

**City of Chicago**  
**COMMISSION ON HUMAN RELATIONS**  
740 N. Sedgwick, 4th Floor, Chicago, IL 60654  
312-744-4111 (Voice), 312-744-1081 (Fax), 312-744-1088 (TTY)

**LEGAL ASSISTANCE INFORMATION**

Listed below are some not-for-profit sources of assistance with discrimination claims and related issues in civil rights, employment, and housing law. This is not a complete list of nonprofit legal assistance and advocacy organizations in Chicago. The Commission on Human Relations has no formal relationship with any organization listed. This list is not an advertisement, endorsement, referral, or guarantee of service.

**Access Living**

*Civil rights of persons with disabilities*

115 W. Chicago Avenue, Chicago 60610

312-640-2100, TTY 312-640-2102

[www.accessliving.org](http://www.accessliving.org)

**Chicago Lawyers Committee**

**for Civil Rights Under Law**

*Employment & housing discrimination, hate crimes*

100 N. LaSalle, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor, Chicago 60602

312-630-9744, [www.clccrul.org](http://www.clccrul.org)

**Chicago Coalition for the Homeless Law Project**

*Housing discrimination, homelessness issues*

1325 S. Wabash, Suite 205, Chicago 60605

312-437-4548

[www.chicagohomeless.org](http://www.chicagohomeless.org)

**Coordinated Advice & Referral Program  
for Legal Services (CARPLS)**

*Information & referral hotline*

English 312-738-9200

Hearing-Impaired 312-738-9433,

[www.carpls.org](http://www.carpls.org)

**Edwin F. Mandel Legal Aid Clinic**

**University of Chicago Law School**

*Employment discrimination*

6020 S. University, Chicago 60637

773-702-9611, [www.law.uchicago.edu/mandel](http://www.law.uchicago.edu/mandel)

**Equip for Equality**

*Civil rights of persons with disabilities*

20 N. Michigan, Suite 300, Chicago 60602

312-341-0022, TTY 800-610-2779

[www.equipforequality.org](http://www.equipforequality.org)

**Northside Community Resources**

*Housing Discrimination*

1530 W. Morse Avenue

Chicago, IL 60626

773-338-7722

<https://www.northsidecommunityresources.org/>

**John Marshall Law School Fair Housing Legal Clinic**

*Housing discrimination*

315 S. Plymouth Court, Chicago 60604

312-786-2267

[www.jmls.edu/clinics/fairhousing](http://www.jmls.edu/clinics/fairhousing)

**Lambda Legal-Midwest Regional Office**

*Civil rights of lesbian, gay, bisexual,*

*& transgender persons*

11 E. Adams, Suite 1008, Chicago 60603

312-663-4413, [www.lambdalegal.org](http://www.lambdalegal.org)

**Lawyers Committee for Better Housing**

*Housing discrimination, landlord-tenant*

*& other housing law*

100 W. Monroe, Suite 1800, Chicago 60603

312-347-7600, [www.lcbh.org](http://www.lcbh.org)

**Legal Aid Chicago**

*Legal aid, employment & housing discrimination*

120 S. LaSalle St., Suite 900, Chicago 60603

312-341-1070, TDD 312-431-1206

[www.lafchicago.org](http://www.lafchicago.org)

**Metropolitan Tenants Organization**

*Tenants' rights hotline*

1727 S. Indiana Avenue, G03

773-292-4988 (hotline)

[www.tenants-rights.org](http://www.tenants-rights.org)

**Mexican-American Legal Defense  
& Educational Fund (MALDEF)**

*Civil rights of Mexican-Americans*

11 E. Adams, Suite 700, Chicago 60603

312-427-0701, [www.maldef.org](http://www.maldef.org)

[www.IllinoisLegalAid.org](http://www.IllinoisLegalAid.org)

*Web site for self-help legal information, legal assistance providers & lawyer referral services*