



What will the attorney do?

- Offer assistance and advice on how to represent yourself in family law cases.
- Answer questions about the legal process for family law cases.
- Assist in completing relevant forms and papers for filing with the court for family law cases.
- Answer specific questions about ongoing family law cases for those who do not have an attorney.

When is this service offered?

The clinic is offered every Wednesday from 12:30-2:30 p.m. On the day of the clinic, you must complete a brief intake at the Family Services Office on the second floor of the Circuit Courthouse. You will be given a number and called in number order when the clinic begins. Intake begins at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesdays.



For further information on Family Law Assistance, contact the Family Services Office:

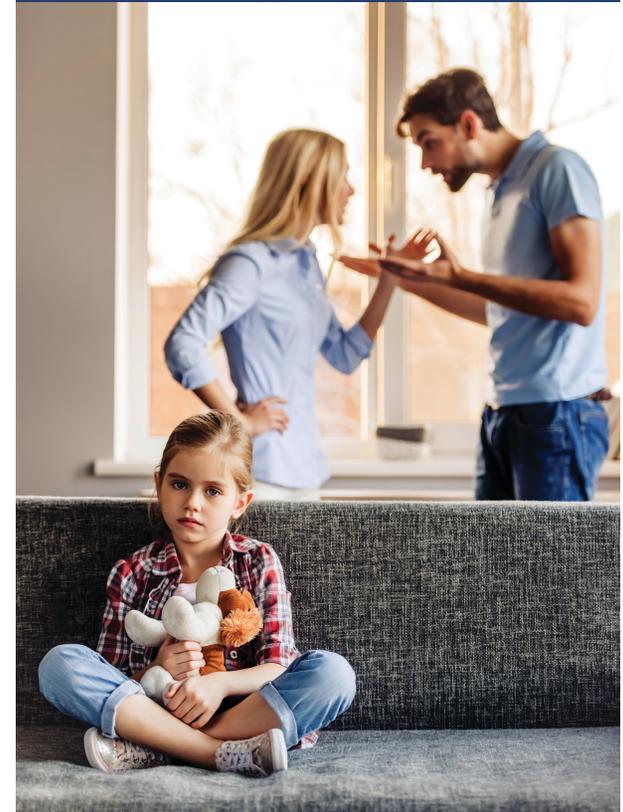
175 Main Street, 2nd Floor
Prince Frederick, MD 20678
410-535-1600, ext. 2516 or 2524



FAMILY LAW ASSISTANCE

FREE LEGAL CONSULTATION FOR

**Divorce
Custody
Visitation
Child Support**



*A program of the Family Services Office of the
Circuit Court for Calvert County staffed by
local volunteer family law attorneys*



What can Family Law offer me?

The Family Services Office of the Circuit Court for Calvert County offers a free clinic for those in need of legal advice and assistance with Family Law issues.

The Family Law Assistance Clinic provides the opportunity for you to speak with an attorney free of charge in a brief consultation. This consultation is not an agreement for legal representation.



Things to remember:

This is a first come, first served program. Bring all paperwork about your case. It is best to leave small children at home. No child care is available.

What Family Law resources are available to me?

See the information below for available resources. All information subject to change.

Maryland Legal Aid Bureau

301-932-6661

Provides free legal services to financially eligible individuals. Areas of law covered:

- Consumer rights
- Elder rights
- Employment
- Family
- Farmworkers rights
- Government benefits
- Health care
- Housing

Maryland Volunteer Lawyers Service

410-547-6537/1-800-510-0050

www.mvlslaw.org

Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to noon

Available to Maryland residents who earn no more than 50% of state median income. Family law areas covered:

- Adult and child guardianship
- Child custody
- Divorce
- Adoption
- Name changes

Family Law Hotline

1-800-845-8550

Monday-Friday 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

- Staffed by experienced family law attorneys
- Answers basic family law questions



Scan here to view the Calvert County Circuit Court website or visit circuitcourt.co.cal.md.us

Maryland Courts Self-Help Center

410-260-1392

www.mdcourts.gov/selfhelp

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Attorneys will answer questions on family law and civil cases

The People's Law Library

www.peoples-law.org

- Provides in-depth information on Maryland law and links to legal service organizations
- Provides self-tests to determine if your case is appropriate for self representation
- Defines legal terms
- Provides link to court forms
- Provides information on preparing for your day in court
- Provides information on appealing or enforcing a decision

Maryland Courts

www.mdcourts.gov

Find the following videos under the Legal Help-Self Help Videos tab from the home page:

- Overview of Maryland Courts
- Finding Legal Help
- Serving the Opposing Party
- Tips for Your Day in Court