



Tenant/Eviction Referrals

Legal Aid Organizations	
East Bay Community Law Center 2921 Adeline St. Berkeley, CA 94703 (510) 548-4040 Monday – Friday: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm www.ebclc.org Remote assistance only. Housing Program (510) 548-4040	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defense of Eviction/Unlawful Detainer cases • Section 8/Housing Authority termination hearings • Rent board hearings • General counseling on tenants’ rights • Assistance to individuals to represent themselves • Rental Assistance program consultations and referrals Fees: Free for low-income tenants residing in Berkeley, Oakland, Emeryville, and Alameda.
Bay Area Legal Aid 1735 Telegraph Ave. Oakland, CA 94612 www.baylegal.org Legal Advice Line: 1-800-551-5554 Monday: 9:30 am – 3:00 pm Tuesday: 9:30 am – 1:00 pm Wednesday: 9:30 am – 1:00 pm Thursday: 9:30 am – 3:00 pm Office is now open.	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eviction defense • Fair housing and housing discrimination • Housing conditions • Rent control • Lock-outs and utility shut-offs • Section 8/HUD/public housing/subsidized housing • Residential hotels • Foreclosure Fees: Free for low-income tenants.
Centro Legal de la Raza 3400 E. 12th Street Oakland, CA 94601 510-437-1554 tenantsrights@centrolegal.org https://www.centrolegal.org/tenants-rights/ Remote assistance only.	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Notice of termination counseling • Eviction defense • City of Oakland Rent Adjustment hearings • Tenants rights’ counseling • Assistance to individuals who represent themselves • Small claims related to landlord-tenant Fees: Free for low-income tenants.
ECHO Housing 1305 Franklin Street #305 Oakland, CA 94612 510-496-0496 www.echofairhousing.org	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Housing discrimination/fair housing investigation • Landlord/tenant mediation • Rights & responsibilities – landlord & tenant • Security deposit/delinquent rent assistance Fees: Services are free.

Other resources	
Housing Resource Center 250 Frank H. Ogawa Plaza, 6th Floor 510-238-6182 Monday-Friday 8:30am to 5pm https://www.oaklandca.gov/topics/housing-resource-center	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counseling related to rent increases/rent adjustments in rent-controlled apartments in Oakland. • Information and resources on paying utilities, back rent and help with deposits Fees: Services are free.
Alameda County Superior Court Self-Help Center Hayward Hall of Justice 24405 Amador Street, Department 501 Hayward, CA 94544 https://www.alameda.courts.ca.gov/self-help Ph: 510-272-1393, Mon – Thurs 2:00 – 4:00 pm Online chat: Mon–Thurs 9:00 am – 12:00 pm	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff answer questions about completing eviction forms. Fees: Services are free. Will only assist self-represented litigants.

Attorney Referrals	
Eviction Defense Center 350 Frank Ogawa Plaza, Suite 703 Oakland, CA 94612 (510) 452-4541 https://www.evictiondefensecenteroakland.org/ Monday - Friday: 9:00 am-12:00 pm and 2:00 pm-5:00 pm Visitors must wear a mask for appointments.	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eviction defense Fees: Offers sliding scale fees.
Alameda County Bar Association (ACBA) Lawyer Referral Service (510) 302-2222 ext. 4 Monday: 8:30 am – 12:00pm Tuesday: 8:30 am – 12:00pm Thursday: 8:30 am – 12:00pm Friday: 8:30 am – 12:00pm https://www.acbanet.org/need-a-lawyer/	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistance with housing issues. Fees: Free referrals to two attorneys for 30-minute consultations. Attorneys charge \$200 – \$400/hour for services.
Bay Area Legal Incubator 125 12th Street, Suite 100-BALI Oakland, CA 94607 https://www.bayarealegalincubator.org/	Services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Various landlord-tenant matters. Fees: Affordable legal services. Some offer sliding-scale fees.