

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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Our Office is happy to help you if we are able. However, we are only allowed to help you in certain ways, since we must be fair to everyone.

WE CAN:

Explain and answer questions about how the court works

Provide you with the phone numbers and addresses of local lawyer referrals, legal aid services, or state libraries

Give you general information about the court rules, procedures, and practices

Provide court schedules

Provide you with information from your case file and enable you to access it from the public computer station

Provide you with court forms and instructions that are available

Usually answer questions about court deadlines

WE CANNOT:

Tell you whether or not you should file a new case

Give you an opinion about what will happen if you bring your case to our court

Tell you what words you should use in your court pleadings

Talk to the judge for you or let you talk to the judge outside of court

Tell you what you should say in court

Tell you what you should do next in your case

Provide you a copy of an order until it is filed in by the Clerk's Office

Compute deadlines in your particular case

**Printable forms and answers to frequently asked questions are available online.
Please visit our website at www.almd.uscourts.gov**