Wisconsin Free Legal Answers

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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 WI attorneys. You can use the website to ask 3 different legal questions per year. Question topics include:

- Family
- Housing
- Consumer Rights
- Work
- Health and Disability
- Civil Rights
- Public Benefits
- Juvenile and Education Law

Legal Topics Covered

Money, Debt & Consumer Issues

- Bankruptcy
- Banks
- Cars/Vehicles
- Contracts/Warranties
- Credit Cards & Reports
- Debts/Loans
- Home sales, Telemarketing & Spam
- Identity Theft
- Licenses
- Other Money, Debt, & Consumer Issues
- Consumer Protection & Complaints
- Public Utilities
- Scams, Fraud & Unfair Sales Practices
- Taxes

Family Law

- Divorce
- Child Support
- Custody & Placement

- Parental Rights & Paternity
- Safety
- Adoption
- Other Family Issues

Other Family Issues

- Marriage
- Foster Care & Kinship Care

Housing

- Renting
- Owning Your Home
- Eviction
- Foreclosure
- Alternative Housing Options
- Manufactured Homes
- Utilities
- Other Housing Issues

Renting

Public & Subsidized Housing

Public Benefits

- Benefits after a Disaster
- Benefits available to Immigrants
- Benefits available to Native Americans
- Benefits available to Veterans & Servicemembers
- Food and Money Benefits
- Health/Medical Benefits
- Housing Benefits
- Social Security
- Utilities, Energy & Heating Benefits
- Other Public Benefits Issues

School/Education

- Disabilities & Special Education
- Discipline, Expulsion or Suspension
- Discrimination & Rights around Education
- Paying for Education
- Privacy at School
- Other School/Education Issues

Work & Employment Law

- Applying & Interviewing for a Job
- Being Injured on the Job
- Questions about Hours, Pay or Conditions
- Retirement & Pensions
- Unemployment Benefits, Compensation & Insurance
- Work as an Immigrant/Farmworker
- · Workers' Rights

Disability & Death Planning

- Advance Directives/Powers of Attorney
- Discrimination & Abuse
- Guardianships & Conservatorships
- Healthcare
- Wills & Probate
- Other Disability & Death Planning Issues

Immigration

- Asylum & Refugees
- Detention, Removal, or Deportation
- Survivors of domestic violence, crime, and human trafficking
- Options for Status, Visas, Permits & Papers
- Public Benefits for Immigrants
- Working as an Immigrant
- Other Immigrant Issues

Civil & Human Rights

- Discrimination public accommodation
- Mental Health Rights
- Mistreatment by Officials
- Name and Gender Marker Changes
- Privacy Rights
- Voting Rights
- LGTBQ Rights
- 1st Amendment
- Other Civil & Human Rights Issues

Crime & Traffic

- Driver's License Recovery
- Juvenile Justice
- Municipal/Traffic Tickets

Counties Served

Statewide

Language(s) Spoken

English

Types of Service

Legal Advice (Free)

Legal Information (Free)

If you work at this organization and want to update this information

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General Contact Information

Online Only

How to Get Service

Go to the website and answer a few questions to see if you qualify to use this service. Ask our volunteer attorneys a specific question about your civil legal issue. You must provide your name, county, and zip code in order to request advice. You'll receive an email telling you when your question receives a response. See the response to your question. You can follow-up with an attorney on each question as many times as the attorney and you choose to do so.

Other Eligibility

You can use this website IF all of these are true for you:

- Your income is low for a family the size of yours (less than 250% of the federal poverty level).
- The value of your checking account, savings account, stocks or bonds are low (less than \$5,000 total liquid assets).
- You aren't in jail or prison.
- Your legal problem isn't related to a criminal charge.
- You don't already have a lawyer to help you with your legal problem.
- You are an adult.

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