The Eviction Legal Helpline provides phone-based legal services for tenants facing eviction or lease termination:

(1) Information about the legal eviction process in Virginia,
(2) A personal consultation with a lawyer about the case, and
(3) Referrals to local legal and other resources as appropriate.

The Helpline does not provide legal representation in court or in negotiating with landlords or other third parties.

HOW IT WORKS
Tenants calling the Eviction Legal Helpline will leave a message and get callbacks from Helpline staff, first to do an intake and get the tenant’s key information and then to offer legal advice about their potential eviction from a licensed attorney. We try to return initial messages within two business days.

OTHER HELP
Tenants not facing imminent eviction or lease termination can seek legal help from their nearest legal aid program (866-534-5243) or Virginia Lawyer Referral Service (800-552-7977).

For non-legal help related to eviction or lease termination, tenants are encouraged to call 2-1-1 Virginia for referrals to a variety of local and statewide resources.

The Eviction Legal Helpline is a project of the Virginia Poverty Law Center, in collaboration with the Campaign to Reduce Evictions (CARE).

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