



VLN Volunteer Opportunities Overview

VLN Program	Volunteer Opportunity	Time Commitment*	Advice	Limited Services	Full or extended representation	Good for entry level volunteers
Family Law	Full representation in adoption, custody and dissolution	10 – 50+ hours, depending on case			X	X (for certain cases)
	Special Immigrant Juvenile Status	10+ hours			X	X (for certain cases)
	Phone Advice	2 hour shift	X			
	Courthouse Clinic (in person only)	2+ hour shifts		X		
	Limited Scope (trial prep or draft papers)	2-5 hours			X	
	Mentoring	10+ hours				
Civil	Legal Access Point Clinic (in person only)	2 hour shift		X		
	Phone Advice	1-2 hour shift	X			X (Conciliation Court)
Landlord/Tenant	Housing Court Clinic (in person or remote)	~4 hour shift		X		X
	Phone Advice	2 hour shift	X			
	Eviction Expungement	2-10 hours			X	X
	Rent Escrow	10+ hours			X	
Criminal Record Expungement	Phone Advice	1 hour shift, plus prep time	X			X
	Walk-in clinic (in person only)	2-4 hours		X		X
	Full Representation	10+ hours			X	X
Immigration	Phone Advice	2 hour/shift	X			
	Legal Clinic (in person)	2+ hour/shift	X	X		
	Extended Legal Services (EAD, Pro Se Defensive Asylum)	5+ hours			X	X
	Full Representation (U-Visa, DACA renewals, TPS, Naturalization, AOS)	10+ hours			X	X (for naturalization)

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Debtor Creditor	Phone advice	2 hour shift	X			
	Letters to Creditors	4-6 hours		X		X
Employment law	Phone advice	2 hour shift	X			
	Brief services and/or full rep	10+		X	X	X (for certain cases)
Admin. law	Unemployment Compensation Appeals Phone advice	1-2 hours	X			
	Unemployment Comp. Appeals extended/full rep	5-10			X	X
	DHS Disqualification Appeals	1-2 hour	X			
Tax Law	Phone Advice	1-2 hours	X			X (if tax law experience from law school)
	Brief Services and/or Ful rep	4-10+		X	X	X (if tax law experience from law school)
Real Estate	Phone Advice	2 hour shift	X			
Bankruptcy	Phone advice	2 hour shift	X			
	Screening	2 hour shift	X			
	Chapter 7 full rep	10+ hours			X	X
	Bankruptcy Adversary Procedure	10+ hours			X	
LGBTQ	Name Change and Gender Marker Correction	~2 hours	X	X	X	X
Just Deeds		2+ hours		X	X	X

*All times provided are approximate and can vary widely depending on the case, client and experience of the volunteer. The times given are just to give a sense of what the time commitment for this type of work is.

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