

LEGAL & COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Collin County Law Library
Collin County Courthouse
2100 Bloomdale Dr, Suite 10216
McKinney, TX 75071
www.collincountytx.gov/law_library/index.jsp
972-548-4255
Email: lawlib@collincountytx.gov
Library Hours: Monday – Friday 8am – 5pm



LEGAL ADVICE PHONE HOTLINES

Texas Advocacy Project

www.texasadvocacyproject.org

1-800-374-HOPE (4673)

Free legal advice for family law, domestic violence, sexual assault or stalking

Legal Line – Dallas Bar Association

214-220-7476

2nd & 3rd Wednesday of the month from

5:30 pm to 8:00 pm only

Legal Line – Tarrant County Bar Assoc.

817-335-1239

2nd & 4th Thursday of the month from

6:00 pm to 8:00 pm only

Legal Aid of NW Texas Hotline

1-888-529-5277 (toll free)

Monday – Friday 9:00 am – 12 noon

Low-income only

Legal Hotline for Texans

1-800-622-2520 (toll free)

Seniors & low-come only

Access & Visitation Hotline

(for non-custodial parents)

1-866-292-4636 (toll free)

Monday – Friday 1:00 pm – 7:00 pm

LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICES

972-943-4736 – Collin County

972-980-0472 – North Dallas

FREE LEGAL CLINICS

Plano Legal Clinic

1-800-906-3045

6:00 pm, 3rd Thursday of the month

Salvation Army Corps Community Center

3528 East 14th St. Plano

Low income applicant's only

Allen Legal Clinic

1-800-906-3045

6:00 pm, 2nd Thursday of the month

First United Methodist Church

601 S. Greenville Ave., Allen

Low income applicants only

LEGAL SERVICES

Legal Aid of Northwest Texas

www.laanwt.org

1-800-906-3045 or 972-542-9405

901 N. McDonald, Ste. 702, McKinney

Low income applicants only

Father's for Equal Rights

www.fathers4kids.org

214-953-2233

8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Monday – Friday

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LEGAL & GOVERNMENT RESOURCES & INFORMATION

Bankruptcy Court – Eastern District of TX
972-509-1240
660 N. Central Expwy, #300B
Plano, TX (Satellite Office)

**Attorney General of Texas
Child Support Division**

www.oag.state.tx.us
email: 404.CustServ@cs.oag.state.tx.us
469-241-6500
830 E. Central Pkway, #350
Plano, TX

U.S. Attorney's Office –Eastern District
972-509-1201
101 E. Park Blvd., Suite 500
Plano, TX

State Bar of Texas

www.texasbar.com
1-800-932-1900
Attorney grievances

Guardian Ad Litem

972-562-4500
301 W. Louisiana
McKinney, TX

Tenants' Rights Information

www.texastenant.org
214-823-2733
Texas Tenants Union

Freedom of Information Foundation

1-800-580-6651 Open records, open
meetings information

1-877-673-6839 Attorney General's open
government hotline

General Legal & Government websites

www.co.collin.tx.us *Collin County*

www.texasjudge.com *Helpful judicial info in
Collin County*

www.texasonline.gov *Official Portal of TX*

www.findlaw.com *Learn more about legal
topics*

www.law.cornell.edu *Search US codes,
constitution and federal regulations*

www.lawsources.com *American law info*

Adoption Resources

www.dshs.state.tx.us/vs *Texas Vital
Statistics*

www.adoption.com

www.adoptioninternational.org *(Foreign
Adoptions)*

Family Law Resources

www.texaslawhelp.org

www.divorcenet.com

Protective Order Information

www.texaslawhelp.org

Texas Legislature

www.legis.state.tx.us

*View Texas statutes, bills & constitution
online*

Texas Vital Statistics

www.dshs.state.tx.us/vs/

*Birth, death, marriage, divorce, paternity
certificates*

COMMUNITY SERVICES RESOURCES

2-1-1 Texas

www.texas.org

Free information and referral help line for Texas services (local and statewide)
Just dial "211"

Assistance Center of Collin County

www.assistancecenter.org

972-422-1850

Primary contact point for all Collin County residents who need social services

Child/Elder Abuse & Neglect Hotline

972-547-5477

Texas Dept. of Family & Protective Services

Collin County Family Justice Division

972-548-4323

2100 Bloomdale Rd, Suite 2004, McKinney
Juvenile, Protective Orders, Domestic Violence, Child/Adult Protection

Collin County Children's Advocacy Center

www.cacplano.org

972-633-6600

2205 Los Rios Blvd, Plano
Physical, sexual, emotional abuse & neglect

Hope's Door

www.hopesdoorinc.org

972-422-7233 - 24-hour hotline

Shelter & counseling for victim's of domestic violence

Family Place

www.familyplace.org

214-941-1991

Shelter and counseling for victims of domestic violence

Samaritan Inn

www.thesamaritaninn.org

972-542-5302

1710 N. McDonald St., McKinney
Homeless shelter in Collin county

The Turning Point

www.theturningpoint.org

1-800-886-7273

972-985-0951

Rape crisis center of Collin county

Housing Crisis Center

www.hccdallas.org

214-828-4244

Landlord/Tenant legal workshop and info

LifePath Systems (Collin County MHMR)

www.lifepathsystems.org

972-562-0190

1416 N. Church St., McKinney
Support to North Texas residents with special needs.

Early Childhood Intervention for ages birth to 3 years for disabilities or delays in development.

Advocacy, Inc.

www.advocacyinc.org

1-800-880-2884 or 214-630-0916

Disability issues, including access & discrimination

Our Friend's Place

www.ourfriendsplace.org

214-520-6268

Therapeutic Group Home for at-risk girls ages 10-17

Transitional Living Center for young women ages 18-24

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LOCAL LIBRARIES

McKinney Public Library

972-547-7323
101 E. Hunt St., McKinney

W.O. Haggard, Jr. Library

972-769-4250
2501 Coit Rd., Plano
Has small legal collection, including Texas Transaction Guide, Texas Litigation Guide, and Vernon's Texas Codes & Statutes Annotated.

Richardson Public Library

972-744-4350
900 Civic Center Dr., Richardson
Has small legal resource collection, including Vernon's Texas Codes & Statutes Annotated

SMU Underwood Law Library

<http://library.law.smu.edu>
6550 Hillcrest, Dallas
Public access: Mon – Thur 8:30 am – 8 pm
and Fri 8:30 am – 6 pm ONLY

COUNSELING SERVICES

Consumer Credit Counseling

www.golddude.org
972-542-0257

Avenues Counseling Center

www.avenuescounseling.org
972-562-9647

Contact Crisis Hotline – 24 hours

www.contactdallas.org
972-233-2233 Adults
972-233-TEEN Teens

Child & Family Guidance Center

www.childrenandfamilies.info
214-351-3490

counseling services continued

CITY House

(Collin Intervention to Youth)

www.cityhouse.org
972-424-4626
Teen shelter/Counseling center
Ages 10-17

Because I Love You

www.becauseiloveyou.org
972-647-9573
Parent support group

Mosaic Family Services, Inc.

www.mosaicservices.org
214-821-5393
Immigrant & refugee counseling program

National Teen Dating Abuse Hotline

www.loveisrespect.org
1-866-331-9474
Real-time one-on-one support

Some forms are now available online at the Collin County Law Library website.

http://www.collincountytx.gov/law_library/index.jsp

- Divorce – No Children
- Divorce – Joint Custody
- SAPCR – Joint Custody
- SAPCR – Non Parent
- Name Change Adult
- Name Change Minor – One parent
- Name Change Minor – Both parents
- Occupational Driver's License
- Quitclaim Deed