How to get help

In order to get help from AppalReD, you must be low income, have limited assets, and have a kind of problem AppalReD handles. AppalReD can help senior citizens regardless of their income and assets.

What kinds of cases do we handle?

1. **Consumer problems** including bankruptcies, collections, garnishments, car sales, car repos, consumer rip-offs, and home improvements.

2. **Domestic violence and family law issues** including protective orders, divorces, adoption defense, and custody cases.

3. **Housing problems** including foreclosures, evictions (both private and government housing), utility shut-offs, and rental conditions cases.

4. **Public benefits issues** including K-TAP, SNAP (Food Stamps), Social Security, SSI, Black Lung, and VA benefits.

5. **Utility issues** with regulated and municipal utility companies including terminations and billing disputes.

6. **Education issues** including special education rights and school discipline.

7. **Health care issues** including Medicaid, Medicare, health insurance disputes, Qualified Income Trusts (QIT), and medical debt.

8. **Employment issues** including discharge from state employment and Unemployment Compensation.

9. **Senior citizen services** including simple wills, POA’s, and living wills.

10. **Tax issues** including problems with the IRS.

11. **Expungements** including felonies and misdemeanors.

**Thing We Don’t Do.**
• Criminal cases
• Personal injury cases
• Property disputes
• Worker’s Compensation
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If you have a problem that we handle, call our Central Intake Office at 1-866-277-5733 or make an online application.

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