

Community Connections: North Carolina

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For assistance or questions about unemployment, evictions or mortgage issues, accessing your stimulus check or tax concerns, there are trusted organizations in North Carolina that can help free of charge.

Self-Assistance

Be prepared — contact one of these organizations immediately for assistance.

Legal Aid of North Carolina (LANC)

[COVID and the Law: Housing, Benefits and Unemployment Self-Help Library \(English and Espanol\)](#)

Employment

NC Department of Commerce Employment Security

[Pandemic Emergency Unemployment Compensation \(PEUC\) \(after exhausting state unemployment\)](#)

North Carolina Justice Center

[Know Your Rights: Employment](#)

Legal Aid of North Carolina (LANC)

[Employment](#)

Tenant/Housing

Legal Aid of North Carolina (LANC)

Fair Housing Hotline: 855-797-FAIR (3247)

[Webcast: Foreclosures and Evictions During the Pandemic](#)

[Self-Help Videos: Including Disaster Relief and Tenant Rights](#)

North Carolina Justice Center

[Tenant FAQ During COVID](#)

Finances

Consumer Finance Protection Bureau (CFPB)

[Protecting Your Finances During COVID](#)

National Consumer Law Center Digital Library

[Prioritizing Debts During COVID](#)

Legal aid service directories/hotlines

Legal Aid of North Carolina (LANC)

[Apply for Services – Online Intake Application](#)

[Main Directory of Services](#)

Legal Aid Helpline: 866-219-5262

Senior Legal Aid Helpline: 877-579-7562