# LEGAL SERVICES IN ESSEX COUNTY

#### FREE OR REDUCED COST ASSISTANCE **Community Health Law Project \*** Rutgers University School of Law – Newark \* Provides legal and advocacy services, training, Law students provide legal assistance in the following areas: education and related assistance to persons with Child Advocacy Clinic (973) 353-3196 Community Law Clinic (973) 353-5059 disabilities. Constitutional Litigation Clinic (973) 353-5687 **Direct Service Department** Federal Tax Law Clinic (973) 353-1685 650 Bloomfield Avenue, Suite 210 Special Education Clinic (973) 353-5576 Urban Legal Clinic (973) 353-5576 Bloomfield, NJ 07003 (973) 680-5599 Center for Law and Justice Administrative Office 123 Washington Street 185 Valley Street Newark, NJ 07102 South Orange, NJ 07079 (973) 353-5576 No Walk-ins / Call for appointment (973) 275-1175 www.law.newark.rutgers.edu www.chlp.org Essex County Legal Aid Association \* Seton Hall University School of Law \* Law students provide legal assistance in the following areas: Attorneys provide legal advice and assistance to income-eligible Essex County residents. Civil Litigation Clinic, Civil Rights and Constitutional Law Available Monday to Thursday Clinic, Family Law Clinic, Foreclosure Clinic, Equal Justice from 9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Clinic, Immigration and Immigrant Workers' Rights Clinic, Impact Litigation Clinic, and Juvenile Justice Clinic. Hall of Records - Room 118 465 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Center for Social Justice Newark, NJ 07102 833 McCarter Highway (973) 622-0063 Newark, NJ 07102 www.eclaanj.org (973) 642-8700 No Walk-ins / Call for appointment www.law.shu.edu **Essex-Newark Legal Services \*** Volunteer Lawyers for Justice \* Essex County branch of Legal Services of New Jersey. Provides legal advice and assistance with certain civil (non-Provides direct services to income-eligible clients. criminal) legal matters. New client intake on Wednesdays 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. (973) 645-1955 5 Commerce Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Newark. NJ 07102 www.vljnj.org (973) 624-4500 Walk-in consultations only https://www.lsnj.org/enls/ Legal Services of New Jersey \* 100 Metroplex Drive, Suite 402 New Jersey's statewide legal hotline that provides brief P.O. Box 1357 service, advice and referrals over the telephone. Edison, NJ 08818-1357 Individuals can speak with attorneys, in English and (888) LSNJ-LAW (888-576-5529) Spanish, about a range of civil legal issues without the www.lsnj.org www.lsnjlawhotline.org need for an in-person interview.

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DOMESTIC VIOLENCE ASSISTANCE	
Partners for Women and Justice * Promotes equal access to the judicial system for low- income and abused women who cannot afford legal representation.	The Rachel Coalition * Provides advocacy services and access to legal, medical and counseling support for victims of domestic violence.
60 South Fullerton Avenue, Suite 106 Montclair, NJ 07042 (973) 233-0111 No Walk-ins / Phone consultations only www.pfwj.org	256 Columbia Turnpike, Suite 105 Florham Park, NJ 07932 (973) 765-9050 General Information (973) 740-1233 24 Hour Crisis Line / Confidential Services <u>www.rachelcoalition.org</u> E-mail: rachel@jfsmetrowest.org

### **IMMIGRATION ASSISTANCE**

American Friends Service Committee \* Legal services and advocacy programs for immigrants who are in detention, facing deportation, seeking to reunite with families, or in need of protection. 89 Market Street, 6th Floor Newark, NJ 07102 (973) 643-1924 www.afsc.org

Immigration Rights Program (973) 643-1924

FEE FOR SERVICE LAWYER REFERRAL	
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.	Rutgers School of Law – Newark * <i>Rutgers Law Associates Fellowship Program</i> 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
(973) 622-6204 www.essexbar.com	including Landlord/Tenant; Criminal Defense; Bankruptcy; Divorce; Custody; Restraining Orders and Immigration / Visa Issues.
	123 Washington Street Newark, NJ 07102 (973) 353-2564 / 2565 / 2566 Call for intake Email: <u>rutgerslawassociates.info@rutgers.edu</u>

### LEGAL RESEARCH

#### Rutgers University Law Library \*

Members of the public may utilize the resources of the Law Library to conduct legal research. Reference librarians cannot provide patrons with legal advice or help patrons make decisions regarding legal rights and liabilities. They cannot interpret statutes, cases, or any other materials. 123 Washington Street Newark, NJ 07102 (973) 353-5676 www.law-library.rutgers.edu Public Hours - Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sunday 12:00 p.m.

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