Civil Legal Service Providers and Other Resources

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.

Adult Protective Services (APS)

Investigates claims of exploitation of elders 866-654-3219 or 505-476-4912

https://nmaging.state.nm.us/protecting-adults

Advocacy Inc.

Serves children from birth to 18 years and provides guardianship, adoption, and guardian ad-litem services

505-266-3166

https://www.nmadvocacy.org/home

Aging and Disability Resource Center (ADRC)

Assists elders, persons with disabilities, and caregivers with finding services and resources. 800-432-2080

https://nmaging.state.nm.us/services/aging-disability-resource-center-adrc

Aging and Long-Term Services Department

505-476-4799

https://nmaging.state.nm.us/

American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) of New Mexico

505-266-5915

https://www.aclu-nm.org/en/about/contact-us

Area Agency on Aging (AAA)

Administers, plans, and supports community-based services for individuals 60 and older, or age 55 and older in tribal programs.

505-768-2084 City of Albuquerque/Bernalillo County

866-699-4927 Non-Metro AAA

928-871-6868 Navajo AAA

505-629-8544 Indian AAA

https://nmaging.state.nm.us/services/senior-services/area-agency-on-aging-aaa

Better Business Bureau

505-346-0110

https://www.bbb.org/local-bbb/bbb-serving-new-mexico-and-southwest-colorado

Catholic Charities

Provides very low-cost immigration legal services to New Mexico residents 505-724-4670 *Main Office* 505-724-4600 *Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Immigration Services*

505-424-9789 Immigration and Senior Transport Services

https://www.ccasfnm.org/

Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Las Cruces Legal Services Program

Providing Immigration legal services to residents of the 10 southern counties of New Mexico 575-527-0500

https://catholiccharitiesdlc.org/home/

Child Support Enforcement Division (CSED)

Assists in obtaining or enforcing child support orders 800-283-4465

https://www.hsd.state.nm.us/lookingforassistance/child_support/

City of Albuquerque Office of Civil Rights

Investigates and advises on discrimination complaints in the areas of housing, employment, and public accommodations within the City of Albuquerque.

505-768-4595

https://www.cabq.gov/civilrights

Department of Workforce Solutions

Handles unemployment insurance and labor relations 877-664-6984 *Unemployment Insurance Claims* 505-841-4400 *Albuquerque Wage and Hour Claims* 575-524-6195 *Las Cruces Wage and Hour Claims* https://www.dws.state.nm.us/en-us/

Disability Rights New Mexico

Advocates for people with disabilities 505-256-3100 https://drnm.org/

Disciplinary Board of the New Mexico Supreme Court

Handles complaints against attorneys 505-845-5781

https://nmdisboard.org/

DNA – People's Legal Services

Provides free civil legal services to low-income persons in the Navajo Nation, Farmington, Arizona, and Utah.

833-362-1102 Centralized Intake

505-325-8886 Farmington Office

https://dnalegalservices.org/

Enlace Communitario

Provides free services to Spanish-speaking immigrants in domestic violence and family law cases. 505-264-8972

https://www.enlacenm.org/

Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)

Investigates claims of discrimination by employers 800-669-4000

https://www.eeoc.gov/

Human Rights Bureau

Investigates claims of discrimination 800-566-9471 or 505-827-6838

https://www.dws.state.nm.us/Human-Rights-Information

Human Services Department (HSD)/ Income Support Division (ISD)

Handles applications for public assistance

800-283-4465 Consolidated Customer Service Center

505-476-6213 Fair Hearings Bureau

888-523-0051 Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

https://www.hsd.state.nm.us/

Judicial Standards Commission

Handles complaints against judges

505-222-9353

https://www.nmjsc.org/

Keep Your Home New Mexico

Provides resources for those facing foreclosure 800-220-0350

http://www.keepyourhomenewmexico.org/

Law Offices of the Public Defender

575-551-7209 Alamogordo

505-369-3600 *Albuquerque*

505-386-4060 Aztec

575-887-0224 Carlsbad

575-219-6323 Clovis

505-726-4534 Gallup

575-263-2272 Hobbs

575-541-3193 Las Cruces

575-219-6317 Portales

575-208-1655 Roswell

575-257-3233 Ruidoso

505-395-2888 Santa Fe

575-613-1364 Taos

http://www.lopdnm.us/index.php

Legal Resources for the Elderly Program

Provides free legal advice over the phone to New Mexico residents 55 and older

505-797-6005 or 800-876-6657

https://www.sbnm.org/LREP/

Low-Income Taxpayer Clinics

833-545-4357 New Mexico Legal Aid

505-247-3671 ext. 265 Tax Help NM

888-687-2277 AARP Foundation Tax-Aide (50 and over with low to moderate income)

https://www.newmexicolegalaid.org/LITC

https://uwcnm.org/tax-help-new-mexico/

https://taxaide.aarpfoundation.org/?utm_campaign=foundation&utm_source=vanityurl&utm_medium

=referral&utm content=taxaide

Modest Means Helpline

Provides free legal advice over the phone to New Mexico residents of modest means

505-797-6013 or 888-857-9935

https://www.sbnm.org/Bar-Foundation/Modest-Means-Helpline

Native American Disability Law Center, Inc.

Provides free legal assistance to Native Americans with disabilities

800-862-7271

505-566-5880 Farmington Office

https://nativedisabilitylaw.org/

New Mexico Department of Justice Consumer Protection Division

Investigates consumer fraud

844-255-9210 505-717-3500 Albuquerque 505-490-4060 Santa Fe 575-339-1120 Las Cruces https://www.nmag.gov/

New Mexico Center on Law and Poverty

Uses systemic advocacy to address poverty issues. Takes on only a limited number of individual clients. 505-255-2840

http://nmpovertylaw.org/

New Mexico Department of Veterans' Services

Assists with obtaining veterans' benefits 505-383-2400

https://www.nmdvs.org/

New Mexico Developmental Disabilities Council's Office of Guardianship

Assists adults who need a guardian, are income eligible and are alleged to be incapacitated 505-841-4519

https://www.nmddpc.com/

New Mexico Immigrant Law Center

Provides free and low-cost immigration information and legal assistance 505-247-1023

https://www.nmilc.org/

New Mexico IRS Taxpayer Assistance Centers

844-545-5640 For Appointments 505-837-5631 Albuquerque Office 575-526-0161 Las Cruces Office

https://www.irs.gov/help/contact-my-local-office-in-new-mexico

New Mexico Legal Aid

Provides civil legal services for low-income New Mexicans 833-545-4357 *Statewide Intake Line* https://www.newmexicolegalaid.org/

New Mexico Legal Aid Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault, and Stalking Legal Helpline

Provides legal information and referrals

877-974-3400

https://www.newmexicolegalaid.org/node/107/domestic-violence-sexual-assault-and-stalking-helpline

New Mexico Medical Review Board

Handles complaints against medical doctors, physician assistants, naturopaths, sleep techs, anesthesiology assistants, and genetic counselors

505-476-7220

800-945-5845 Toll Free

https://www.nmmb.state.nm.us/

New Mexico Regulation and Licensing Department

Handles complaints against licensed professionals. Includes Boards and Commissions Division, Construction Industries Division (CID), Manufactured Housing Division (MHD), Financial Institution Division and Securities Division

505-476-4500

505-476-4622 Boards and Commissions

505-476-4700 CID Santa Fe

505-222-9800 CID Albuquerque

575-524-6320 CID Las Cruces

505-222-9870 MHD

505-476-4885 Financial Institutions

505-476-4580 Securities

https://www.rld.nm.gov/

New Mexico Veteran Service Organizations (VSOs)

505-346-4878 American Legion

505-346-3004 AMVETS

505-346-4864 Disabled American Veterans

505-383-2400 New Mexico Department of Veterans Services

505-346-4896 Paralyzed Veterans of America

505-346-4879 Veterans of Foreign Wars

https://www.benefits.va.gov/Albuquerque/veterans-services-orgs.asp

Office of Superintendent of Insurance

Handles complaints against insurance companies

855-437-5671

https://www.osi.state.nm.us/

Pegasus Legal Services for Children

Assists caretakers who are seeking guardianship of minor children 505-244-1101

https://pegasuslaw.org/

Senior Citizens' Law Office (SCLO)

Provides legal services to Bernalillo, Sandoval, Torrance, and Valencia county residents 60 and over

http://sclonm.org

Southwest Women's Law Center

Uses systemic advocacy to advance opportunities for women and girls in New Mexico 505-244-0506

https://www.swwomenslaw.org/

Transgender Resource Center of New Mexico

Provides direct services, education, and advocacy for transgender, nonbinary, and gender nonconforming individuals in New Mexico 505-200-9086

https://www.tgrcnm.org/

United South Broadway Corporation (USBC)

Provides free foreclosure clinic workshops, legal assistance, and free housing counseling to low-income New Mexicans

505-764-8867

https://www.unitedsouthbroadway.org/

UNM Law Clinic

505-277-5265

https://www.lawschool.unm.edu/clinic/index.html

Court Services

http://www.nmcourts.gov/

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

http://firstdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov

Second Judicial District Court

* Albuquerque *505-841-6702*

http://seconddistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov

Third Judicial District Court

* Las Cruces *575-528-8326*

https://thirddistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Fourth Judicial District Court

* Las Vegas 505-425-7281

Santa Rosa 575-472-3888

https://fourthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Fifth Judicial District Court

Carlsbad *575-885-4740*

Lovington *575-542-3411*

Roswell *575-622-2565*

https://fifthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Sixth Judicial District Court

Deming 575-546-9611

Lordsburg *575-542-3411*

Silver City *575-538-3250*

https://sixthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Seventh Judicial District Court

Estancia 505-894-7167

Socorro *575-835-0050*

Truth or Consequences 575-384-2974

https://seventhdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Eight Judicial District Court

Clayton *575-374-9577*

Raton *575-445-5584*

Taos 575-758-3173

https://eighthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Ninth Judicial District Court

Clovis 575-742-7500

Portales *575-359-6920*

https://ninthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Tenth Judicial District Court

Fort Sumner *575-355-2896*

Mosquero *575-673-2252*

Tucumcari *575-461-2764*

https://tenthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Eleventh Judicial District Court

* Aztec 505-344-6151

Farmington *505-326-2256*

Gallup 505-863-6816

https://eleventhdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Twelfth Judicial District Court

* Alamogordo 575-437-7310

Carrizozo 575-648-2432

https://twelfthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Thirteenth Judicial District Court

Bernalillo 505-867-2376

Grants 505-287-8831

Los Lunas 505-865-4639

https://thirteenthdistrictcourt.nmcourts.gov/

Bernalillo County Metropolitan Court

* Albuquerque *505-841-8151*

https://metro.nmcourts.gov/

Magistrate Courts

https://nmmagistratecourts.nmcourts.gov/

New Mexico Supreme Court

Limited forms, court rules, procedures, and statutes

Santa Fe 505-827-4860

https://supremecourt.nmcourts.gov/

New Mexico Court of Appeals

Forms, court rules, procedures, and statutes

Santa Fe 505-827-4925

Albuquerque *505-841-4618*

https://coa.nmcourts.gov/

U.S. Bankruptcy Court

Limited forms, court rules, procedures, and statutes

Albuquerque *505-415-7999*

Toll-free 866-291-6805

https://nmb.uscourts.gov/