

Consumer debt or housing issue?

- Have you received a notice from a creditor?
- Do you have a judgment against you?
- Is a creditor attempting to put a judgment against you?
- Are your wages being garnished for a debt?
- Have you received a notice of non-payment for your current residence?
- Have you received a notice to vacate because your lease expired?
- Is your current or former landlord suing you for damages?
- Have you received a notice of a small claims suit?



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Who we are:

We are a law firm for poor and low-income people. We provide assistance to low income people in civil cases.

Our service is free. There is no cost for any of the services we provide.

We believe that everyone has the right to equal justice regardless of the ability to pay.

We will help you secure, protect, and preserve your legal rights.

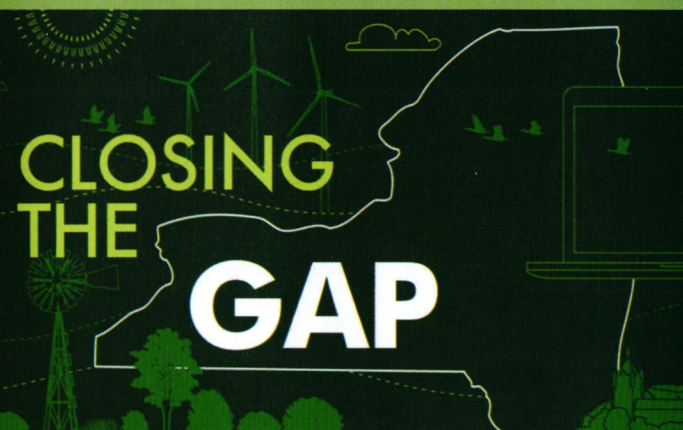
Our staff are highly skilled, committed individuals who are experts in the practice of poverty law.

We are not a government agency.

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Closing the Gap
will assist you by
connecting you to
an urban attorney
that will help you
with your legal
need during a
virtual interview.



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What is Closing the Gap?

Closing the Gap connects low-income consumers and tenants to a volunteer attorney using innovative technology to address their legal needs.

We will give you legal advice, information, and a referral to a volunteer attorney that will help prepare you with the document you need for court.

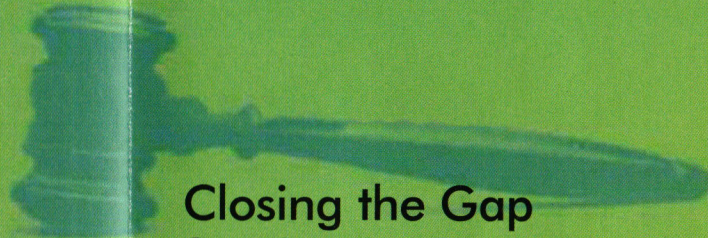
Volunteer attorneys are private lawyers who voluntarily accept cases from Legal Aid free of charge. Eligibility for a referral to our program is determined in the same way it is for all Legal Aid services.

We Can Help

- **Housing:**
Evictions and utility shutoffs
- **Consumer Problems:**
Debt collection, wage garnishments, small claims and judgments
- You must be low-income within our financial guidelines
- You must live in one of the following counties:

Clinton	Columbia
Essex	Franklin
Fulton	Greene
Hamilton	Montgomery
Rensselaer	Saratoga
Schenectady	Schoharie
St. Lawrence	Warren
Washington	
- You must have a civil, *not a **criminal***, legal problem

Have all the facts, documents, names and dates about your problem available to help us understand your problem.



Closing the Gap Service Locations

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