

Where is Legal Aid?



OFFICES



OFFICES AT
CHILDREN'S
HEALTHCARE
OF ATLANTA

In the early '70s, Atlanta Legal Aid began opening neighborhood offices as a way to expand our service area and reach more people. Today we have five offices serving the five-county metro-Atlanta area. In addition, we have offices in three Children's Healthcare of Atlanta hospitals, in order to be as close as possible to patients. We also have an office in the Clayton County Courthouse. Each office handles a wide range of case types depending on the needs of the area in which they're based.

How do I contact Legal Aid?

Clayton County & South Fulton

777 Cleveland Avenue, SW
Suite 410
Atlanta, GA 30315
(404) 669-0233

Dekalb County

246 Sycamore Street
Suite 120
Decatur, GA 30030
(404) 377-0701

Fulton County

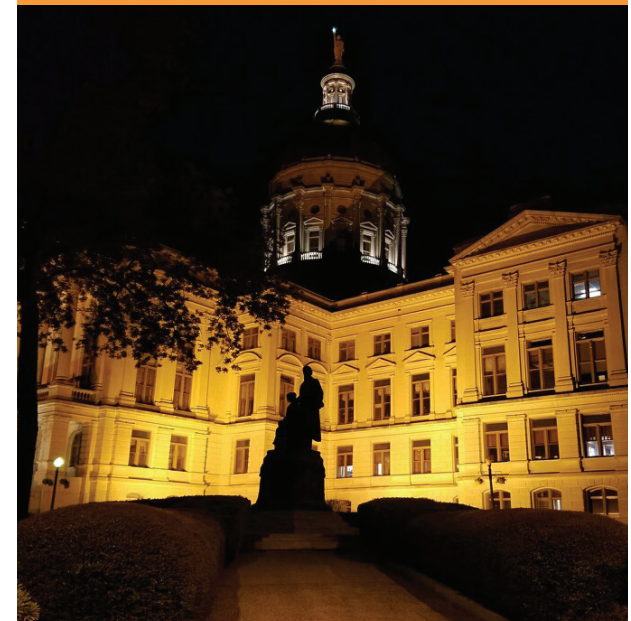
54 Ellis Street, NE
Atlanta, GA 30303
(404) 524-5811

Cobb County

30 South Park Square
Suite 101
Marietta, GA 30060
(770) 528-2565

Gwinnett County

324 West Pike Street
Suite 200
Lawrenceville, GA 30046
(678) 376-4545



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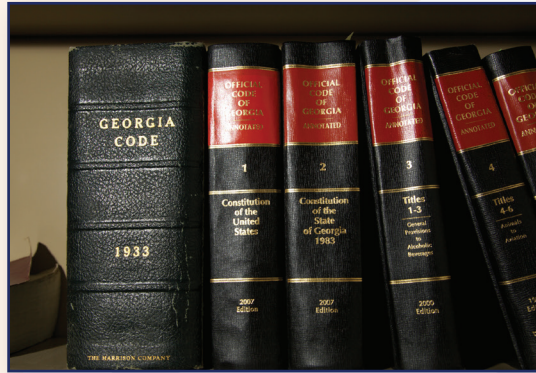
What is Legal Aid?

A nonprofit law firm that provides free legal services to those who qualify.

- Atlanta Legal Aid provides free civil legal services to low income individuals who are residents of Clayton, Cobb, Dekalb, Fulton, and Gwinnett counties.
- Eligibility depends upon several factors such as household income and the type of legal problem at issue.
- Atlanta Legal Aid's potential services include legal representation, brief legal services, and legal advice



What types of cases does Atlanta Legal Aid handle?



Housing Law

Evictions, Landlord Repair Issues, Subsidized Housing, Homeownership Issues

Family Law

Domestic Violence, Custody/Visitation, Divorce, Child Support/Alimony

Education Law

Student Discipline, Special Education/IEPs

Consumer Law

Collections, Contracts, Warranties, Loan Problems

Estate Law

Probate, Will, Advanced Directives, Year's Support, Power of Attorney, Guardianship

Benefits

Social Security, Food Stamps, TANF, Medicaid, Medicare, Unemployment Compensation

Special Legal Units

Senior Citizens Law Project



Assists people aged 60 and older as well as residents of nursing homes and personal care homes regardless of income. For more information, call (404) 524-5811 and ask for SCLP.

Disability Integration Project



Advocates for people with disabilities to receive supports and services in the community rather than in institutions. Works to implement the rights of the disabled as established by the U.S. Supreme Court in Olmstead. For more information, call (404) 377-0701.

AIDS Legal Project/ALS & Cancer Legal Initiative



Addresses the legal problems of people living with HIV/AIDS, cancer and ALS. For more information, call (404) 614-3969.

Home Defense Program



Represents and provides referrals for homeowners and homebuyers targeted for home equity scams, home purchase scams, and predatory mortgage lending. For more information, call (770) 817-7538.

Kinship Care



This project helps relatives who are caring for children in place of absent parents. Kinship Care covers adoptions, custody proceedings and also works to ensure caregivers have access to all resources available to the children in their care. For more information, call 1(855) 357-6566.

Senior Hotline



Provides legal advice, brief service and referrals to Georgians over the age of 60. Call (404) 657-9915 or toll-free 1(888) 257-9519 for more information.