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**Legal representation of Older Americans may be available in these types of cases:**

- ◆ Food Stamps
- ◆ Garnishments
- ◆ Guardianships
- ◆ Health Care Issues
- ◆ Medicaid/Medicare
- ◆ Medical Access Issues
- ◆ Nursing Home Problems
- ◆ Power of Attorney
- ◆ Public Housing
- ◆ Subsidized Housing
- ◆ Social Security
- ◆ SSI Overpayments
- ◆ Unfair Sales and Collection Practices
- ◆ Veterans' Benefits
- ◆ Wills
- ◆ Other Civil Legal Problems

Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma, Inc. does not discriminate in admissions, access, treatment or employment, in its programs or activities on the basis of race, creed, color, sex, age, ancestry, national origin, religion or disability.

Legal Aid helps senior citizens answer such questions as:

- Do I need a will?
- If I die without a will, can the State of Oklahoma take my property?
- What can I do if Social Security underpays me or overpays me and wants money back?
- Can my landlord lock me out of my apartment if I do not pay my rent?
- Can I be sent to a nursing home or hospital against my will?

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Legal Aid contracts with the state of Oklahoma through 11 regional area-wide Aging Agencies, to provide free legal advice and brief assistance to all seniors over age 60 regardless of income.

Legal Aid provides extended legal services to low-income or otherwise vulnerable seniors.

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**Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma Senior Law Project** is funded and sponsored through Title III (B) of the Older Americans Act of 1965, as amended and Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma, Inc.®

Services provided by the Older Americans Act have no fees or charges. All donations help us provide services to other seniors through this project.

**You will receive services even if you cannot contribute!**

**Ways you can contribute to the Senior Law Project:**

- ◆ **Contribute online at:**  
<http://www.legalaidok.org>
- ◆ **Send a check to:**  
Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma, Inc.  
Senior Law Project Support  
2915 North Classen Boulevard,  
Suite 500  
Oklahoma City, OK 73106
- ◆ **Contact Marketing & Development, call Sandy at 405-488-6761**
- ◆ **Volunteer your time; call your local office.**

## Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma® legal services provides ...

### Community Education

Free community education seminars are conducted in many counties. These seminars are scheduled at different times throughout the year. Topics vary depending on the interests and needs of the Older American community at large. These trainings are conducted to make Older Americans aware of legal issues that affect their lives.

### Legal Advice and Counseling

Free legal advice and counseling are available to all people who are 60 years of age or older in the counties served by our Older American programs.

### Legal Aid has helped ...

- \* An elderly veteran and his wife stop foreclosure on their home and avoid homelessness.
- \* An 84 year old widow after a credit card company obtained a default judgment against her when she couldn't pay its bill after her husband died. Legal Aid was successful in forcing the bank to release the hold on our client's money; and the months of worry were relieved.

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## APPLICATION HOTLINE

Legal Aid Services of Oklahoma® legal services provides free civil legal assistance to eligible low-income people and senior citizens.

Need help?

Find out if you are eligible for legal help:

**1-888-534-5243**

- ✓ Apply in most languages
- ✓ Leave a brief message **and** phone number
- ✓ Get a call back within 2 to 3 days, usually within 1 day
- ✓ Get screened for income & eligibility for services first
- ✓ If eligible, you will get a call back from a lawyer.

**We cannot help everyone who contacts us.**

Already a client? Your representative should have given you the direct office number.

Can't find it? Call the Hotline and ask for the number of your representative.

#### Administrative Offices

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## Senior Law Project

### Legal Services for Older Americans



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