

**FREE LEGAL SERVICES PROVIDERS
FOR NON-CRIMINAL APPEALS**

The following legal services organizations may be able to represent you at the D.C. Court of Appeals without you having to pay for their lawyers' time. However, some might charge for costs that are part of the case, like a filing fee to the court. These organizations are not required to represent you and can only represent some of the people who ask for their help. If you want free representation in your non-criminal appeal, you may call these organizations to find out how to apply for their free legal help. Whenever you meet with a legal services organization, please bring all documents concerning your appeal.

- **Legal Aid Society of the District of Columbia** at (202) 628-1161. Website at www.legalaiddc.org. Public benefits (including health insurance, food stamps, TANF, unemployment, and workers' compensation), landlord and tenant, domestic violence, consumer debt, medical debt, foreclosure issues, and other issues related to low-income people.
- **Catholic Charities** at (202) 350-4305. Website at www.catholiccharitiesdc.org/legal-aid. Consumer debt, bankruptcy, employment, family law (including child custody and domestic violence), landlord/tenant and housing, public benefits, wills and probate, guardianship, and conservatorship issues.
- **DV LEAP** at sdrobnick@dvleap.org. Select appeals on behalf of victims of domestic violence or child abuse; select appeals involving legal issues of violence or abuse; and other appeals concerning the need for protection under the DC Intrafamily Offenses Act.

You can also receive free legal advice and brief services (regardless of your income) from volunteer attorneys at the monthly **D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center Advice & Referral Clinic**. Website at www.dcb.org/for-the-public/help-for-individuals/advice.cfm. The clinic addresses a wide variety of civil legal problems governed by D.C. or federal law but **does not** assist with criminal, criminal record expungement, immigration, small business, tenant association, or traffic issues. The clinic is held on **the Second Saturday of each month from 10:00 a.m. to noon** at two locations:

Bread for the City, NW

1525 7th Street, NW

Washington, DC

(Green Line to Shaw/Howard University)

Bread for the City, SE

1640 Good Hope Road, SE

Washington, DC

(Green Line to Anacostia, Bus B2 or W6)

This is a separate clinic that uses Bread for the City's spaces; please do not contact Bread for the City about this clinic.