



Legal Assistance / Ombudsman

Abbie Shelter

- <https://www.abbieshelter.org/>
- Phone: (406) 752-7273 | Flathead County
- Helpline, counseling and court services for all survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

American Civil Liberties Union

- <https://www.aclumontana.org/>
- Phone: (406) 443-8590 | Montana

Disability Rights

- <https://disabilityrightsmt.org/>
- Phone: (406) 449-2344 | Montana

Fair Housing

- <http://www.montanafairhousing.org/>
- Phone: (406) 782-2573 | 1-800-929-2611 | Montana

Flathead County Attorney's Office

- <https://flathead.mt.gov/department-directory/attorney>
- Phone: (406) 758-5630 | 820 South Main, Kalispell MT

Flathead LTC Ombudsman

- <https://flathead.mt.gov/department-directory/agency-aging/services/ombudsmen>
- Phone: (406) 758-5737 | Agency on Aging – 40 11th St W Ste 100, Kalispell MT
- An Ombudsman can provide education, assistance and advocacy to LTC residents and their families.

Flathead Public Defender's Office

- <https://publicdefender.mt.gov/>
- Phone: (406) 751-6080 | 723 5th Ave E Ste 100, Kalispell MT

Housing and Urban Development

- <https://www.hud.gov/states/montana>
- Phone: (406) 449-5050

Human Rights Bureau

- <https://erd.dli.mt.gov/human-rights/>
- Phone: (406) 444-2884 | 1-800-542-0807 | Montana



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Montana Legal Services Association

- <https://www.mtlsa.org/>
- Phone: 1-800-666-6899 | Montana

Veterans Law Section

- Phone: (406) 543-8343 ext. 2216
- Free legal advice and representation for veterans with veteran legal issues.

Montana Law Help

- <https://montanalawhelp.org/>
- Information and links to legal resources, including Montana Legal Services.

Montana LTC Ombudsman Program

- <https://dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/aging/longtermcareombudsman/>
- Phone: (800) 332-2272 | Montana

Montana Statewide Pro Bono

- <https://courts.mt.gov/probono/>
- Phone: (406) 794-7824

Montana Law Help - Veterans

- <https://www.montanalawhelp.org/issues/public-assistance/veterans-benefits>
- Information and links to legal resources for veterans including Montana Legal Services.

National Veterans Legal Services Program - Lawyers Serving Warriors

- <https://nvlsp.org/what-we-do/lawyers-serving-warriors/>
- Phone: (202) 265-8305
- Email: info@nvlsp.org
- Offers free legal help pursuing DOD benefits, including discharge upgrades, medical retirement, combat related special compensation (CRSC), and servicemembers' group life insurance traumatic injury protection program (TSGLI).

Office of Consumer Protection

- <https://dojmt.gov/consumer/>
- Phone: (406) 444-4500

Self Help Law Center

- <https://courts.mt.gov/selfhelp/NorthWestRegion>
- Phone: (406) 758-2496 | Flathead Co Justice Center – 920 South Main, Kalispell MT



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Montana Office of Victim Services

- <https://dojmt.gov/victim-services/>
- Phone: (406) 444-3653 | 1-800-498-6455 | Email: dojovs@mt.gov

Montana Legal Services Developer Program

The Montana Legal Services Developer in the Office on Aging, provides elder law training and resources for older adults, family members and social outreach workers. The program also offers pro bono and local legal services referrals, materials, and telephone assistance to older adults on related matters. The program offers Legal Document Clinics across the state of Montana for adults aged 60+ as well as any enrolled tribal members. At the Legal Document Clinics, trained legal professionals assist participants in completing their estate planning documents at no cost to the participant. Legal professionals help older adults draft, review, notarize and copy each document. Free resources and educational materials are also available on site.

Clinic documents include:

1. Transfer On Death Deed
2. Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care
3. Durable Power of Attorney for Financial
4. Declaration of Living Will / Declaration of Homestead
5. Simple Will / Indian Wills

- <https://dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/aging/legalservicesdeveloper/>
- Phone: (406) 444-4077 | 1-800-332-2272

The Veterans Consortium Pro Bono Program

- <https://www.vetsprobono.org/>
- Phone: 1 (888) 838-7727
- Email: mail@vetsprobono.org
- A national non-profit organization providing free legal services in federal venues for veterans in need of representation for unjustly denied benefits or compensation, including correction of military records/discharge.
- Discharge Upgrade Program – Phone: (202) 733-3324 | Email: upgrades@vetsprobono.org

Adult Protective Services of Montana

- <https://dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/APS/>
- Phone: 1-844-277-9300
- Protection and advocacy for vulnerable adults from abuse, neglect and exploitation.



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The State Long Term Care Ombudsman

- <https://dphhs.mt.gov/sltc/aging/longtermcareombudsman/>
- Phone: 1-800-332-2272 | Or Your Regional or Local Ombudsman: 1-800-551-3191
- An Ombudsman can provide education, assistance and advocacy to long-term care residents and their families.