

Pro Se Assistance Center

The Pro Se Assistance Center (PAC) is staffed by volunteer bankruptcy attorneys. The PAC offers free 30-minute consultations to individuals who are representing themselves in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in a Chapter 7 case. Volunteers provide information about the bankruptcy process and limited to case-specific advice. They cannot represent parties in court or file pleadings. **WE ARE CURRENTLY MEETING CLIENTS BY TELEPHONE**

TO APPLY FOR ASSISTANCE, PLEASE CALL: (404) 287-0813 Your call will be returned within 3 business days.

The initial call will be to complete a quick intake and gather information about your situation. Atlanta Legal Aid staff will confirm your eligibility and then ask you to complete a short questionnaire to assess how we can best help.

Once eligiblity is determined, Legal Aid will try to match you with a volunteer bankruptcy attorney for a 30-minute phone consultation.

Legal Aid cannot guarantee a consultation will be available to everyone who is eligible.

Please note: Appointments may be limited or unavailable due to volunteer availability.

What We Do:

- Provide free 30-minute consultations on Chapter 7 cases.
- Provide limited legal advice and information on bankruptcy related issues and questions in the Northern District of Georgia.
- Answer questions about completing forms and preparing and filing court documents.
- Provide referrals and other resource information.

What We Do NOT Do:

- Advise on Chapter 13 cases.
- Provide advice to creditors.
- Give advice on any non-bankruptcy related legal issues or cases.
- Complete forms or file pleadings.
- Provide representation in court.
- Enter an attorney-client relationship beyond the 30-minute consultation.

*Note: The PAC is not affiliated with the U.S. Bankruptcy Court.