

EASTSIDE LEGAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

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

Dr. Martin Luther King

Volunteer Opportunity - Immigration Clinic Volunteer Attorney

Many low income immigrants on the Eastside need legal services but cannot afford legal services. Eastside Legal Assistance Program (ELAP) provides free legal advice to these individuals and families through 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 an Immigration Clinic Attorney.

An Immigration Clinic Attorney provides civil legal aid in the area of immigration law at ELAP's immigration advice clinic. This advice clinic meets twice monthly on Thursday evenings from 5:30-7:30 PM. Clients receive a 30 minute appointment at the clinic. Most attorneys volunteer for one clinic once or twice a month.

Volunteer attorneys must be members of Washington State Bar Association, or waived from this requirement by the WSBA. You will receive training and mentoring as needed, 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 legal advice clinics.

For more information or a volunteer application, contact Brandy Andersson at brandy@elap.org or 425-747-7274 ext 204.