

Criminal Law + Reentry/Conviction History

<p>Washington Law Help</p> <p>WashingtonLawHelp.org has frequently updated self-help packets, forms, videos, and information on community resources - Many of which are available in other languages.</p>	<p>Call 211</p> <p>(You can also call: 206-461-3200 or 1-877-211-9274)</p> <p>211 is an interactive social services directory.</p> <p>With more than 6,000 services listed, it is often the most effective way to get connected to the right legal aid agency in King County.</p>
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<p>Department of Public Defense</p>	<p>Criminal advice and representation for clients with active criminal legal issues who don't already have representation. The 24/7 hotline is available to anyone in custody or under investigation who is seeking the advice of an attorney. Also gives advice for Child Protective Services or Adult Protective Services cases.</p>	<p>On-Call 24/7 Advice: 206-477-8899 General Office Number: 206-296-7662</p>
<p>Team Child</p>	<p>Free legal services. Targets their services to youth in Yakima, King, Spokane and Pierce Counties who are at high risk for juvenile justice involvement. Also provides legal services to youth who are incarcerated in WA State's juvenile prisons. Provides a juvenile records sealing clinic.</p>	<p>206-322-2444 kinginfo@teamchild.org</p>
<p>WA Defender Association</p>	<p>Case assistance or technical assistance for: incarcerated parents, noncitizens in criminal proceedings, death penalty cases, felony cases, and misdemeanor cases. To apply for individual services please visit the website and view the intake processes for each program.</p>	<p>www.defensenet.org/case-support/ Incarcerated Parents: 206-623-4321 Immigrants: 206-623-4321 Death Penalty: cindy@defensenet.org Felonies: cindy@defensenet.org Misdemeanors: magda@defensenet.org</p>
<p>KCBA Records Project</p>	<p>KCBA Records Project provides help with vacating criminal records for WA State convictions when the record is preventing employment, benefits, housing, or professional license. Clients must be below 200% of the Federal Poverty Level. Does not assist with: Restoring gun or voting rights, Reducing or remitting Legal Financial Obligations. Not ideal for time sensitive issues.</p>	<p>To apply, clients must first call 211 or complete a screening and referral at an NLC appointment (call 206-267-7070 on Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday 9 AM to Noon).</p>
<p>Columbia Legal Services: Re-Entry Clinic</p>	<p>Twice monthly clinic in Seattle. Help managing court fees/financial obligations resulting from criminal charges. Client can speak to an attorney about addressing re-entry needs such as housing, employment, and legal financial obligations.</p>	<p>206-287-8625</p>
<p>Criminal History Records</p>	<p>Criminal conviction and arrest information for WA State criminal history reports ("WATCH Reports") is readily available to the public via the internet. For a small fee, anyone may access any individual's criminal conviction record, including arrests under one year old and pending charges. Certain agencies have free access to criminal history information, e.g., criminal justice agencies and DSHS.</p>	<p>360-534-2000 option 2 https://fortress.wa.gov/wsp/watch/</p>
<p>Northwest Justice Project (NJP)</p>	<p>If you are very low income and you owe Legal Financial Obligations (LFOs) because you were convicted of a crime, we may be able to help. Especially if you have a disability and are unable to work, and/or your only source of income is Social Security (SSI/SSDI).</p>	<p>1-888-201-1014</p>