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SENIOR LEGAL SERVICES: COVID-19 RESPONSE

How Can LAWO and ABLE Help?

LAWO and ABLE provide free legal services to eligible older Adults (age 60+). We want you to know that **we are still working** and that **we are here for you**. Even though our offices are closed to the public to prevent the spread of the COVID-19 virus, we are continuing to provide legal help by phone, online and other ways.

Our services during the COVID-19 crisis include: information; counsel and advice; help with reviewing paperwork, preparing documents and forms; and representation.

LAWO and ABLE services include help with:

- Civil Protection Orders
- Document Preparation including:
 - Health Care Power of Attorney
 - Living Will
 - Financial Power of Attorney
- Avoiding Scams & Schemes
- Consumer Issues including:
 - Debt collection and Creditor harassment
 - Garnishment
 - Identity theft
 - Co-signing a loan or a lease
 - Contractor/Home Repair issues
- Housing Issues including:
 - Conditions
 - Eviction
 - Lock-Out/Utility Shut-off
 - Subsidized Housing issues including termination

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- Public Benefits issues including:
 - Cash Assistance
 - Healthcare
 - Job & Family Services benefits issues
 - Nutrition Assistance (SNAP)
 - Ohio Works First (OWF) issues
 - Social Security (SSI & SSDI) benefits
 - Unemployment

If You Need Help:

CALL

Legal Aid Line of Western Ohio
Monday – Friday: 9am – 4pm



TOLL-FREE

(888) 534-1432

APPLY ONLINE

24 hours/day; 7 days/week



ONLINE

www.LegalAidLine.org

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