

How We Learned to Love Legal Reference and You Can Too!
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Oregon Online Secondary Sources

- Legal Aid Services of Oregon
 - www.OregonLawHelp.org
 - www.OregonRentersRights.org
- Oregon State Bar
 - Information for the Public: <https://www.osbar.org/public/>
- Oregon Judicial Department
 - Self-Help: <https://www.courts.oregon.gov/help/Pages/default.aspx>
- BarBooks Online
 - Access through local law library or State of Oregon Law Library
- Oregon Law Libraries
 - Oregon Legal Research blog: <https://blog.oregonlegalresearch.com/>

Oregon Legal Forms

- County Circuit Courts: <https://www.courts.oregon.gov/courts/Pages/default.aspx>
- OR Judicial Dept:
<https://www.courts.oregon.gov/forms/Pages/default.aspx>
- BarBooks Online
 - Access through local law library or State of Oregon Law Library
- Stevens Ness: <https://stevensness.com/>

Oregon Legal Referrals

Lawyer referrals:

- OR State Bar Lawyer Referral Service: <https://www.osbar.org/public/ris>
- Martindale lawyer listings:
<https://www.martindale.com/search/attorneys-law-firms-articles/?term=oregon>
 - The link is set to Oregon. Use the filters on the left-hand side to narrow by city and/or practice area

Law Library referrals:

- Oregon Council of County Law Libraries: <http://www.oregoncountylawlibraries.org/>
- State of Oregon Law Library: <https://soll.libguides.com/index>

Further Learning Resources

Lawsuit Overview

The Basics: A Civil Case

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sk3MY9TRkw0>

Law 101: How a Lawsuit Works

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9tbL9424rHc&list=PLUvQ_mNbE83Whuj45OuEVQghnV_DbDjFC&index=6

Legal Reference

Law on the Frontlines: Legal Reference for Public Libraries, The Reference Interaction

<https://mdcourts.gov/sites/default/files/import/lawlib/Law%20on%20the%20Frontlines/Element%202.pdf>

WebJunction: Creating Pathways to Civil Legal Justice, Part 4: The Legal Reference Interview
(free, but you do need to create an account)

<https://learn.webjunction.org/course/index.php?categoryid=60>