

**Lawrence County Council of Community Services
Information & Referral Services**

Agency/Organization:	Neighborhood Legal Services Association
Program(s):	Free civil legal services to low-income individuals who meet our income and asset guidelines.
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Area(s) Served:	Lawrence County
Website Address:	www.nlsa.us
Eligibility Requirements:	Civil legal services to low-income residents w/limited assets and to all victims of domestic violence.
Population Served:	Lawrence County Low-income residents
Statement of Services:	Free civil legal services to low-income individuals, the elderly and abused in Lawrence County.
Mission Statement:	To meet the legal needs of the poor and vulnerable in the community through effective legal representation and education.
Brief Overview of Services/Programs:	Help to troubled families (abuse, custody and family law issues); Public Benefits (SS, denials or termination of UC, DPW); Tenant issues; Consumer issues (Sheriff sales, Tax sales, Mortgage Foreclosure, Executions on personal property, Utility terminations, Predatory Lending, Unfair Debt Collection); Low income worker issues; Elder law (referrals).

	<p>Help can consist of direct representation, advice, assistance w/self representation, brief service/limited legal assistance or referral to a private attorney (includes free and reduced fee). Also provided: community education on legal topics. Free interpretation services are provided to those clients w/limited English abilities and the hearing impaired. Website: www.nlsa.us</p>
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