

LEGAL SERVICES **EDUCATION ADVOCACY**

Advocates for Children, Inc.

CONTACT: (212) 947-9779, Mon. & Wed., starting at 9 am

Education Help-line: (212) 947-9779, Tues. & Thurs., from 10 am – 1 pm

Types of Cases:

- Special education problems
- School disciplinary issues
- General access to school services

Website: www.advocatesforchildren.org

LSNY – Bronx, Education Unit

Contact: (718) 928-3700, Mon. – Fri., 9 am – 5 pm

Eligibility Requirements: You must be a U.S. citizen or legal immigrant. Family's income must be at or below 125% of the poverty level (\$1301/month for a household of two)

Types of Cases:

- Special education (evaluations, placements, receipt of services, CSE reviews, impartial hearings, early interventions)
- School suspensions
- Student/parent and school staff relations
- Placement issues (including transfers, gifted programs, alternative schools, theme and magnet schools)
- Remedial education/Title I.

New York Legal Assistance Group

CONTACT: (212) 750-0800, Mon., Wed., & Thurs., 9 am – 3 pm

Legal Services for Children, Inc.

CONTACT: (212) 683-7999, Mon. – Fri., 10 am – 12 pm

Types of Cases:

- Special Education Disputes

Website: www.kidslaw.org

New York Lawyers for the Public Interest – Disability Law Center

CONTACT: (212) 244-4664, Mon. – Fri., 9 am – 6 pm

Eligibility Requirements: Family earns less than \$40,000 and individual in need of assistance must be disabled.

Types of Cases:

- Special education

Information obtained from <http://www.lawhelp.org>

There is no guarantee that any of these legal services will be available to assist any individual regardless of whether the individual meets the eligibility guidelines.

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Urban Justice Center – Lesbian & Gay Youth Project

CONTACT: (646) 602-5635, Mon. - Fri., 9 am – 5 pm

Eligibility Requirements: Serves individuals under 23 years old who are lesbian, gay, or bisexual

Types of Cases:

- School discipline, suspensions, and expulsions
- General education issues
- Special education

Information obtained from <http://www.lawhelp.org>

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