

Legal Service Referrals

Legal Services of New Jersey

New Jersey's statewide legal hotline that provides brief service, advice and referrals over the telephone. Individuals can speak with attorneys, in English and Spanish, about a range of civil legal issues without the need for an in-person interview.

100 Metroplex Drive, Suite 402

P.O. Box 1357

Edison, NJ 08818-1357

www.lsnj.org

(888) LSNJ-LAW / (888-576-5529) toll free

Individuals with internet access can go to www.lsnjlaw.org for legal information or www.lsnjlawhotline.org to apply for services.

Essex-Newark Legal Services

Essex County branch of Legal Services of New Jersey. Provides direct services to income-eligible clients.

Walk-in consultations only

5 Commerce Street, 2nd Floor

Newark, NJ 07102

(973) 624-4500

Legal Services of New Jersey Kiosk

Provides online access to information, publications, benefits calculators and court forms. Covers topics including housing, employment, tenancy, immigration and family law.

Hall of Records

465 Dr. MLK Jr. Blvd., across from

Civil Customer Service, Room 201

Newark, NJ 07102

Essex County Legal Aid Association

Attorneys provide legal advice and assistance to income-eligible Essex County residents.

Hall of Records - Room 118

465 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Newark, NJ 07102

(973) 622-0063

Hours:

Monday – Thursday

9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Essex County Bar Association

Lawyer Referral Service

Provides callers with the name and telephone number of an attorney upon inquiry. Consultation with that attorney is \$25.00 for the first ½ hour.

(973) 622-6204

www.essexbar.com

Essex County Public Defender's Office

Specializes in criminal defense for income-eligible Essex County residents. Available upon individual's application or court appointment.

(973) 648-6200 - Adult / (973) 648-3470 - Juvenile

Applications for public defender representation are available at:

Adult

Veterans Courthouse
50 West Market Street
Criminal Case Mgmt.
Room 912
Newark, NJ 07102

Juvenile

Wilentz Justice Complex
212 Washington Street
Juvenile Services Unit
Room 915
Newark, NJ 07102

Community Health Law Project

Provides legal and advocacy services, training, education and related activities to persons with disabilities.

www.chlp.org

• Direct Service Department

650 Bloomfield Avenue, Suite 210

Bloomfield, NJ 07003

(973) 680-5599

• Administrative Office

185 Valley Street

South Orange, NJ 07079

(973) 275-1175

American Friends Service Committee

Carries out service, development, social justice and peace programs.

89 Market Street, 6th Floor

Newark, NJ 07102

(973) 643-1924

www.afsc.org

• Immigration Rights Program

(973) 643-1924

Legal Service Referrals

Seton Hall University School of Law

Law students provide legal assistance in the following areas:

- *Civil Litigation Clinic*
- *Civil Rights and Constitutional Law Clinic*
- *Family Law Clinic*
- *Equal Justice Clinic*
- *Immigration and Immigrant Workers' Rights Clinic*
- *Impact Litigation Clinic*
- *Juvenile Justice Clinic*

Center for Social Justice

833 McCarter Highway

Newark, NJ 07102

No Walk-ins: Call for appointment

(973) 642-8700

www.law.shu.edu

Partners for Women and Justice

Promotes equal access to the judicial system for low-income and abused women who cannot afford legal representation.

60 South Fullerton Avenue, Suite 106

Montclair, NJ 07042

(973) 233-0111

No Walk-ins; phone consultations only

www.pfwj.org

The Rachel Coalition

Provides advocacy services and access to legal, medical and counseling support for victims of domestic violence.

256 Columbia Turnpike, Suite 105

Florham Park, NJ 07932

(973) 765-9050 – General Information

(973) 740-1233 – 24-Hour Crisis Line –

Confidential

www.rachelcoalition.org

E-mail: rachel@jfsmetrowest.org

Volunteer Lawyers for Justice

Provides legal advice and assistance with certain civil (non-criminal) legal matters.

- New client intake:
Wednesdays - **9:30 AM – 12:30 PM**
(973) 645-1955

Individuals with internet access can go to

www.vljinj.org for information about services.

Rutgers University Law Library

(Legal research only)

123 Washington Street

Newark, NJ 07102

(973) 353-5676

www.law-library.rutgers.edu

Public Hours

Mon. – Fri.: 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Sunday: 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Rutgers University School of Law – Newark

Law students provide legal assistance in the following areas:

- *Child Advocacy Clinic* (973) 353-3196
- *Community Law Clinic* (973) 353-5059
- *Constitutional Litigation Clinic* (973) 353-5687
- *Federal Tax Law Clinic* (973) 353-1685
- *Special Education Clinic* (973) 353-5576
- *Urban Legal Clinic* (973) 353-5576

Center for Law and Justice

123 Washington Street

Newark, NJ 07102

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(973) 353-5576

www.law.newark.rutgers.edu

Rutgers School of Law – Newark

Rothman and Associates is the law practice within the Rutgers Law Associates Fellowship Program.

Areas of practice include but are not limited to:

- *Civil Litigation incl. Landlord/Tenant*
- *Criminal Defense*
- *Bankruptcy*
- *Divorce, Custody, Restraining Orders, etc.*
- *Immigration / Visa Issues*

123 Washington Street

Newark, NJ 07102

For intake and inquiries:

Phone: (973) 353-2564 / 2565 / 2566

Email: rutgerslawassociates.info@rutgers.edu