





Legal Assistance of Western New York, Inc.® in collaboration with Tompkins County Bar Association and Finger Lakes Women's Bar Association

Present a free CLE

COVID-19 Housing Law Update and How You Can Help

a CLE by Webinar Friday, October 1, 2021 1:00pm - 2:30pm

1.5 CLE Credits in Professional Practice

The COVID-19 pandemic has threatened safe and stable housing for tenants in the Ithaca area, where an astounding 73% of the population is comprised of renters. The need for legal advice and representation for tenants in our community is dire. This CLE covers updates on COVID-related housing law. It will provide attorneys with an update on the recent changes in housing law and equip them with the tools necessary to continue assisting tenants in a variety of ways through pro bono legal assistance.

Panelists:

- William J. Niebel, Esq., Cornell Law School Professor, Tenants Advocacy Practicum
- ₩ Michael Perehinec, Esq., Partner at Coughlin & Gerhart, LLP
- **Colton Kells, Esq.,** Tenants Advocacy Fellow, Cornell Law School
- **Alissa R. Hull, Esq.**, Staff Attorney, LawNY Inc.[®] Ithaca
- Keran Mattu, Law Graduate Pro Bono Coordinator, LawNY Inc.® Regional

PROGRAM AGENDA

Introductions and opening remarks Covid-19 Housing Law Updates

1:00-1:10pm

State of the "Moratoria" 1:10-1:35pm

- Emergency Eviction and Foreclosure Prevention Act
- Federal Moratorium
- Negotiating Settlements During the Moratorium

Tenant Safe Harbor Act
1:35 -1:55pm
Moratorium on Utility Terminations
ERAP
2:00-2:20pm
Conclusion: Q&A & Next Steps to Sign Up to take a case
2:20-2:30pm

To register: **CLICK HERE** or

visit:https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUodeutgzwvHtHzfL2cmazNKxCyEnADHgFF

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