

Winnebago Free Legal Assistance Clinic

April 2013

Upcoming Clinic Dates:

April

Neenah Public Library 4/9/13, 4-6pm

Oshkosh Public Library 4/16/13, 4-6pm

May

Menasha Public Library 5/7/13, 4-6pm

Neenah Public Library 5/14/13, 4-6pm

Oshkosh Public Library 5/21/13, 4-6pm

June

Menasha Public Library 6/4/13, 4-6pm

Neenah Public Library 6/11/13, 4-6pm

Oshkosh Public Library 6/18/13, 4-6pm

July

Menasha Public Library 7/2/13, 4-6pm

Neenah Public Library 7/9/13, 4-6pm

Oshkosh Public Library 7/16/13, 4-6pm

We are greatly in need of volunteer attorneys for our Neenah clinics. If you are in any way able to help please contact Chad and Kyla at legalassistanceclinic@gmail.com

For more information please contact:

Kyla Karcz and Chad Harrie:
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The Legal Assistance Clinic advises clients in the following areas: Family Law, Domestic Abuse/Harassment, Small Claims, Landlord/Tenant, Debtor/Creditor, Real Estate, Foreclosures, Probate/Wills, Immigration, Property Disputes, and Other Non-Criminal Areas.

Get involved

The clinic is in need of volunteer attorneys to advise clinic patrons on the legal issues they face. There are multiple ways you can help.

- 1) **Volunteer at the legal assistance clinics.** It is a great way to fulfill your pro bono requirements, and to meet potential clients. We understand that your time is limited, and you do not need to stay for the entirety of the clinic, or arrive right at 4pm.
- 2) **Volunteer as a referral attorney.** Referral attorneys need not be present at the legal clinics. Instead, their name and contact information will be distributed to patrons whose legal questions align with the attorney's area of expertise. The attorney and the individual will then set up a time to phone conference or meet at a convenient time and date.
- 3) **Volunteer to take on cases at a reduced rate.** This is an excellent opportunity for lawyers new to the profession, and lawyers

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looking to recruit new clients. These lawyer volunteers also need not be present at the clinics; we would simply add their contact information and area of expertise to our referral list. Their contact information would then be distributed to clinic clients willing to pay a reduced fee for legal services.

Introducing the new Legal

Assistance Clinic Interns: Chad Harrie and Kyla Karcz are junior, pre-law students at the University of Wisconsin- Oshkosh. During the spring 2013 semester they will be working to improve our ability to meet the needs of our county by expanding the clinic's volunteer base and increasing its efficiency. They are currently recruiting attorneys in all fields of law (other than criminal) to either volunteer their time at the clinics to advise clients, or to volunteer as a referral attorney. Referral attorneys need not be present at the clinics. Instead, attorneys' contact information will be given to clients with legal questions in their corresponding area of expertise to schedule a meeting at a convenient time. Additionally, Chad and Kyla will also be looking to organize an additional location for the clinic to be held, or an additional evening of the week in order to more adequately meet the legal needs of the community. If you are at all interested in assisting with the Free Legal Assistance Clinic, please contact Chad and Kyla at legalassistanceclinic@gmail.com