

Dear Family and Civil Law Attorneys:

We need your help! The Volunteer Attorney Program of New Mexico Legal Aid is holding our second statewide teleclinic on Thursday, May 16, 2024!

To assist as many low-income New Mexicans as apply, the Volunteer Attorney Program needs several volunteers to provide 30- minute telephonic consultations on May 16th. We greatly appreciate any amount of help you can provide to ensure the success of this event.

Legal consultations will take place via telephone. Volunteer attorneys will receive a conflict list and case assignment(s) in advance of the event. Attorneys will call the clients between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. on May 16th.

Please note that <u>we are not asking you to take on cases for full or partial representation</u>, but rather, to provide brief advice and counsel during your phone call with the client. All clients have signed an Assistance Statement indicating that they understand the one-time, limited nature of the legal consultation.

The Access to Justice Commission provides malpractice insurance to volunteers for all consultations with pro bono clients only *during* the designated Teleclinic hours.

To volunteer through the Volunteer Attorney Program for this event, **please register by clicking the button below.**

If you have any questions, please reach out. Thank you for your time and consideration. We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Sincerely,

Statewide Pro Bono Coordinator

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