



HURRICANE KATRINA

You May Need Legal Assistance If...

FINANCIAL

- You do not have cash money available.
- You do not know how to contact USCG Mutual Assistance for a loan or grant.
- You need to know whether you should stop any allotments that you have initiated.
- You need to know whether you need to stop any bank drafts that you initiated.
- You need to know whether you need to stop any direct deposits that you initiated.
- You do not know the name, branch, phone number, address, account number, account minimum payment, credit limit, or type of notes that you are obligated to pay.
- You need to know whether you should continue to pay your mortgage or rent.
- You have questions about your homeowners insurance, including concerns about flood insurance and personal property insurance.
- You have questions about your cable television bill.
- You have questions about any other outstanding debts you are currently paying (e.g. utilities, health club memberships, YMCA, gym, etc.).
- You need a creditor's account number, amount owed and address.

AUTOMOBILE

- You have a car, but it is not currently with you or your spouse.
- You have questions about car insurance.
- You have questions about your automobile loan.
- You do not know where the title is.
- You do not have your vehicle's registration and insurance policy.
- You do not know the renewal date for your license plate and inspection sticker.
- You do not have a valid state driver's license.
- You do not know when your state driver's license expires.



FAMILY

- You are currently separated from your family because of Hurricane Katrina.
- Your family does not have their military ID cards.
- You do not know how to obtain new identification cards.
- You do not know where all citizenship papers are.
- You do not know where your passports are.
- You need a power of attorney to give someone else the authority to be you.
- Any family member needs to speak with an attorney.
- You need to make arrangements or discuss concerns regarding custody of your children?
- You have custodial issues, court hearings, support obligations, etc. that need to be reviewed?
- Your children need to be placed in school. Reenrolled? Other educational issues.
- Your spouse was attending school before the hurricane.
- You were attending school before the hurricane.
- You have questions about child care.
- You are unsure where to go for medical care for you/your family?
- You are unsure about Tricare coverage for you/your family

OTHER

- You have been a victim of a crime.
- You need a power of attorney to authorize someone to act as your agent.
- You need information about filing bankruptcy.
- You have been a victim of identity theft.
- You are not sure of the condition or whereabouts of your personal belongings.
- You are unsure what action to take regarding mail.
- You would like to discuss estate planning, e.g. will, living will, child care, etc.