

Check out these volunteer opportunities!

Volunteers with Atlanta Volunteer Lawyers Foundation (AVLF) play a vital role in helping low-income Atlantans secure safe housing, family stability and protection from abuse. You don't need to be an expert to make a difference!



Ready to get started?

Scan the QR code to get connected with someone from our team!



TIME-LIMITED PROJECTS

These are "drop-in" projects open to anyone and require no additional training or knowledge.

These one-time projects are great for groups.

ADVICE ONLY

These opportunities are shift-based and involve providing advice to clients without any additional expectation of representation.

These are great for those looking to make a difference without full representation

SCHOOL EVENTS

Join us at local school events and community fairs where we connect with families, share helpful resources, and raise awareness about services that strengthen our communities.

PROGRAMS:

- **STANDING WITH OUR NEIGHBORS (SWON)**

PHONE BANK

Provide legal advice to tenants during scheduled phone shifts, helping them take the first step in protecting their housing rights.

PROGRAMS:

- **EVICTION DEFENSE**

WALK-IN CLINIC

Assist tenants in preparing their answer to their pending eviction and understanding the next steps in the eviction process.

PROGRAMS:

- **HOUSING COURT ASSISTANCE CENTER (HCAC)**

WALK-IN CLINIC

Provide consultation and legal assistance for survivors of intimate partner abuse.

PROGRAMS:

- **SAFE FAMILIES OFFICE**

LIMITED LEGAL

These opportunities involve a deeper level of engagement, including providing legal advice and assisting with documentation or resources.

Volunteers may help draft legal forms during clinics or workshops.

Time commitment is typically 3–4 hours, and training is provided in advance.

These are great for those looking to make a difference without full representation

CLINICS

Provide in-person legal advice to tenants in SWON partner schools or community locations on housing issues such as repairs, lease concerns, and utilities.

PROGRAMS:

- **STANDING WITH OUR NEIGHBORS (SWON)**

WORKSHOPS

Guide tenants in understanding their legal options during landlord-tenant disputes, including next steps and drafting documents for them to advocate for themselves.

PROGRAMS:

- **SATURDAY LAWYER PROGRAM (SLP)**

FULL REPRESENTATION

These opportunities involve full legal representation of a client from start to finish.

Volunteers may draft legal documents, negotiate with opposing parties, and represent clients in court if needed.

These are great for those looking to gain or utilize litigation experience and working with clients.

CASE PLACEMENT

Take on full representation of a client, including drafting legal documents, negotiating with opposing parties, and potentially representing the client in court.

PROGRAMS:

- **STANDING WITH OUR NEIGHBORS (SWON)**
- **PILOT - EVICTION PROGRAM**
- **SATURDAY LAWYER PROGRAM (SLP)**
- **SAFE FAMILIES OFFICE (SFO)**
- **EVICTION DEFENSE**
- **FAMILY LAW PROGRAM**

CLINICS

Work with a client on their landlord-tenant dispute, conditions issue, and/or unreturned security deposit case on Saturday and commit to ongoing representation.

PROGRAMS:

- **SATURDAY LAWYER PROGRAM (SLP)**

GUARDIAN AD LITEM

Serve as a Guardian ad Litem by advocating for the best interests of children in custody disputes. You'll investigate, report, and make recommendations to the court.

PROGRAMS:

- **GUARDIAN AD LITEM (GAL)**