

**Consumer Credit Counseling
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Your Gateway to Financial Education & Positive Change

**Resource
Information**

A Collection of Helpful Organizations

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Community Services

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www.redcross.org

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www.bfnc.org/ or (716) 856-0363

Buffalo Urban League

www.buffalourbanleague.org/ or (716) 854-7625

Catholic Charities

www.ccwny.org

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Central Referral Services-

Call 211 (referral line)

www.211wny.org

(888) 696-9211

Child & Family Services

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Bank & Credit Reporting Agencies

Banks and lenders report your information to the locations listed below. Information on how to dispute an item listed with each can be found on their websites.

Annual Credit Report Request Service

www.annualcreditreport.com or (877) 322-8228

Chex Systems, Inc

www.chexhelp.com or (800) 428-9623

Equifax Credit Information Services, Inc

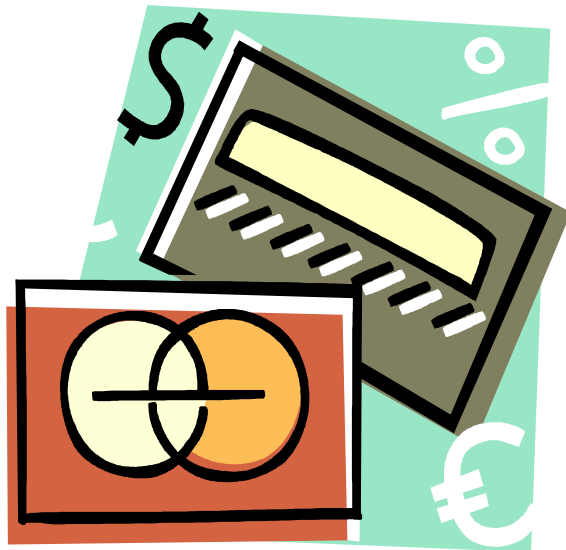
www.equifax.com or (800) 685-1111

Experian

www.experian.com or (800) 520-1221

TransUnion

www.transunion.com or (800) 888-4213



Employment

Looking for new employment or training opportunities? The organizations listed in this section can help. Each provide either job listings or training for new employment.

Buffalo Employment Training Center

www.workforcebuffalo.org/contact.asp or
(716) 856-5627

ECC Employment & Training Center

www.econestop.org or (716) 825-2525

Everywoman Opportunity Center (EWOC)

www.everywoman.org or (877) 847-1121

Greater Buffalo Works

www.wdcinc.org/works or (716) 845-6003

New York State Division of Employment Service

(716) 851-2600

NYS Department of Labor

www.labor.state.ny.us or (716) 854-9511

Parachute Group

(716) 276-1117

The Western New York Independent Living Center

www.wnyilp.org/ or (716) 836-0822

USA Jobs

www.usajobs.com

Vocational -Vesid (Buffalo District Office)

(716) 848-8001

Family / Health Services

This section contains a short listing of organizations that provide services regarding a variety of different situations within the family and health services field.

Aids Community Services of Western New York

www.aidscommunityservices.com

(716) 847-2441

Alcohol Anonymous Family Groups

www.al-anon.org

(716) 856-2520

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) Buffalo Central Office

www.ny-aa.org

(716) 853-0388

Buffalo Hearing and Speech

www.askbhsc.org

(716) 885-8318

Child & Adolescent Treatment Services Inc

(716) 835-4011

Child and Family Services

www.childfamilybny.org or (716) 842-2750

Child Care Resource Network

www.wnychildren.org or (716) 877-6666

Child Health Plus

www.nyhealth.gov or (716) 847-0881

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Education/Student Loan Information

Looking for a student loan or for options to repay the current student loan you have? The following is a list of organizations that may be able to help.

Financial Aid-The Smart Student Guide

www.finaid.org

Government Loans

www.govloans.gov or (800) 333-4636

National Health Service Corps

www.nhsc.bhpr.hrsa.gov or (800) 221-9393

New York State Higher Education Services

www.hesc.com

Student Loan Borrower Assistance

www.studentloanborrowerassistance.org



Food

The following is a listing of organizations that provide help with obtaining food for a household.

Angel Food Ministries

www.angelfoodministries.com or (877) 366-3646

Food Bank of WNY - Food Pantry Finder

www.foodbankwny.org/public/html/home/index.htm or
(716) 852-1305

Food for All

www.religiousnet.org or (716) 882-7705

Meals On Wheels

www.mealsonwheelswny.org/ or (716) 894-9609

Women, Infants, and Children - WIC

www.health.state.ny.us/prevention/nutrition/wic/ or
(800) 522-5006



Government Agencies

This section refers to various government and regulatory agencies.

Better Business Bureau

(716) 881-5222

Department of Social Services

Erie County (716) 858-7511

Niagara County (716) 439-7600

Federal Trade Commission (FTC)

www.ftc.gov or (877) 382-4357

NYS Attorney General

www.oag.state.ny.us or

State Office (212) 416-8345

Buffalo (716) 853-8400



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NYS Banking Department

www.banking.state.ny.us or (877) 226-5697

NYS Consumer Protections Board

(518) 474-8583

NYS Insurance

(800) 342-3736

OCC - Office of the Comptroller of the Currency

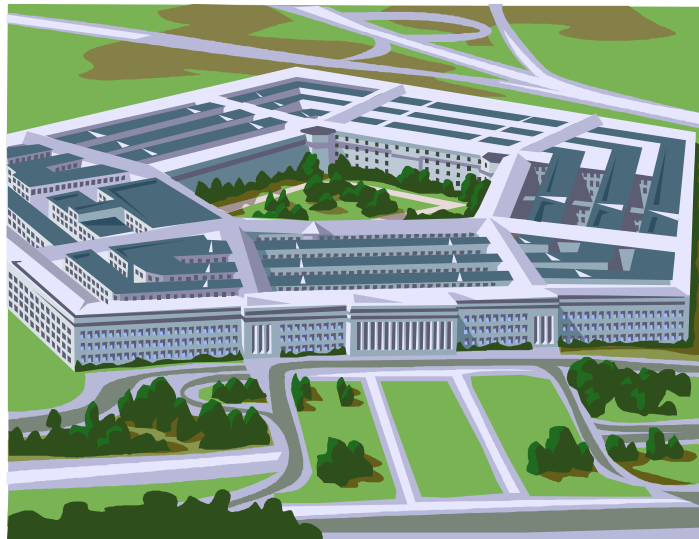
www.occ.treas.gov or (800) 613-6743

US Veterans Affairs Regional Office

(716) 847-3414

Voter Registration Website

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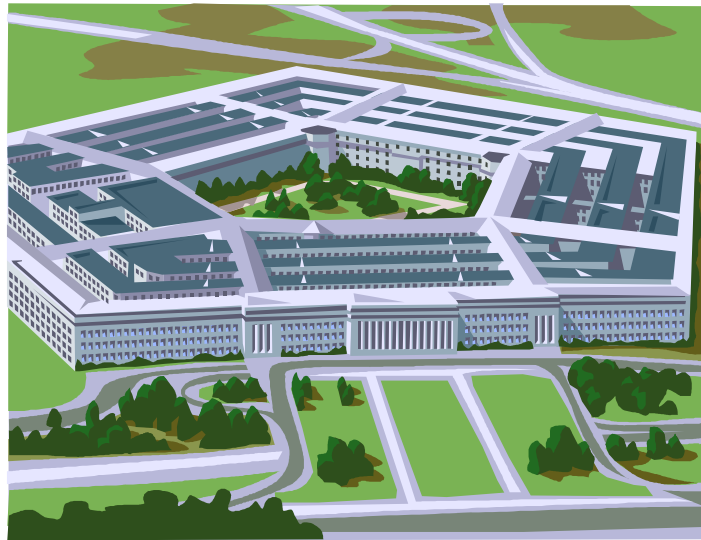
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Legal Services

Locating an attorney is not always easy. Below is a listing including Bar Associations and Legal Aid Services for your quick reference.

Bar Association-Erie County

(716) 852-3100

Bar Association-New York State

(800) 342-3661

Legal Aid Bureau of Buffalo, Inc. (Civil Matters)

www.legalaidbuffalo.org/ or (716) 853-9555

Legal Aid of Chautauqua Region, Inc.

(716) 483-2116

Legal Aid Society - Immigration

(585) 232-4090



Legal Services for the Elderly

(716) 853-3087

Neighborhood Legal Services

(716) 847-0650

Niagara County Legal Aid

(716) 284-8831

Oak Orchard Legal Services

(585) 343-5450

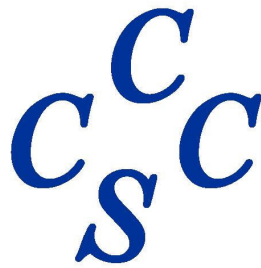
Southern Tier Legal Services

(716) 664-4535

Volunteer Lawyer's Project

(716) 847-0662





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