

# Apply for Legal Assistance

ALSC has three options to apply for legal assistance:

Apply online through our statewide portal that requires you to complete an application to determine your eligibility for legal services. **Visit [www.la-law.org/get-help](http://www.la-law.org/get-help).**

Call **TOLL FREE 1-866-ASK-ALSC** to apply for services over the telephone.

Visit a local office to apply in person.



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## Office Locations

- Shreveport**  
720 Travis Street  
Shreveport, LA 71101
- Monroe**  
3016 Cameron Street  
Monroe, LA 71201
- Natchitoches**  
134 St. Denis Street  
Natchitoches, LA 71457
- Alexandria**  
1808 Jackson Street  
Alexandria, LA 71301
- Lafayette**  
1020 Surrey Street  
Lafayette, LA 70501
- Lake Charles**  
2911 Ryan Street  
Lake Charles, LA 70601
- Franklin**  
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Franklin, LA 70538

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Acadiana Legal Service Corporation provides counsel and advice, legal representation and advocacy to low-income and elderly individuals. ALSC has separate law units to handle specific legal areas and has a dedicated intake process to determine eligibility and connect the eligible client with the right attorney.

## Get Connected!

-  [www.la-law.org](http://www.la-law.org)
-  **1-(866)-ASK-ALSC**  
**1-(866)-275-2572**
-  [acadianalegal](https://www.facebook.com/acadianalegal)
-  [acadianalegalservice](https://www.youtube.com/acadianalegalservice)



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# Disaster Survivors: What's next?

[www.la-law.org](http://www.la-law.org)

# Disaster Law Unit

We have all experienced a disaster in Louisiana at one point or another. Often times we have many questions about what to do next. ALSC can help you work out the details of the following legal issues:

- ✓ **CLEARING PROPERTY TITLES**
- ✓ **WILLS / SUCCESSION PLANNING**
- ✓ **CONTRACTOR FRAUD**
- ✓ **FEMA RECOUPMENTS**
- ✓ **HOUSING DAMAGE**
- ✓ **INSURANCE CLAIM REVIEW**
- ✓ **LANDLORD / TENANT DISPUTES**
- ✓ **FAMILY LAW ISSUES**
- ✓ **EMPLOYMENT LAW ISSUES**
- ✓ **FEDERAL AID BENEFIT ISSUES**

*All issues must have a connection to the 2020-2021 FEMA declared natural disasters.*

## Disaster Education

ALSC offers a variety of in-person and virtual clinics, legal presentations, application drives and participates in resource fairs throughout the 42 parishes in our service area.

View and schedule upcoming events at [www.la-law.org/outreach](http://www.la-law.org/outreach).

# Disaster Legal Timeline

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## SHORT TERM

*(1-2 weeks)*

Replace lost documents  
Apply for FEMA assistance  
Apply for disaster unemployment  
Apply for disaster SNAP

2

## MEDIUM TERM

*(1-6 months)*

Evictions and landlord/tenant rights  
Foreclosure prevention  
Security deposits  
Appeal FEMA denials  
Domestic violence response

3

## LONG TERM

*(6 months - years)*

Bankruptcy  
Successions and title clearing  
Litigation to remedy systemic disaster response problems  
Defend FEMA recoupment issues

**FREE legal assistance is available to eligible disaster survivors affected by past events of 2020-2021 natural disasters.**

**Hurricane Laura, Delta, Zeta, Ida, Winter Storm Uri, and the severe storms, tornadoes and flooding.**

# Documents List

Keep originals and copies of the following critical documents with you at all times prior to and during a disaster:

- Personal records (birth, marriage, divorce, adoption and death certificates)
- Passport, driver's license and other personal identification documents
- Social Security card
- Property lease, deed, mortgage and other related records (home and auto titles, etc.)
- Financial documents (pay stubs, bank statements, retirement statements) safe deposit box keys
- Debit card and credit card numbers
- Medical records (prescriptions, copies of health insurance cards, health provider contact information)
- Family photos, keepsakes and other mementos

## Online Resources

**232-HELP**  
232-help.org

**Louisiana Law Help**  
<https://louisianalawhelp.org/>

**Disaster Assistance**  
[www.disasterassistance.gov](http://www.disasterassistance.gov)