

Resource List: Legal Services and Referral Programs

Civil Legal Service Providers

Civil legal services include consumer, employment and unemployment, family law (child support, custody and visitation, divorce, domestic violence, and guardianships), elder law, housing and landlord-tenant, and public benefits.

Advocacy Inc.

Advocacy Inc. is a nonprofit agency protecting and promoting the interests of at-risk children and youth in New Mexico by providing low- or no-cost legal advocacy and support services. The agency serves children from birth to 18 years and provides guardianship, adoption, and guardian ad litem services.

6301 Fourth NW Suite 3
Albuquerque, NM 87107
866-257-5320
www.nmadvocacy.org

Catholic Charities of Albuquerque and Santa Fe Center for Immigration and Citizenship Legal Assistance

The CICLA is the principal nonprofit provider of immigration legal services in New Mexico. The agency assists U.S. citizens and legal permanent residents in filing legal paperwork with the U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services to keep families united or reunite families that have been separated. The agency also assists U.S. legal permanent residents to gain U.S. citizenship and refugees to gain U.S. legal permanent resident status.

Albuquerque Office

2010 Bridge Ave SW
Albuquerque, NM 87105
505-724-4670
505-247-0442
citas@ccasfnm.org

8 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

Santa Fe Office

4985 Airport Rd
Santa Fe, NM 87507
505-424-9789
citas.sf@ccasfnm.org

8 a.m.-5 p.m., Wed-Fri

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Las Cruces (CCDLC) Legal Services Program

The CCDLC program provides free and low-cost immigration legal services to residents of the ten southern counties of New Mexico
2215 S Main St., Suite B
Las Cruces, NM 88005
575-527-0500
www.catholiccharitiesdlc.org
9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Mon-Thurs (closed noon-1 p.m. for lunch)

Disability Rights New Mexico (DRNM)

DRNM seeks to protect, promote, and expand the legal and civil rights of persons with disabilities throughout New Mexico. Offices are located in Albuquerque, Las Cruces, and Las Vegas.

1720 Louisiana NE Suite 204
Albuquerque NM 87110
800-432-4682
info@drnm.org
8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

DNA-People's Legal Services

PO Box 116
Crownpoint, NM 87313
505-786-5277
800-789-7936

PO Box 306
Ft. Defiance AZ 86515
928-871-4151
800-789-7287

709 N Butler Ave
Farmington NM 87401
505-325-8886
800-789-7997

PO Box 987
Shiprock NM 87420
505-368-3200
800-789-8994
www.dnalegalservices.org
8 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri at all locations

Enlace Comunitario

Enlace provides free services to Spanish-speaking immigrants who are victims of domestic violence. Services include direct civil legal services (domestic violence and family law cases, which are accepted in the Albuquerque metropolitan area); case

management; therapy; support groups; parenting classes; and young men's/women's groups.

PO Box 8919
Albuquerque, NM 87198
505-246-8972

www.enlacenm.org

8 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

Legal Resources for the Elderly Program (LREP)

LREP is a free legal helpline for New Mexico residents age 55 and older. LREP has no income restrictions and offers assistance in most civil legal matters. If a problem cannot be resolved through the helpline, referrals to private attorneys (pro bono, reduced-fee, or full-fee basis) may be provided.

PO Box 92860
Albuquerque NM 87199-2860
505-797-6005
1-800-876-6657
www.nmbar.org/Public/LREP
8 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

Law Access

Law Access provides statewide legal services to New Mexico households with income of 200 percent or less of federal poverty guidelines. Services include advice/counsel, brief services (including third-party negotiations and some self-represented litigant pleadings) and referrals to other legal services organizations within the state, utilizing an advanced telephone system.

505-998-4529
800-340-9771
www.lawhelpnewmexico.org
8:30 a.m.-3:45 p.m., Mon-Fri

Native American Disability Law Center, Inc.

The Native American Disability Law Center is a private nonprofit law firm that provides free legal assistance to Native Americans with disabilities to ensure that they have access to justice and are equal members of their communities. The Law Center uses a coordinated approach of individual representation, systemic advocacy, and community education to address the important issues unique to Native Americans with disabilities.

Main Office

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3535 E 30 St, Suite 201
Farmington NM 87402
505-566-5880
1-800-862-7271

Branch Office

207 S. Second St.
Gallup NM 87301
505-863-7455
877-283-3208
505-863-1916 (Fax)

www.nativedisabilitylaw.org

8 a.m.-6 p.m., Mon-Thur

By appointment during non-office hours.

New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty

The Center is a nonprofit law firm and advocacy group that works statewide with low-income New Mexicans to address structural issues of poverty and justice. Generally, the agency does not represent individual clients.

924 10th Street NW

Albuquerque, NM 87102

505-255-2840

www.nmpovertylaw.org

9 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

New Mexico Immigrant Law Center (NMILC)

The NMILC provides free and low-cost immigration information and legal assistance to low-income families. The agency helps immigrants keep their families together, gain protection from persecution and domestic violence, attain permanent residency and work authorization, and become U.S. citizens. The NMILC builds stable families and increases opportunities for economic security, allowing New Mexico's immigrants to contribute to their communities for generations to come.

PO Box 7040

Albuquerque NM 87194-7040

505-247-1023

www.nmilc.org

9 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

New Mexico Legal Aid

New Mexico Legal Aid is a statewide legal services program that provides free legal services to eligible low-income residents. The agency, with 10 offices throughout New Mexico, provides extended representation, brief services, legal advice, outreach, and community legal education.

Services include domestic violence cases, evictions, foreclosures, public benefits cases (including unemployment benefits and Social Security disability cases), and consumer law cases. The agency does not provide assistance in criminal or juvenile offender cases except for certain limited circumstances in tribal courts.

Main Office

301 Gold SW (87102)
PO Box 25486
Albuquerque NM 87125-5486
505-243-7871

Clovis Office

1012 W Grand (88101)
PO Box 864
Clovis NM 88102
575-769-2326

Gallup Office

211 W Mesa, Suite 5 and 6
PO Box 1475
Gallup NM 87301
505-722-4417

Las Cruces Office

600 E Montana, Suite D
Las Cruces NM 88001-4246
575-541-4800

Las Vegas Office

932 Gallinas St, Suite 109
PO Box 1454
Las Vegas NM 87701
505-425-3514

Roswell Office

200 E Fourth, Suite 2
PO Box 1087
Roswell NM 88202-1087
575-623-9669

Native American Program:

Santa Ana Office

51 Jemez Pueblo Canyon Dam Rd.,
Suite 102, Santa Ana Pueblo
PO Box 817
Bernalillo NM 87004
505-867-3391

Santa Fe Office

901 W Alameda, Suite 20 B
PO Box 5175

Santa Fe NM 87502
505-982-9886

Silver City Office

301 W College Ave, Suite 17
Silver City NM 88061
575-388-0091

Taos Office

214C Kit Carson
Taos NM 87571
575-758-2218

New clients may also contact Law Access at 1-800-340-9771 or apply online at www.nmlegalaid.org
8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

Pegasus Legal Services for Children

Pegasus is a private nonprofit agency providing statewide civil legal services to children, youth, and their caregivers, including direct representation, community legal education, and policy advocacy. The agency promotes and defends the rights of children and youth to safe and stable homes and quality education and health care and provides a voice in decisions that affect their lives.

3201 Fourth Street NW

Albuquerque NM 87107

505-244-1101

www.pegasuslaw.org

8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

Senior Citizens' Law Office (SCLO)

SCLO provides free legal services to residents of Bernalillo, Sandoval, Torrance, and Valencia counties who are 60 years of age or older.

4317 Lead Ave SE

Albuquerque, NM 87108

505-265-2300

www.sclonm.org

8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri (closed noon-1 p.m. for lunch)

Southwest Women's Law Center

The Southwest Women's Law Center seeks to create the opportunity for women to realize their full economic and personal potential by:

- eliminating gender bias, discrimination and harassment;
- lifting women and their families out of poverty; and
- ensuring that all women have full control over their reproductive lives through access to

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comprehensive reproductive health services and information.

1410 Coal Ave SW
Albuquerque NM 87104
505-244-0502

www.swwomenslaw.com

9 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

United South Broadway (USB)

The USB Fair Lending Center provides free legal representation in foreclosure lawsuits to low-income homeowners statewide. The USB, a HUD-certified housing counseling agency, holds monthly foreclosure pro se workshops and provides free assistance to homeowners seeking loan modifications or other loss mitigation options.

1500 Walter SE

Albuquerque NM 87102

505-764-8867

www.unitedsouthbroadway.org

8 a.m.-5:30 p.m, Mon, Tues, Thurs

8 a.m.- 6 p.m, Wednesday

8 a.m.-noon, Friday

Homeless Legal Clinics

The State Bar Young Lawyers Division operates the following homeless legal clinics in Albuquerque, Las Cruces, and Santa Fe. Volunteer attorneys staff the clinics, provide legal information and advice, and refer clients to low-income or pro bono legal service programs:

Healthcare for the Homeless

1217 First St NW (at Mountain Rd)

Albuquerque NM 87102

PO Box 25445 (87125)

505-766-5197

www.abghch.org

9-11 a.m., Fridays

Mesilla Valley Community of Hope Shelter

999 W Amador Ave

Las Cruces NM 88006

575-523-2219

www.mycommunityofhope.org

12:30-2:30 p.m., Wednesdays

(Coordinated by the New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty)

St. Elizabeth Shelter Homeless

Legal Clinic

Santa Fe Resource and Opportunity Center

804 Alarid Street
Santa Fe NM 87505

505-982-6611

www.steshelter.org

10 a.m.-1 p.m., Thursdays

Court Services

Provides some court forms and limited information. An * indicates the courthouse has self-help services.

First Judicial District Court

*Santa Fe 505-455-8146

Tierra Amarilla 575-588-0058

<https://firstdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov>

Second Judicial District Court

*Albuquerque 505-841-6702

seconddistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov

Third Judicial District Court

*Las Cruces 575-528-8326

www.thirddistrictcourt.com

Fourth Judicial District Court

*Las Vegas 505-425-7281

Santa Rosa 575-472-3888

<https://fourthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov>

Fifth Judicial District Court

Carlsbad 575-885-4740

Lovington 575-396-8571

Roswell 575-622-2565

<http://fifthdistrictcourt.com>

Sixth Judicial District Court

Deming 575-546-9611

Lordsburg 575-542-3411

Silver City 575-538-3250

Seventh Judicial District Court

Estancia 505-894-7167

Socorro 575-835-0050

Truth or Consequences 575-384-2974

Eighth Judicial District Court

Clayton 575-374-9577

Raton 575-445-5584

Taos 575-758-3173

<http://www.eighthjudicialdistrictcourt.com>

Ninth Judicial District Court

Clovis 575-742-7500

Portales 575-359-6920

www.nmcourts9thjdc.com

Tenth Judicial District Court

Fort Sumner 575-355-2896

Mosquero 575-673-2252

Tucumcari 575-461-2764

Eleventh Judicial District Court

*Aztec 505-334-6151

Farmington 505-326-2256

Gallup 505-863-6816

<https://11thjdc.nmcourts.gov>

Twelfth Judicial District Court

*Alamogordo 575-437-7310 x147

Carrizozo 575-648-2432

www.12thdistrict.net

Thirteenth Judicial District Court

Bernalillo 505-867-2376

Grants 505-287-8831

Los Lunas 505-865-4639

www.13districtcourt.com

Bernalillo County Metropolitan Court

*Albuquerque 505-841-9817

www.metrocourt.state.nm.us

New Mexico Supreme Court

Limited forms, court rules, and

procedures and statutes

Santa Fe 505-827-4860

<https://nmsupremecourt.nmcourts.gov>

New Mexico Court of Appeals

Forms, court rules, and procedures and statutes

Santa Fe 505-827-4925

Albuquerque 505-841-4618

<https://coa.nmcourts.gov>

United States Bankruptcy Court

Limited forms, court rules and

procedures and statutes

Albuquerque 505-348-2500

Toll-free 866-291-6805

nmb.uscourts.gov

Attorney Referral

Albuquerque Bar Association

Lawyer Referral Service: 30-minute consultation with a private attorney for \$50

201 3rd Street Ste. 500

Albuquerque, NM 87102

505-243-2615

www.abqbar.org

9 a.m.-3 p.m, Mon-Fri

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State Bar General Referral Program

30-minute consultation with a private attorney for \$35

PO Box 92860

Albuquerque NM 87199-2860

505-797-6066

800-876-6227 (option 2)

www.nmbar.org

8 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri