

Self Help Centers -

- 16% of Justice Gap respondents received help from court based self help centers
- 135 locations throughout the state
- 931,606 documented customer encounters where assistance was provided

Income Guidelines for Legal Services

125% of poverty (LSC)

	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
1 person	\$15,950	\$1,329	\$307
2 persons	\$21,550	\$1,796	\$414

200% of poverty (SHRIVER)

1 Person	\$22,520	\$2,127	\$491
2 Persons	\$34,480	\$2,873	\$663

Precepts

- 1) Learn by doing - we are learning all the time how to do things better
- 2) Leverage other resources -
- 3) Share best practices - Annual training (in collaboration with legal aid), listservs,

Court Innovations

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turnoil relationship. She talks down on me and belittles me in front of the children. No matter what I was doing to raise my children, she would always step in to undermined me. Nothing I would do was accepted. When I told her about moving to Utah, she threatened me to take me to court for grandparental rights if I would not let her see the boys. Not once did I deny a phone call, pictures or text messages. We have been living in Utah since March 23 and she was only texting or calling once in a while. She asked about the boys coming to her house for the summer after they got out of school. They were at her house in Simi Valley for two weeks. The whole time they were there, she complained and stated several times it was too hard on her. She was too busy with work, it was too much for her to do laundry, clean up after them and feed them. Sometimes, she would forget to feed them breakfast or lunch because she had a lot going on. When they came home to Utah, she suggested that they only stay for a week the next time. When the boys were at her house in June, her and I discussed about the boys continuing to see the doctor in California instead of changing to Utah.

She told me she scheduled a doctors appointment for Austin to get his injections for for Angel to get his yearly check up. We met July 13th in Mesquite, Nevada to exchange before the weekend we were going to meet up, she called and stated she was keeping been severely abusing them for years. From then on out, I have been denied any con

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- Nothing to check for child support
- Can never be waived
 - LAST until child turns 18 or if still in high school 15 or graduates

1. CHILD SUPPORT

- If there are minor children born to or adopted by Petitioner and Respondent before or during this marriage or domestic partnership, the court will make orders for the support of the children upon request and submission of financial forms by the requesting party.
- An earnings assignment may be issued without notice.
- Any party required to pay support must pay arrears on certain amounts at the "legal" rate, which is currently 12 percent.

Other (specify):

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8. SPOUSAL OR DOMESTIC PARTNER SUPPORT

- Spousal or domestic partner support paid.
- Terminate (and) the court's ability to award.
- Reserve for future determination the issue.
- Other (specify):

A screenshot of a video conference interface. It shows a grid of video feeds for several participants. The top row has three feeds, and the bottom row has three feeds. The participants appear to be in a professional setting, likely a courtroom or office. The interface includes a toolbar at the top with various icons for video, audio, and chat.



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Family Law Facilitator
Locations



After a Judgment in a Debt Collection Case

If a judgment is entered against you, it means someone went to court to force you to pay them money and the court agreed that you should pay the money. But, they have to do more to collect money from you.

If someone is trying to collect money based on a court order:

- You may challenge a bank levy or wage garnishment, but you must act quickly.
- You may be able to undo ("set aside") this judgment if you didn't respond.
- You may be able to start a payment plan or negotiate with the debt collector.
- You **will not go to jail** for having a judgment against you.

WHAT DO YOU NEED HELP WITH TODAY?

Wage Garnishment

Money taken from my paycheck

Bank Levy

Money taken from my bank account

Lien Against Property

A claim against my home or land

Judgment Basics

Why I received a judgment

Negotiating a Settlement

Working out an agreement

Pay in Installments

Asking to pay in installments

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Materials for Providers of Legal Self-Help Service

Program Operations

Information about operating a self-help center, including funding, staffing, intake tools, and evaluation.

[See More About Operations](#)

Legal Instructional Materials

Reference instructional materials to provide to self represented litigants.

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Pro Bono/Volunteers

Includes a toolkit for judges to help encourage pro-bono work along with pro-bono materials for volunteers.

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Technology Resources

Technology resources available to court self-help centers, including [LawHelp Interactive/HotDocs Programs](#)

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Conferences and Trainings

Past and upcoming events for the legal self help community.

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Local Self Help Efforts

Background on California courts efforts in serving self represented litigants.

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Staff Development

[Basic Overview of California Court System](#) (in the context of an orientation course for court interpreters working in the California Courts)

Training on Working with SRLs

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- General Communication Tools
- Working with Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Populations
- Dealing with Mental Health Issues
- Guidelines and Ethical Issues for Self-Help Center Staff

Materials for Training Legal Staff

The material provided below is designed for training professionals with experience in the law.

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Legal Instructional Materials

This section contains instructional materials developed by self-help center for the people they serve. The materials are developed for specific courts and are examples only.

For materials that are appropriate for statewide use, please see the [California Courts Self Help Center](#).

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Housing

Traffic

Ongoing Support for Self-Help & Education

**California Self-Help
Centers' Self-Assessment
Tool for Quality Programs
Draft**

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of California



Online eLearning Modules

The screenshot displays an eLearning interface with a light gray checkered background. At the top, two scales of justice icons are positioned on either side of a central graphic. This graphic consists of a yellow arrow pointing left labeled 'State', a white circle with 'VS' in the center, and a blue arrow pointing right labeled 'Tribal'. Below this, a dark green arrow on the left contains the text 'Concerns when applying for a restraining order'. To its right are five circular icons: two location pins (Distance), a car (Travel), a person with a child (Childcare), a computer monitor (CLETS), and two hands shaking (Relationship). Below these icons are two purple text boxes with white text: 'Will the tribal court file the restraining order into the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS)?' and 'Is there an existing working relationship or partnership between the tribal court and the local state court?'. At the bottom, a dark gray bar contains the title 'Should My Client File a Restraining Order in Tribal Court or State Court?' on the left, a hamburger menu icon, and left and right navigation arrows on the right. Below this bar is a progress bar with a green segment on the left and a refresh icon on the right.

State VS Tribal

Concerns when applying for a restraining order

Distance Travel Childcare CLETS Relationship

Will the tribal court file the restraining order into the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS)?

Is there an existing working relationship or partnership between the tribal court and the local state court?

Should My Client File a Restraining Order in Tribal Court or State Court?