

## **EASTSIDE LEGAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

“A threat to justice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere.”

Dr. Martin Luther King

### **Volunteer Opportunity - Family Law Clinic Volunteer Attorney**

Many low income individuals and families on the Eastside who need legal services cannot afford legal services. Frequently these issues involve family law matters. Eastside Legal Assistance Program (ELAP) provides free legal advice to these persons in need through family law legal advice clinics, where volunteer attorneys provide free half hour consultations with the person needing legal assistance. You can help us provide these much needed legal services by volunteering as a Family Law Clinic Attorney.

A Family Law Clinic Attorneys provides civil legal aid in the area of family law at ELAP's family law advice clinics. The clinics are offered at various locations on the Eastside. Advice clinics are two hours in length, with 30 minute appointments for each client. Most pro bono attorneys volunteer for a clinic once or twice a month.

Volunteer attorneys must be members of Washington State Bar Association, or waived from this requirement by the WSBA. Training and mentoring is provided for attorneys who do not specialize in family law, including free CLEs provided by ELAP. Also you will be eligible for four hours of CLE credit when you complete two hours of CLE offered by ELAP and volunteer for four hours at ELAP's family law clinic. .

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