

# JUMPSTART YOUR LEGAL CAREER INTERNSHIP WITH LEGAL AID CHICAGO!

Legal Aid Chicago believes that access to justice should not depend on the ability to afford an attorney. For over 50 years, Legal Aid Chicago has provided people living in poverty in metropolitan Chicago with free civil legal services.

**Our six practice groups provide free legal help in the following areas:**

**CHILDREN & FAMILY • HOUSING • PUBLIC BENEFITS •**

**CONSUMER • IMMIGRANTS' & WORKERS' RIGHTS**

**VOLUNTEER SERVICES (INCLUDING CRIMINAL RECORDS EXPUNGEMENT)**

Legal Aid Chicago is seeking current law students to apply for fall internships with one of our practice groups. Duties may include:

- client interviews and case investigation
- memoranda and brief writing
- drafting of pleadings and judgments
- court representation under Illinois Supreme Court Rule 711
- direct representation at administrative hearings
- legal research

Must be available for a **minimum of 10 hours/week** during the semester. Applications processed year-round. Applicants are encouraged to apply early!

As the situation changes, we anticipate that at least a portion of the internship would take place remotely. Applicants wishing to work remotely may apply.

## **TO APPLY, SEND:**

- cover letter (**please indicate preferred practice group**)
- resume
- brief writing sample (2-4 pages)
- law school transcript
- contact information for two professional references

**to [internship@legalaidchicago.org](mailto:internship@legalaidchicago.org)**

Applicants who seek academic credit, have funding, or wish to volunteer are welcome. Legal Aid Chicago does not provide funding, but funding may be available through external funding sources such as PILI.

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