



Veterans Law Clinics – updated November 2015

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<p>University of San Diego</p>	<p>Veterans Legal Clinic Barcelona Suite 305 5998 Alcalá Park San Diego CA 92110 Phone: (619) 260-7470 Email: veteransclinic@sandiego.edu</p>

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Yale University Law School	Veterans Legal Services Clinic Contact Info: Professor Michael Wishnie Yale Law School P.O. Box 209090 New Haven, CT 06520-9090 Phone: (203) 432-4800 Email: michael.wishnie@yale.edu http://www.law.yale.edu/academics/veteranslegalservicesclinic.htm
Widener U. School of Law	Director: Susan Saidel, Esq. Widener University School of Law 4601 Concord Pike, Room 219 Wilmington, DE 19803 Phone: 302-477-2090 Email: swsaidel@mail.widener.edu http://law.widener.edu/Academics/ClinicalProgramsandProfessionalTraining/Clinics/VeteransLawClinic.aspx <u>Veterans Law Clinic (Delaware)</u> Founded in 1997 and expanded significantly in 2006, the Veterans Law Clinic at Widener University School of Law assists low-income and disabled veterans with appeals for denials of disability compensation and pension claims. Staff attorneys work with student interns and volunteer attorneys to provide free legal assistance to veterans residing in Pennsylvania and Delaware, and occasionally surrounding areas such as New Jersey and Maryland.
Stetson University College of Law	Directors: Michael P. Allen & Stacey-Rae Simcox Veterans Law Institute 1401 61 st Street South Gulfport, FL 33707-3299 Phone: (727) 562-7333 Email: veteranslaw@law.stetson.edu http://www.law.stetson.edu/veterans/
Florida International University College of Law	Contacts: Michelle D. Mason & Mariano Corcilli, Esq. 11200 SW 8 th Street, RDB 1026 Miami FL 33199 Phone: (305) 348-7541 Email: masonm@fiu.edu https://law.fiu.edu/academics/learning/experiential-learning-proc/ Veterans Clinic/Project: The VA-MLP (Veterans Administration and Medical-Legal Partnership) is a legal services delivery model designed to improve legal client/patient outcomes by addressing social determinants of health (poverty, education and employment, income, housing, legal status, personal and family stability, etc.). VA-MLP students under the supervision of a senior attorney provide legal assistance to veterans in association with the Miami VA Healthcare System.
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	<p>http://law.emory.edu/academics/clinics/volunteer-clinic-for-veterans.html</p> <p>The Emory Law Volunteer Clinic for Veterans consists of law student volunteers supervised by attorney mentors who provide pro bono legal assistance to veterans and their families. The focus for the work is the representation of veterans with service connected disabilities in proceedings before the VA and in subsequent appeals.</p>
John Marshall Law School	<p>Executive Director: Brian Clauss The John Marshall Veterans Legal Support Center & Clinic 315 South Plymouth Court Chicago, IL 60604 Phone: (312) 360-2656 OR (312)427-2737 ext. 346 Email: bclauss@jmls.edu http://www.jmls.edu/veterans/</p>
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University of Detroit Mercy School of Law	<p>UDM Law Veterans Clinic 651 E. Jefferson Detroit, MI 48226 Phone: 313-596-0235 or 1-888-UDM-LAW4 (1-888-836-5294) Email: veteranslawclinic@udmercy.edu http://www.law.udmercy.edu/index.php/projectsalute</p> <p>Project SALUTE provides education and legal assistance to homeless, indigent and low-income veterans on disability and pension benefit appeals pending before the Detroit VARO.</p>
University of Missouri School of Law	<p>Supervising Attorney: Angela K. Drake, Esq. University of Missouri School of Law Veterans Clinic 104C Hulston Hall Columbia, MO 65211-4300 Phone: (573) 882-7630 Email: drakea@missouri.edu http://law.missouri.edu/jd/skills/veterans-clinic/</p> <p>The University of Missouri School of Law Veterans Clinic assists with VA Claims cases before both the Board of Veterans Appeals and the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims.</p>
North Carolina Central University Law School	<p>Director: Craig Kabatchnick NCCU School of Law-Veterans Law Clinic Office: 46 640 Nelson Street Durham, NC 27707 Phone: (919) 530-6605 Email: ckabatchnick@nccu.edu http://law.nccu.edu/clinics/veterans-law/</p>

<p>Ohio State University Moritz College of Law</p>	<p>Captain Jonathan D. Grassbaugh Veterans Project 55 West 12th Avenue Columbus OH 43210 Phone: (614) 292-0290 Email: grassbaughveteransproject@osu.edu http://moritzlaw.osu.edu/grassbaugh/</p> <p>The Captain Jonathan D. Grassbaugh Veterans Project at the Moritz College of Law helps veterans who may find themselves in need of legal assistance in the areas of housing and consumer issues. Housing matters that the project may handle include landlord-tenant issues, evictions and foreclosure. Consumer issues that the Project may handle include creditor/debtor and credit agency disputes, as well as assisting in cases involving relief from default judgment. The Project helps veterans free of charge, with cases and issues in Franklin County.</p>
<p>Duquesne University School of Law</p>	<p>Veterans Clinic Tribone Center for Clinical Legal Education 600 Forbes Avenue Tribone Building Pittsburgh PA 15282 Phone: (412) 396-4704 Email: lawclinic@duq.edu http://law.duq.edu/clinics/clinics/veterans</p>
<p>University of Pittsburgh School of Law</p>	<p>Veterans Legal Clinic Practicum 436 Seventh Avenue 400 Koppers Building Pittsburgh PA 15219 Phone: (412) 402-6677 Email: JManne@alumni.pitt.edu or Jpcatlaw@aol.com http://www.pittsburghprobono.org/Public_Legal_Services/Veterans-Pro-Bono-Practicum.asp</p> <p>The Veterans Legal Clinic Practicum is a faculty supervised legal assistance clinic of the University of Pittsburgh School of Law.</p>
<p>George Mason University School of Law</p>	<p>Mason Veterans & Servicemembers Legal Clinic Director: Laurie Neff 3301 Fairfax Dr., MS1 G3 Arlington VA 22201 Phone: (703) 993-8214 Email: clasv@mail.gmu.edu http://clas.law.gmu.edu/</p> <p>The Clinic for Legal Assistance to Service members and Veterans (CLASV) provides free legal assistance to active-duty service members, their dependent family members, and veterans in cases of clear injustice or in cases where they would be unable to retain counsel without undue hardship. CLASV student advisors, with the assistance of a supervising attorney, handle civil matters in the courts of Northern Virginia in matters such as landlord-tenant, contract, uncontested divorces and step-parent adoptions, bankruptcy or immigration matters; provide assistance with appeals of MEB or PEB findings; appeals to the Boards of Corrections, Discharge Review Boards, and to the VA (BVA/CAVC) regarding disability claims. CLASV does <u>not</u> provide assistance for criminal or contested domestic relations/family law matters.</p>

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