Legal Help @ a Glance

Access to Justice-Suffolk County is a countywide program that helps people find legal assistance and information about housing, education, healthcare, employment and family matters. If you or someone you know has a legal problem, needs help understanding or protecting their rights, please reach out to one of the Access to Justice resources below:

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Law HelpNY.org	AyudaLegalNY.org, (en Español)	High-quality online information for New Yorkers.		
	on-line chat LiveHelp	 Access to: 600 free legal service projects and organizations The New York State Court system 3,500 Know Your Rights and self-help basics Available in over 30 languages Do it yourself from 		
Ayuda LegalNY .org	Do-it-yourself court forms, https://www.lawhelpny.org/resource /interactive-forms			
	Free & confidential hotlines https://www.lawhelpny.org/hotlines	 Free Confidential hotline a real-time on-line chat available Monday- Friday 9-9pm 		
COURT Help	www.nycourthelp.gov For law librarians and research help, DIY forms and live help, Call 1-800-COURT-NY (1-800-268-7869)	 Basic information and DIY forms covering: Court Basics, Forms & Fees Court Help Centers Appeals Everything for Children and Families Criminal Records & Sealing Domestic Violence, Protection Orders Housing, Eviction, & Foreclosure Guardianship of Child and the Disabled Name Change Prison Re-Entry and Collateral Consequences Problems with Money Small Claims & More 		
United Way of Long Island United Way of Long Island	Call 2-1-1 or 1-888-774-7633	Call-in referral Service • available 24/7 • in English, Spanish & over 200 languages.		
Suffolk County Bar Association	https://scba.community.lawyer/ or Call 631-234-5577 Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m 4:00 p.m.	 Need a Lawyer? Go online 24/7 to find the lawyer you need in your area Calls accepted Monday to Friday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm 		
COMMUNITY LEGAL HELP	For an appointment call 631-822-3272	Free limited legal advice and information at Suffolk County's Brentwood and Selden Libraries.		
Suffolk County Community Resource Guide	Suffolk County Resource Guide http://www.courts.state.ny.us/courts /10jd/suffolk/PDF/ResourceGuide.pdf	Complete Guide to Suffolk County resources organized by the following subject areas: Aging · Housing · Immigration · Child Welfare · Family Violence · Health Providers · Mental Health · Substance Abuse · Civil Legal Services· Homelessness · Veterans · Mediation · Food Insecurity · Basic Necessities		

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Assistance Type/ Legal Topic	Online Legal Help	Online Legal Help	Phone Referrals	Limited Representation	Lawyer Referral Service (Can refer for)	Resource Guide (topics covered)
Aging, Elder care, Elder care law	\checkmark		\checkmark	~	~	✓
Appeal Your Court Case	\checkmark	\checkmark	~	~	~	
Bankruptcy	\checkmark	1.5.1	\checkmark	\checkmark	√	
Child Custody/Support	\checkmark	~	~	×	~	~
Court Basics: Process, Forms & Fees	\checkmark	√	×	×	×	
Crime Victims	\checkmark	√ V	\checkmark	×	×	
Criminal Case Basics		\checkmark			×	
Criminal Records & Sealing	*	- 1		~	×	
Death (Wills, Trusts, Estates & Surrogates Court)	~	~	~		~	
Divorce	\checkmark	~ ~	\checkmark	\checkmark	✓	×
Domestic Violence	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	✓	√
Education	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Eviction	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	V
Foreclosure	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	V
Guardianship of Child or Developmentally Disabled	V	~	~		√	
Health Insurance	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Housing	V	V	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Immigration	1	10101	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	×
Legal Help Referrals	×	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Money Problems	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Money owed to you	×	~		\checkmark	~	
Name Change	~	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	
Orders of Protection	V	\checkmark	\checkmark	~	✓	\checkmark
Post-Conviction Rights	\checkmark		\sim	\checkmark	~	
Public Benefits	\checkmark		\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	
Prison Re-Entry Assistance		\checkmark	\checkmark			
Referrals (Non-legal)			\checkmark			~
School Discipline	×		~	\checkmark	✓	
Small Claims	V	\checkmark	~	\checkmark	\checkmark	