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**Legal Aid Society**  
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**East Cleveland Site of Free Legal Advice Clinic**  
*hosted by Legal Aid and Squire, Sanders & Dempsey LLP*

The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland is pleased to announce an additional neighborhood outreach location. The Saturday, June 24<sup>th</sup> Brief Advice Clinic will be at the Helen S. Brown Center (16100 Euclid Avenue, East Cleveland) from 10:00 a.m. – 12 noon. The center is named for Helen S. Brown, community volunteer, advocate, social worker and past director of the center.

Attorneys from the law firm of Squire, Sanders & Dempsey LLP will staff the civil legal clinic for low-income individuals and families, managed by Legal Aid's Volunteer Lawyers Program. The June 24<sup>th</sup> program is part of an ongoing series of drop-in legal clinics sponsored by Legal Aid in various neighborhoods.

During the clinics, volunteer lawyers offer general advice, information or referrals to individuals with civil legal issues, including divorce, contracts and bankruptcy, as well as problems with public benefit systems. The attorneys do not handle criminal cases. Interested persons should bring all relevant paperwork.

Legal Aid's Volunteer Lawyers Program, organized in collaboration with the Cuyahoga County Bar Association, and the Cleveland Bar Association's *Our Commitment to Our Community*, mobilizes private attorneys to assist in making legal advice and representation more accessible to low income persons and families. Since 1905, The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland has provided high-quality free legal assistance to low income clients in Northeast Ohio. In 2005, over 8,500 cases were handled by 38 Legal Aid attorneys. An additional 1,500 cases were handled with the assistance of volunteers.

For further information, please contact The Legal Aid Society of Cleveland at 216-687-1900 or visit: [www.lascev.org](http://www.lascev.org)

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