

# Finding Legal Help in New Jersey

There are a number of organizations that you can turn to find help with your legal issues.

## **South Jersey Legal Services** (Legal Services of New Jersey)

Free legal assistance to low income people.

745 Market Street, Camden, NJ 08102

Intake Unit Phone: 800-496-4570

Phone: 856-964-2010

[www.lsnj.org/sjls](http://www.lsnj.org/sjls)

Email: [sjlscamden@lsnj.org](mailto:sjlscamden@lsnj.org)

Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm

## **Legal Services of New Jersey**

Free legal assistance to low-income people for their civil legal problems. Their legal information website, [www.lsnjlaw.org](http://www.lsnjlaw.org), provides self-help resources on a number of legal topics.

Phone: 1-888-LSNJ-LAW (1-888-576-5529)

[www.lsnj.org](http://www.lsnj.org)

Monday-Friday, 8am-5:30pm

## **Camden Center for Law and Social Justice**

Program of the Catholic Diocese of Camden. Concentrates on immigration law, family law, general civil law, and protecting survivors of domestic violence. Does not handle divorce.

126 N. Broadway, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Camden, NJ 08103

Phone: 856-583-2950

Fax: 856-583-2955

[www.cclsj.org](http://www.cclsj.org)

## **Camden County Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service**

Staff will interview you over the phone to determine the nature of your legal need. You can ask for an attorney who accepts sliding scale or reduced fee clients. There is no fee for calling the referral service. You will be given information for an attorney who practices in your area of need. A fee of not more than \$30 may be charged for the first half-hour consultation with this attorney. The attorney will discuss with you any legal issues that you may have and additional fees if you retain them for additional work.

Phone: 856-482-0618

[www.camdencountybar.org/referral\\_service.php](http://www.camdencountybar.org/referral_service.php)

Monday-Friday, 9:30am-4pm

### **Camden County Office of the Public Defender**

The Office of the Public Defender in New Jersey is tasked with providing attorneys for those people who cannot afford them when charged with a crime.

101 Haddon Avenue, Camden, NJ 08103

Phone: 856-614-3500

[www.state.nj.us/defender](http://www.state.nj.us/defender)

### **New Jersey Judiciary Ombudsman Program**

In the Judiciary, the ombudsman is a neutral staff person who answers questions, addresses concerns from the public and is responsible for enhancing customer service in the courts. Although the ombudsman is unable to provide legal advice, the ombudsman can help guide court users through the system with as much ease as possible. Their goal is to provide information in an attempt to prevent misunderstandings before they occur.

<http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us/ombuds/>

Camden County Ombudsman

Vannessa Ravenelle

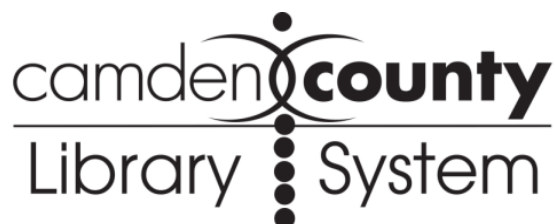
856-379-2238

[CamdenHelp.mailbox@judiciary.state.nj.us](mailto:CamdenHelp.mailbox@judiciary.state.nj.us)

### **New Jersey Courts website**

[www.judiciary.state.nj.us](http://www.judiciary.state.nj.us)

From paying your traffic ticket online to finding foreclosure prevention assistance to understanding the structure of the courts, this is the gateway to all court information in New Jersey. The Self-Help Center area of this site will provide general information on representing yourself in court, contact numbers, brochures and forms.



[camdencountylibrary.org](http://camdencountylibrary.org)