

Free legal help for patients and families

Provided by Medical-Legal Partnership – Richmond

We believe in treating the whole child and family, which can mean providing more than medical care. We have a special team devoted to addressing legal issues that can impact health and well-being.

MLP-Richmond offers free legal advice and representation for eligible patients and families in Richmond and surrounding counties. MLP-Richmond assists families with:

Health and public benefits

- Medicaid
- Access to the Affordable Care Act
- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (food stamps)
- Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

Housing law

- Eviction defense
- Foreclosure prevention
- Housing voucher problems
- Lockouts
- Utility cutoffs
- Repairs
- Security deposits

Employment law

- Unemployment compensation
- Wrongful discharge

Family law

- Child abuse and neglect
- Protection from domestic violence and family abuse
- No-fault divorce
- Custody
- Visitation
- Child support
- Guardianship

Consumer law

- Bankruptcy (no-asset Chapter 7)
- Debt collection defenses
- Garnishment protection
- Automobile reposessions
- Predatory lending

*MLP-Richmond does not provide services in the areas of medical malpractice or criminal law.



Connect with us

For more information or to meet with a lawyer, ask a member of your care team to refer you to MLP-Richmond.

Or, contact us directly:

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Location

Children's Pavilion - Level 4, Room 4-332

Support

To support the Medical-Legal Partnership at VCU Health, please visit support.vcu.edu/give/vcuhealth and search for Medical-Legal Partnership.

To submit a donation by mail, make check out to the MCV Foundation with Medical-Legal Partnership in the memo line and mail to:

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Box 980275
Richmond, Virginia 23298.