

## **Civil Legal Service Providers**

*Prepared by the State Bar of New Mexico on behalf of legal service providers statewide.*

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      866-257-5320  
Albuquerque, NM 87107  
[www.nmadvocacy.org](http://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    505-724-4670  
2010 Bridge Ave SW  
Albuquerque, NM 87105  
505-247-0442  
[citas@ccasfnm.org](mailto:citas@ccasfnm.org)  
8 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri  
Santa Fe Office      505-424-9789  
4985 Airport Rd  
Santa Fe, NM 87507  
[citas.sf@ccasfnm.org](mailto:citas.sf@ccasfnm.org)  
8 a.m.-5 p.m., Wed-Fri

### **Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Las Cruces Legal Services Program**

The CCDLC program provides free and low-cost immigration legal services to residents of the 10 southern counties of New Mexico

2215 S Main St., Suite B      575-527-0500  
Las Cruces, NM 88005  
[www.catholiccharitiesdlc.org](http://www.catholiccharitiesdlc.org)  
9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Mon-Thurs

Closed noon-1 p.m.

City of Albuquerque Office of  
Diversity and Human Rights

ODHR provides advocacy for individuals who are experiencing discrimination in employment, housing and accessibility. Services are conducted through pre litigation strategies aimed at securing win-win solutions. The ODHR also provides training on discrimination, disability and diversity and offers free mediation.

Call 311 and ask for human rights.

[www.cabq.gov/humanrights](http://www.cabq.gov/humanrights)

[ODHR@cabg.gov](mailto:ODHR@cabg.gov)

Disability Rights New Mexico

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.

800-432-4682

1720 Louisiana NE Suite 204

Albuquerque, NM 87110

[info@drnm.org](mailto:info@drnm.org)

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

DNA-People's Legal Services

PO Box 116 800-789-7936

Crownpoint, NM 87313

505-786-5277

PO Box 306 800-789-7287

Ft. Defiance AZ 86515

928-871-4151

709 N Butler Ave 800-789-7997

Farmington, NM 87401

505-325-8886

PO Box 987 800-789-8994

Shiprock, NM 87420

505-368-3200

[www.dnalegalservices.org](http://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 505-246-8972

Albuquerque, NM 87198

[www.enlacenm.org](http://www.enlacenm.org)

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

### **Legal Resources for the Elderly Program**

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 1-800-876-6657

Albuquerque, NM 87199-2860

505-797-6005

[www.nmbar.org/Public/LREP](http://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](http://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 1-800-862-7271

3535 E 30 St, Suite 201

Farmington, NM 87402

505-566-5880

Branch Office 877-283-3208

207 S. Second St.

Gallup, NM 87301

505-863-7455

505-863-1916 (Fax)

[www.nativedisabilitylaw.org](http://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 statewide nonprofit law firm and advocacy organization dedicated to advancing economic and social justice. The agency addresses structural issues of poverty through education, advocacy and litigation. Generally, the Center does not represent individual clients.

924 Park Avenue, SW 505-255-2840

Suite C

Albuquerque, NM 87102

[www.nmpovertylaw.org](http://www.nmpovertylaw.org)

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

### **New Mexico Immigrant Law Center**

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 505-247-1023

Albuquerque, NM 87194-7040

[www.nmilc.org](http://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 505-243-7871

301 Gold Ave SW (87102)

PO Box 25486

Albuquerque, NM 87125-5486

Clovis Office 575-769-2326

1012 W Grand (88101)  
PO Box 864  
Clovis, NM 88102

Gallup Office 505-722-4417  
211 W Mesa, Suite 5 and 6 (87301)  
PO Box 1475  
Gallup, NM 87305

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

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

Roswell Office 575-623-9669  
200 E Fourth, Ste 200  
PO Box 1087  
Roswell, NM 88202-1087

Native American Program:  
Santa Ana Office 505-867-3391  
51 Jemez Pueblo Canyon Dam Rd,  
Suite 102, Santa Ana Pueblo (87004)  
PO Box 817  
Bernalillo, NM 87001

Santa Fe Office 505-982-9886  
901 W Alameda, Suite 20 B (87501)  
PO Box 32197  
Santa Fe, NM 87594-2197

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

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

New clients may also contact Law Access at 1-800-340-9771 or apply online at  
[www.newmexicolegalaid.org](http://www.newmexicolegalaid.org).  
8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Mon-Fri

### **Pegasus Legal Services for Children**

Pegasus provides free or low-cost civil legal services to children, youth and their caregivers.

Pegasus promotes and defends the rights of children and youth to safe and stable homes, quality education and health care and a voice in decisions that affect their lives. The agency helps young parents in family law matters, homeless and runaway youth, grandparents raising grandchildren, families of children who require special education services, children in the foster care system and other children and youth facing legal barriers to a safe, stable and fulfilling life.

3201 Fourth Street NW 505-244-1101

Albuquerque, NM 87107

[www.pegasuslaw.org](http://www.pegasuslaw.org)

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

8:30-noon, Fri;

Closed noon-1 p.m.

### **Senior Citizens' Law Office**

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. Suite A, SE 505-265-2300

Albuquerque, NM 87108

[www.sclonm.org](http://www.sclonm.org)

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

Closed noon-1 p.m.

### **Southwest Women's Law Center**

The Southwest Women's Law Center is a nonprofit policy and advocacy law center that focuses on advancing opportunities for women and girls in New Mexico by eliminating gender bias and discrimination, and lifting women and their families out of poverty by ensuring:

- access to quality affordable healthcare;
- access to equal pay;
- access to economic security for survivors of domestic violence;
- equal access to sports programs for middle and high school girls; and
- access to comprehensive reproductive healthcare and information

1410 Coal Ave SW 505-244-0502

Albuquerque, NM 87104

[www.swwomenslaw.com](http://www.swwomenslaw.com)

9 a.m. – 5 p.m. Mon-Fri

United South Broadway

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      505-764-8867  
Albuquerque, NM 87102  
[www.unitedsouthbroadway.org](http://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  
505-766-5197

1217 First St NW (at Mountain Rd)  
Albuquerque, NM 87102  
PO Box 25445 (87125)  
[www.abqhch.org](http://www.abqhch.org)  
9-11 a.m., Friday

Mesilla Valley Community  
of Hope Shelter      575-523-2219  
999 W Amador Ave  
Las Cruces, NM 88006  
[www.mvcommunityofhope.org](http://www.mvcommunityofhope.org)  
12:30-2:30 p.m., Wednesday (Coordinated by the New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty)

St. Elizabeth Shelter  
Homeless Legal Clinic  
505-982-6611

804 Alarid Street  
Santa Fe, NM 87505  
10 a.m.-noon, Tuesday

2801 Cerillos Rd  
Santa Fe, NM 87501  
10 a.m.-noon, Friday

[www.steshelter.org](http://www.steshelter.org)

## **Court Services**

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

### **First Judicial District Court**

\*Santa Fe 505-455-8146  
Tierra Amarilla 575-588-0058  
[firstdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov](http://firstdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov)

### **Second Judicial District Court**

\*Albuquerque 505-841-6702  
[seconddistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov](http://seconddistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov)

### **Third Judicial District Court**

\*Las Cruces 575-528-8326  
[www.thirddistrictcourt.com](http://www.thirddistrictcourt.com)

### **Fourth Judicial District Court**

\*Las Vegas 505-425-7281  
Santa Rosa 575-472-3888  
[fourthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov](http://fourthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov)

### **Fifth Judicial District Court**

Carlsbad 575-885-4740  
Lovington 575-396-8571  
Roswell 575-622-2565  
[fifthdistrictcourt.com](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  
[www.eighthjudicialdistrictcourt.com](http://www.eighthjudicialdistrictcourt.com)



**Ninth Judicial District Court**

Clovis 575-742-7500

Portales 575-359-6920

[www.nmcourts9thjdc.com](http://www.nmcourts9thjdc.com)

**10th Judicial District Court**

Fort Sumner 575-355-2896

Mosquero 575-673-2252

Tucumcari 575-461-2764

**11th Judicial District Court**

\*Aztec 505-334-6151

Farmington 505-326-2256

Gallup 505-863-6816

[11thjdc.nmcourts.gov](http://11thjdc.nmcourts.gov)

**12th Judicial District Court**

\*Alamogordo 575-437-7310 x147

Carrizozo 575-648-2432

[www.12thdistrict.net](http://www.12thdistrict.net)

**13th Judicial District Court**

Bernalillo 505-867-2376

Grants 505-287-8831

Los Lunas 505-865-4639

[www.13districtcourt.com](http://www.13districtcourt.com)

**Bernalillo County Metropolitan Court**

\*Albuquerque 505-841-9817

[www.metrocourt.state.nm.us](http://www.metrocourt.state.nm.us)

**New Mexico Supreme Court**

Limited forms, court rules, and procedures and statutes

Santa Fe 505-827-4860

[nmsupremecourt.nmcourts.gov](http://nmsupremecourt.nmcourts.gov)

**New Mexico Court of Appeals**

Forms, court rules, and procedures and statutes

Santa Fe 505-827-4925

Albuquerque 505-841-4618

[coa.nmcourts.gov](http://coa.nmcourts.gov)

**U.S. Bankruptcy Court (Limited forms, court rules and procedures and statutes)**

Albuquerque 505-348-2500

Toll-free 866-291-6805

[nmb.uscourts.gov](http://nmb.uscourts.gov)

## **Attorney Referrals**

### **Albuquerque Bar Association**

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

201 3rd Street Ste. 500      505-243-2615

Albuquerque, NM 87102

[www.abqbar.org](http://www.abqbar.org)

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

### **State Bar General Referral Program**

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

PO Box 92860      505-797-6066

Albuquerque, NM 87199-2860

800-876-6227 (option 2)

[www.nmbar.org](http://www.nmbar.org)

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