# LEGAL AID SERVICE OF BROWARD COUNTY FACT SHEET

#### Location

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#### **Executive Director:**

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## About:

Legal Aid Service of Broward County provides free civil legal services to financially eligible clients.

#### Mission:

Legal Aid Service of Broward County's mission is to provide high quality free civil legal advice, representation and education to the disadvantaged of Broward County so as to improve the lifestyle and living conditions of the low-income community and encourage self-sufficiency.

## **Areas of Practice:**

Legal Aid Service of Broward County provides civil legal services to financially eligible clients in the following areas:

- Children's Advocacy
- Consumer
- Homeless
- Housing
- Immigration
- Low Income Tax Clinic
- HIV/AIDS
- Ryan White
- Permanency Planning
- Education, Training and Support Services

## How it works:

Legal Aid Service of Broward County provides no cost legal services for residents of Broward County who qualify financially for services. Financial eligibility is

based upon the income and assets of individuals in a household. In most cases, the income of a household cannot exceed 125% of the federal poverty level.

Legal aid intake workers will assist in completing an application and determine eligibility for services. Eligibility for services is also based upon whether a legal problem falls within the core practice areas.

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