# **Come in** to your

Abbotsford	604-852-2141
Burns Lake	250-692-3339
Campbell River	250-287-9521
Chilliwack	604-793-7243
Courtenay	250-897-1400
Cranbrook	250-368-9171
	1-866-368-9171
Dawson Creek	250-782-7366
Duncan	250-753-4396
Fort St. James	1-866-614-6999
Fort St. John	250-785-8089
Hazelton	250-842-5218
	1-877-842-5218
Kamloops	250-314-1900
Kelowna	250-763-8613
Langley	604-532-8898
Nanaimo	250-753-4396
Nelson	250-368-9171
	1-866-368-9171
New Westminster	604-585-6595
North Vancouver	604-980-7000
	1-855-220-2800

### Notes

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# local legal aid office

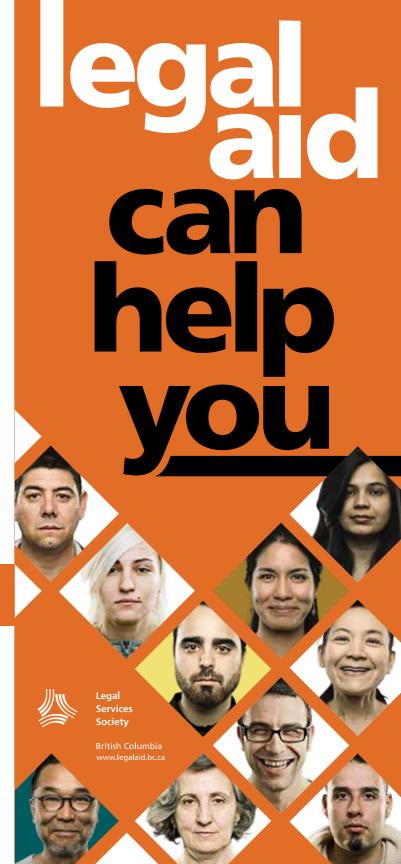
Penticton	250-493-7164
Port Alberni	250-724-5137
	1-877-724-0111
Port Coquitlam	604-472-0634
Prince George	250-564-9717
Prince Rupert	250-624-7701
	1-800-787-2511
Quesnel	250-992-8387
Richmond	604-370-0094
Salmon Arm	250-545-3666
Smithers	1-877-842-5218
Surrey	604-585-6595
Terrace	250-635-2133
	1-800-787-2511
Trail	250-368-9171
	1-866-368-9171
Vancouver	604-601-6206
Vanderhoof	250-567-2800
	1-866-614-6999
Vernon	250-545-3666
Victoria	250-388-4516
Williams Lake	250-267-9154



Find office addresses and hours at **legalaid.bc.ca**.

Contact us to find out which services you qualify for. To get some services, your legal problem must be covered under legal aid rules and you must meet financial guidelines.







### What is legal aid?

#### Information (n)



- Free publications in many languages
- Information services in person and over the phone
- Referrals to other services in your community
- Online legal information and self-help resources

# Advice $\sqrt{v}$

- Duty counsel (lawyers) provide family or criminal advice and guide clients to fill out their forms
- Family LawLINE provides free advice over the phone from a family lawyer

# Representation -



• A lawyer to take your case when you have a criminal, child protection, immigration, or serious family law issue



### How can I find help?

#### Call to apply for legal aid

Find your local office listed on the back, or call 1-866-577-2525.

#### **Click** for legal information

- » legalaid.bc.ca » aboriginal.legalaid.bc.ca
- » mylawbc.com » familylaw.lss.bc.ca

## **Come in for help**

# Your legal aid office $\lozenge$



• Apply for legal aid (call for hours see phone numbers on back)

#### Your courthouse IIIII



- Get brief advice from duty counsel at most courthouses
- Apply for legal aid at some courthouses

#### Legal aid immigration



• Call **604-601-6076** (Greater Vancouver) or 1-888-601-6076 (elsewhere in BC), or come in to the Vancouver legal aid office

## What help can I get?

It depends on your legal problem and vour income.

#### Services available to: 🗸



#### **Everyone**

- legal information
- criminal duty counsel
- limited family duty counsel

#### **People with low incomes**

- a lawyer to represent you
- some family advice

#### **Aboriginal people**





- legal information
- family and criminal advice

#### **Services in many languages:**



- an interpreter to translate for you when you apply or when you talk to your lawyer
- translated publications in print and online