

## BUILDING BRIDGES BETWEEN OUR COMMUNITY AND THE LEGAL SYSTEM

## THE ROCK LEGAL & JUSTICE CLINIC

We envision a new and restored hope among **Inwood** and **The Bronx** communities; with a bridge to the justice system, our underserved neighbors are thriving socially and economically. During the pandemic and many other challenges we bring to you **"Law in a Bag"** to help you get help to resolve your legal problems.

WHAT'S IN A LAW BAG: Gives way to help you resolve legal problems by making connections.

CAVEAT: Many of the legal matters are complicated, so we seek to provide a bridge to resources and the legal system to get you the help you need. This folder is not legal advice or a recommendation of any particular source. The Rock Legal and Justice Clinic will open in the Fall as a full service Neighborhood Legal Aid Clinic to serve Inwood and The Bronx communities.



**LANDLORD & TENANT RIGHTS**– Get help when owing rent; facing eviction; harassment; dealing with court proceedings; the COVID 19 moratorium.

**Legal Aid Society-Manhattan (Harlem Office)**, 212-426-3000;

Legal Aid Society, The Bronx, 718-991-4758,

Housing Court Bronx County (Legal Aid Society), 718-681-8712;

Manhattan Housing Court Project, 212-577-3300;

New York Legal Assistance Group tenant's rights, Q&A, 212-613-5000;

Manhattan Legal Services, 5030 Broadway, Suite 664, N.Y., 917-661-4500



**IMMIGRATION - CITIZENSHIP**: Seeking Citizenship or facing deportation.

Garcia & Kalicharan P.C., William Garcia, Esq., 710 W. 190th St., 212-942-1166;

The Northern Manhattan Coalition for Immigrants Rights, 212-781-0355, email: info@nmcir.org; The Bronx Defenders, 718-838-7878;

Manhattan Legal Services, 5030 Broadway, Suite 664, N.Y., 917-661-4500



<u>SPECIAL EDUCATION LAW</u> - Assistance for children with educational disabilities. (IDEA): help with the right to Free Appropriate Public Education; parents' rights; remote learning plans; assist with advocacy; administrative hearings, and legal process.

Law Offices of H. Jeffrey Marcus, 1-650-279-5250; email: <a href="mailto:spedlawwz@gmail.com">spedlawwz@gmail.com</a>;

**New York Legal Assistance Group, 929-356-9582;** 

Advocates for Children, 866-427-6033;

The Law Office of Elisa Hyman, P.C., email: info@specialedlawyer.com;

The Law Offices of Nancy Rothenberg, email: <a href="mailto:lawwofficesnr.com">lawwofficesnr.com</a>



**HEALTH CARE PROXIES**: Need an advocate for health care; health care decisions and process for a representative; see attached form;

The Law Firm of Sharon C. Fletcher, PLLC, office@fletcher.law or 845-810-0421



## **CHURCHES AND COMMUNITY RESOURCES:**

**Manhattan Bible Church,** 401 W. 205<sup>th</sup> St., NY;212-567-2276, email: office@Manhattanbible.com **Uptown Community Church,** 51 Fort Washington Ave., NY, 917-310-0871,

email: admin@uptowncommunitychurch.com

Viva Uptown; 917-206-1440 email: info@hfny.org,

The NYC Love Kitchen, Feeding & Mending Lives, 212-942-4204

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