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Sign Up Now for Pro Bono Week Legal Clinics

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Idaho's legal community will mark Pro Bono Week with a series of clinics aimed at providing public service to low-income residents.

Pro Bono Week, Oct. 20-26, is a time to "honor the work of those who provide volunteer legal services, to address the need for civil legal assistance on matters of profound urgency, and to remind all attorneys of their responsibility to assist in meeting the legal profession's sacred commitment to equal justice under the law." That's as written in [a resolution](#) to mark the week issued by the members of the Idaho Pro Bono Commission, including the Idaho Supreme Court, Idaho State Bar and other courts and legal organizations in this state.

Events are organized through the [Idaho Volunteer Lawyers Program](#). Participants generally must be low-income or at-risk individuals.

At 5 p.m. MT Tuesday, Oct. 22, will be the monthly IVLP Lawyer in the Library clinic in Meridian for low-income or at-risk people facing a civil legal matter.

At 4:30 p.m. MT Wednesday, Oct. 23, the Association of Corporate Counsel will host a legal clinic for low-income people seeking advice on civil matters such as divorce, contracts, housing and finance. This event will be held in Boise but will have a Zoom option for participants from other areas of the state.

From 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. MT Thursday, Oct. 24, the Idaho Military Legal Alliance will hold its quarterly wills clinic in Boise to help members of the military with end-of-life planning.

And from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. MT Friday, Oct. 25, Rachel Murphy and Shaila Buckley will hold a similar Boise clinic for low-income people who want help with simple wills, financial power of attorney and advanced care planning documents.

Slots in the clinics are limited. To sign up, use these links for the [IMLA clinic](#) and for [all other clinics](#). You will be asked for income information to confirm your eligibility. Questions about the legal clinics should be directed to Jenni Bolen Jordan, jjordan@isb.idaho.gov.