prevention, intervention (family & children), Monika's house shelter, protective order advocacy program. Focus is Washington County, but serves the entire state.
Domestic Violence/Victim's Assistance	Clackamas County	503-655-8431 www.clackamas.us/da	Clackamas County District Attorney's office

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Domestic Violence/Victim's Assistance	Multnomah County	503-988-3222 http://web.multco.us/dv	Multnomah County District Attorney's office
Domestic Violence/Victim's Assistance	Washington County	503-846-8671 www.co.washington.or.us/districtattorney	Washington County District Attorney's office
Elders in Action	Multnomah, Clackamas, & Washington Counties	503-235-5474 www.eldersinaction.org	Advocacy and referral services for seniors.
Family Law Facilitators and Resources – Oregon Judicial Department	Oregon	http://courts.oregon.gov/OJD/OSCA/cpsd/courtimprovement/familylaw/pages/index.aspx	Family Law self-help support. Select link for 'facilitators' to identify existing county contacts.
Immigration Counseling Services	Portland Metro	503-221-1689 www.immigrationcounseling.org	Immigration legal clinic/counseling for low-income clients – drop-in is preferred.
Lane County Legal Aid & Advocacy Center	Lane County	541-485-1017 www.lclac.org	Provides civil legal assistance to persons in economic and social need including help with public benefits, disability issues, and elder law.
Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO): Marion & Polk County Legal Aid	Marion & Polk Counties	503-581-5265 800-359-1845 http://mplas.org/	Family Law (divorce, custody, and domestic violence issues), Housing, and Public Benefits.
Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO): Portland Regional Office	NW Oregon	503-224-4086 800-288-6958 (toll free) http://sites.lawhelp.org/Program/782/index.cfm	Free civil legal services to low-income people serving Multnomah, Clackamas, Hood River, Sherman, & Wasco counties

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Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO): Other Field Offices	Oregon	http://sites.lawhelp.org/program/1173/index.cfm Oregon Law Help www.oregonlawhelp.org	Free civil legal services to low-income people serving Albany, Bend, Klamath Falls, Newport, Pendleton, and Roseburg
Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO): Farmworker Programs	Oregon	503-648-7163 888-245-4091 Oregon Law Help http://oregonlawhelp.org/issues/farm-workers Oregon Law Center www.oregonlawcenter.org	Free legal services to eligible low-income agricultural workers in certain civil issues including employment, health and safety, labor housing, unemployment benefits, and tax problems. Offices in Salem, Portland, and Woodburn.
Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO): Statewide Hotlines	Oregon	Public Benefits Hotline: 800-520-5292 Child Support Hotline: 800-383-1222 http://sites.lawhelp.org/program/694/RTF1.cfm?pagename=Hotline%20Information	Hotlines are for low-income persons who have problems with applying for or receiving public benefits such as Welfare, Food Stamps, or Social Security or have problems with getting or paying child support.
Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO): Taxpayer Clinic	Oregon	503-224-4086 888-610-8764 http://oregonlawhelp.org/resource/about-the-low-income-taxpayer-clinic?ref=tY0rv	Free legal services to eligible, low income people who have federal tax problems or need help resolving federal tax debt.

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Lewis & Clark – Legal Clinic & Tax Clinic	Portland Metro Tax issues: Oregon & SW Washington (not bankruptcy)	503-768-6500 (Intake only during school terms; dependent on student availability, legal matter. No telephone advice.) http://law.lclark.edu/clinics/legal_clinic/ http://law.lclark.edu/clinics/legal_clinic/tax_clinic/	Teaching clinics of the Lewis and Clark Law School to help individuals with civil, administrative, and Federal tax law problems. Call for hours and services. Minimal fees may be charged. For bankruptcy: See <i>Bankruptcy Clinic</i>
Lewis & Clark – Small Business Legal Clinic	Oregon	503-768-69400 http://law.lclark.edu/centers/small_business_legal_clinic/	Teaching clinic with focus on small business. No drop-in. Call for information.
Metropolitan Public Defender – Portland	Multnomah County	503-225-9100 www.mpdlaw.com/portland	Padilla Project Immigration Consultation and Veteran's Project.
Metropolitan Public Defender – Hillsboro	Washington County	503-726-7900 www.mpdlaw.com/hillsboro	Padilla Project Immigration Consultation and Veteran's Project.
Northwest Constitutional Rights Center	Oregon	503-295-6400 www.mrgfoundation.org/grantees/northwest-constitutional-rights-center	Safeguarding the rights of political activists, communities of color and immigrants.

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Northwest Justice Project (NJP)	Washington State	Phone: 211 206-461-3200 877-211-9274 (King County) 888-201-1014 (outside King County) 888-387-7111 (for seniors 60+) www.nwjustice.org www.washingtonlawhelp.org (legal information) http://nwjustice.org/contact-northwest-justice-project (lawyer referral information)	A non-profit corporation established to provide lawyer referrals and civil legal services to low income persons throughout Washington State. <i>*Note: civil (non-criminal) only</i>
Northwest Workers Justice Project (NWJP)	Oregon	503-525-8454 http://nwjp.org/	Expands low-wage workers' access to legal help through policy advocacy, training, referrals, and pro bono representation. Programs include the Low Wage Worker Legal Network (LWWLN) and Oregon Coalition to Stop Wage Theft.
Oregon Bureau of Labor & Industry (BOLI)	Oregon	971-673-0761 www.oregon.gov/boli	Questions about wage & hour laws and other labor/employment legal issues.
Oregon Coalition Against Domestic & Sexual Violence	Oregon	503-230-1951 877-330-1951 888-235-5333 (statewide crisis line) http://ocadsv.org	Serves survivors of domestic and sexual violence.
Oregon Crime Victims Law Center	Oregon	503-208-8160 www.ocvlc.org	Advocates for crime victims in Oregon to ensure that they have a meaningful voice in the criminal justice system.

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Oregon Law Center (OLC) – Legal Aid	Various regions in Oregon	www.oregonlawcenter.org Oregon Law Help www.oregonlawhelp.org	Civil legal services as administrative, family, and housing law for low-income individuals. Check website to find locations, hours, and contact information.
Oregon Law Center (OLC) – Legal Aid: Hillsboro Regional Office	Washington, Columbia, Clatsop, Tillamook, & Yamhill Counties	503-640-4115 877-296-4076 Oregon Law Center www.oregonlawcenter.org	Legal services for low-income residents of 5-county region on areas as health care, employment, domestic violence, housing, and farmworker law.
Oregon Probate Estates Program –Oregon Department of State Lands	Oregon	503-986-5287 www.oregon.gov/DSL/ESTATES	The <i>Estates Program</i> administers estates of persons who have died without a will and for whom heirs cannot be found during the estate probate process. Website has estate planning resource links.
Oregon State Bar Information & Referral	Oregon	503-684-3763 www.osbar.org/public/ris	Assistance in finding a lawyer through several programs: Lawyer Referral, Modest Means, Problem Solvers, & Military Assistance Panel.
Oregon State Bar Legal Links	Oregon	503-620-3000 800-452-4776 www.osbar.org/public/legalinfo.html	Recorded and online information regarding legal issues as presented by the Oregon State Bar.
Oregon Volunteer Lawyers for the Arts (OVLA)	Oregon (<i>in-person consult Portland only</i>)	503-768-6946 http://oregonvla.org/	Offers pro bono legal services for artists and creatives, involving intellectual property and entertainment business matters.
Pedestrian Legal Clinics – Oregon Walks	Portland Metro	503-223-1597 http://oregonwalks.org/	Find <i>Pedestrian Legal Clinic</i> under “Programs” and contact organizers to find out about outreach beyond Portland metro area.

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Portland State University (PSU) Student Legal Services	Currently enrolled PSU students	503-725-4556 http://www.pdx.edu/sls/home	Check website or phone for hours. Includes notary services for PSU community.
Public Benefits Hotline: Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO)	Oregon	800-520-5292 http://sites.lawhelp.org/program/694/RTF1.cfm?pagename=Hotline%20In formation	For low-income persons who have problems with applying for or receiving public benefits such as Welfare, Food Stamps, or Social Security.
Red Lodge Legal Services Program <i>(1-year pilot project beginning 12/31/2013)</i>	Native American women incarcerated in and released from Coffee Creek Correctional Facility	http://reentrylegal.wordpress.com/ (Legal Services Program) 503-245-4175 http://redlodgetransition.org/ (Red Lodge Transition Services)	Supports Red Lodge Transition Service's core programs and fills unmet legal needs in order to reduce barriers to reentry, improve reentry planning, and empower women to successfully return to their families and communities.
Renter's Rights Hotline – Community Alliance of Tenants (CAT)	Oregon	503-288-0130 http://oregoncat.org/	Tenants'/ renters' rights. See website for statewide information/links. See also under Community Alliance of Tenants (CAT).
Senior Law Project – Legal Aid Services of Oregon (LASO)	Multnomah County	503-224-4086 http://sites.lawhelp.org/Program/1673/index.cfm?pagename=homepage	Limited to Multnomah County residents or Multnomah County legal issue for US citizens or legal aliens over 60 years of age.
St. Andrew Legal Clinic – Hillsboro	Washington, Yamhill, and Columbia Counties	503-648-1600 www.salcgroup.org	Family Law only. See website or call for intake and clinic appointment information.
St. Andrew Legal Clinic – Portland	Multnomah & Clackamas Counties	503-281-1500 www.salcgroup.org	Family Law only. See website or call for intake and clinic appointment information.

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Senior Centers	Varies	Check with your community senior center, local nonprofit senior services, or government agency on aging & disability to find contact information.	Some local senior centers host legal clinics with services provided by volunteer attorneys.
Small Business Legal Clinic (SBLC) – Lewis and Clark	Oregon	503-768-69400 http://law.lclark.edu/centers/small_business_legal_clinic/	Teaching clinic with focus on small business. No drop-in. Call for information. See also under Lewis and Clark Small Business Legal Clinic.
Stateside Legal	All States	http://statesidelegal.org/	Comprehensive one-stop portal of legal information for military members, veterans, and their families. Includes interactive legal forms, videos, and legal analysis.
Street Roots Resource Guide	Portland-metro, regional, and some statewide	www.rosecityresource.org (select “ <i>Legal Services and Rights</i> ”)	View Resource Guide online or contact Street Roots [http://streetroots.org/about/work_resourceguide] to purchase print copies.
Tenant Rights Hotline: Oregon Law Center, Hillsboro Regional Office	NW Oregon	503-648-7723	Tenant rights telephone assistance for low-income residents of Clatsop, Columbia, Tillamook, Washington, and Yamhill Counties.
Veterans’ Affairs: Legal Help (US Department)	All States	http://www.va.gov/OGC/LegalServices.asp	Link to list of non-VA legal service providers that can assist Veterans free of charge. See also Veterans’ Affairs, Oregon Department of.
Veterans’ Affairs, Oregon Department of	Oregon	www.oregon.gov/ODVA	Offers information and help for military veterans, spouses, and their families living in Oregon with issues as benefits, education, home loans, and more.

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Victim Rights Law Center (VRLC)	Multnomah & Washington Counties	503-274-5477 855-411-5477 (toll free) www.victimrights.org	Free legal services for sexual assault and rape survivors in the areas of privacy, safety, restraining orders, immigration, housing, education, employment, and public benefits. No income restrictions. For any survivor 13 years and older, regardless of immigration status, as long as they live in, work in, or were assaulted in either Multnomah or Washington county.
Washington State Bar Association (WSBA)	Washington	888-201-1014 www.wsba.org/resources-and-services/find-legal-help	The WSBA does not provide lawyer referrals, but offers other resources for finding legal help. See also Northwest Justice Project.

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