

## **NORTH SHORE RESOURCES:**

#### FAMILY JUSTICE CENTRES | www.clicklaw.bc.ca/helpmap/service/1019

- Clients can be supported with issues related to separation or divorce. Specifically, support is provided in regards to custody, guardianship, and spousal and child support.
- Services are available by appointment only. To book an appointment, call (604) 981-0084 during operating hours, Monday to Friday from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

#### LEGAL SERVICES OF BRITISH COLUMBIA | legalaid.bc.ca

- To apply for legal aid, call (604) 408-2172 or (866) 577-2525, or visit the North Vancouver legal aid office at 200 East 23rd Street North Vancouver BC V7L 4R4 (North Vancouver Provincial Court).
- A family duty counsel is available on Tuesdays from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM for free drop-in legal advice.
- A criminal duty counsel is available on Wednesdays from 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM for free drop-in legal advice for those who have already had their first court appearance.
- To learn more about the services offered at the North Vancouver location, call (604) 980-7000 or (855) 220-2800.

## LEGAL ADVICE AND REFERRAL CLINIC | www.silverharbourcentre.com/seniors.html

- Provides free legal information and referrals to North Shore seniors (55 years old and above). There are no income or asset restrictions to access services.
- To book an appointment, call (604) 980-2474.

### NORTH SHORE COMMUNITY RESOURCES | www.nscr.bc.ca/information/legal.html

- Legal advocates can help North Shore residents with legal areas of housing, employment standards, income assistance, and debt. Clients can be supported in applying for legal aid, calling legal aid offices, and getting free legal information.
- To book an appointment with an advocate, call (604) 985-7138 or (604) 985-7138 ext 310 if the office is closed.

#### NORTH SHORE PRO BONO | northshoreprobono.ca

- Provides free legal advice to low income North Shore residents on family law and estate planning.
- To check your eligibility, refer to the <u>Initial Wills Client Assessment Form</u> and the <u>Initial Mediation Client Assessment Form</u> on the website. If eligible, please complete the relevant form and drop-off/mail it to 220, 545 Clyde Avenue, West Vancouver, BC V7T 1C5.
- For any further information, please call (778) 786-0615.

#### NORTH SHORE WOMEN'S CENTRE (NSWC) | www.northshorewomen.ca/family-law-clinic

- Provides 60 minutes of free legal advice on family law issues for women with annual incomes below \$45,000 after taxes.
- To book an appointment, call (604) 984-6009 or visit the NSWC at 131 East 2nd Street, North Vancouver, BC V7L 1C2 on Monday to Thursday from 9:30 AM to 3:00 PM.

#### **CITY OF VANCOUVER RESOURCES:**

#### ACCESS PRO BONO | www.accessprobono.ca

- Volunteer lawyers specializing in criminal, family, immigration or civil areas of law offer 30 minutes of free legal advice.
- To book an appointment, email appoinments@accessprobono.ca, or call (604) 878-7400 or (877) 762-6664.
- To learn more about Access Pro Bono's Employment Standards Program, Residential Tenancy Program and Wills Clinic, visit <a href="www.accessprobono.ca/programs">www.accessprobono.ca/programs</a>.

**CONTACT US** I nsiip.ca







## JUSTICE ACCESS CENTRE (JAC) | www.justiceaccesscentre.bc.ca

- Provides a range of services including limited legal advice, referrals to community services, self-help and information services to help people with family and civil law issues.
- To book an appointment, call (604) 660-2084 or drop by at JAC at 290-800 Hornby Street, Vancouver, BC V6Z 2E1 on Mondays to Fridays from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

### LAW STUDENTS LEGAL ADVICE PROGRAM (LSLAP) | www.lslap.bc.ca

- Law students at Peter A. Allard School of Law provide free legal advice and representation to low-income individuals.
- Students DO NOT give advice on family law. To see the areas of law that students provide advice on, visit <a href="https://www.lslap.bc.ca/who-we-can-help.html">www.lslap.bc.ca/who-we-can-help.html</a>.
- To book an appointment, call (604) 822-5791. For appointments in Mandarin and Cantonese, call (604) 684-1628.

### RISE WOMEN'S LEGAL CENTRE | womenslegalcentre.ca

- Provides women with free and affordable legal services on family law, and assists them with immigration applications for permanent residence on humanitarian and compassionate (H&C) grounds and wills drafting.
- To request an appointment, fill out the online form at womenslegalcentre.ca/request-an-appointment.
- Clients and potential clients can call (236) 317-9000 or email intake@womenlegalcentre.ca for more information.

## SENIORS FIRST BC | seniorsfirstbc.ca/programs/legal-programs

- Provides assistance to seniors who are not able to access legal help elsewhere due to low income or other barriers through legal advocates or lawyers.
- To book an appointment or find more information about legal programs, call (604) 336-5653

# ONLINE/PHONE RESOURCES

## CLICKLAW | www.clicklaw.bc.ca

- Provides legal information on various areas of law including family, employment, immigration and housing. The legal information is available in multiple languages including Arabic, Farsi, Japanese, Tagalog, and Urdu.
- Free and low-cost legal educational events can be found on the Clicklaw Blog at blog.clicklaw.bc.ca.

#### DIAL-A-LAW | dialalaw.peopleslawschool.ca

- Provides information on legal topics such as consumers and money, work and business, families, and courts and crime.
- To access pre-recorded information on various legal areas, call (604) 687-4680 or (800) 565-5297.

## LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE | www.accessprobono.ca/lawyer-referral-service

- Clients are given information regarding a suitable lawyer for their issue and can receive up to 30 minutes of free legal consultation from the lawyer; this lawyer can be hired for a fee for more legal advice and representation.
- To find a lawyer, email <a href="mailto:lawyerreferral@accessprobono.ca">lawyerreferral@accessprobono.ca</a> or call (604) 687-3221 or (800) 633-1919.