FREE LEGAL HELP
HOMELESS LEGAL RIGHTS.

The **Homeless Legal Rights Project** assists the homeless with:

PUBLIC BENEFITS

- Supplemental Security Income (SSI) and Social Security Disability Benefits (SSDI)

  - Supplemental Security Income (SSI) provides a stable income to people who are blind, aged, or mentally or physically disabled. Both SSI and SSDI provide similar benefits. SSDI is available to individuals with a substantial, recent work history.

  - Individuals must have a documented medical condition that prevents substantial gainful employment.

  - Applicants must provide accurate medical and social history, attend medical appointments, and complete many complex forms. The process may require several levels of appeals and may last up to three years. SSI provides the homeless with the opportunity to afford modest housing and access to needed medical treatment.

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) / Food Stamps
- Advice and counsel for all types of public and/or governmental assistance programs

FAMILY LAW *service provided only to clients in homeless shelters*

IMMIGRATION *service provided only to clients in homeless shelters*

CIVIL RIGHTS

- We are committed to ensuring that the homeless are treated with dignity and that their legal rights are protected and not violated.

DRIVER LICENSE

- Obtain a motion to assist in restoration of driving privileges

REFERRALS

- We make referrals to, and provides phone numbers for, county resources for housing; food and clothing programs; vocational and addiction rehabilitation programs; and other resources.

A person is considered homeless only when they reside in one of the places described below:

- in a place not meant for human habitation, such as: cars, parks, sidewalks, abandoned buildings, or on the street
- in an emergency shelter
- in transitional or supportive housing for homeless persons who originally came from the streets or emergency shelters
- in any of the above places, but is spending a short time in a hospital or other institution
- is being evicted within a week from a private dwelling unit and no subsequent residence has been identified
- is being discharged within a week from an institution, such as a mental health or substance abuse treatment facility, or a jail/prison, in which the person has been a resident for more than 30 days
- is fleeing a domestic violence housing situation

If you have a problem or a question, please call **954.736.2469.**

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The **Homeless Legal Rights Project** provides free civil legal services to the homeless population of Broward County and conducts outreach and eligibility screenings weekly at the following locations:

Broward Outreach Center
Tuesday
2056 Scott Street
Hollywood, FL 33020
954.926.7417

HAC Center
Every other Wednesday
920 NW 7th Avenue
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311
954.779.3990

Henderson Behavioral Health
Third Wednesday of every month
4720 N. State Road 7
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33319
954.735.4331

Jubilee Center of South Broward
Tuesday
2020 Scott Street
Hollywood, FL 33020
954.920.0106

North HAC
Every other Thursday
1700 Blount Road
Pompano Beach, FL 33069

The Salvation Army
Second Tuesday of every month
1445 West Broward Blvd.
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312
954.524.6991

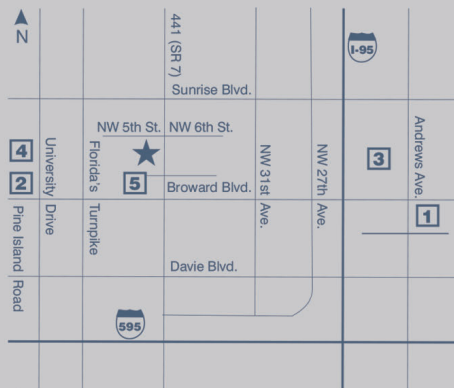# LEGAL AID
SERVICE OF BROWARD COUNTY

FloridaLawHelp.org helps low and moderate income people find free legal aid programs in their community and provides information about their legal rights.

Language interpretation and accessible facilities provided.

Welcoming and affirming of all sexual orientations and gender identities and expressions. We do not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, disability or age.

Legal Aid Service of Broward County is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

HOW TO FIND US

★ **Legal Aid Center for Law and Social Justice**

1 East Courthouse   **2** West Courthouse
3 East Bus Depot (BCT)   **4** West Bus Depot (BCT)
          5 Plantation General Hospital