



PRO BONO PROGRAM

Pro-Se-Plus Divorce Clinic Volunteer Training Session

Friday, November 15, 2013

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

D.C. Bar Conference Center

1101 K Street NW, First Floor, Washington DC 20005-4210

PRESENTED BY: The D.C. Bar Pro Bono Program with support from the D.C. Affairs and Litigation Sections of the D.C. Bar.

The Pro-Se-Plus Divorce Clinic is a two-part workshop to help pro se litigants better understand the divorce process in D.C. Volunteers serve as instructors on substantive and procedural divorce law during the Clinic. During the first session, volunteers will lead an informational seminar on divorce procedure in D.C. for pro se litigants. During the second session, pro se litigants will have an opportunity to fill out their divorce forms, discuss any questions they may have about the process, and to interact with individual volunteer clinic instructors for more personalized attention. The Pro-Se-Plus Divorce Clinic training is used to recruit new volunteer clinic instructors.

The Pro-Se-Plus Divorce Clinic training will cover:

- Pro-Se-Plus Divorce Clinic Operations
- Requirements for Filing for and Obtaining a Divorce in D.C.
- Divorce Procedure
- Property
- Alimony
- Child Custody and Visitation
- Child Support
- Taxes
- Restoration of Former Name

PLEASE NOTE: No particular expertise is required to participate. This training is appropriate for attorneys, paralegals and law students. Clinic volunteers must attend this training before participating with the Clinic and must agree to staff two Clinic workshops. Malpractice insurance is not provided by the D.C. Superior Court or the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Program to attorneys who volunteer at the Pro-Se-Plus Divorce Clinic. Pro Bono Program training sessions are not MCLE accredited.

Registration: Online at www.dcbar.org/probono.

\$15 For All Training Participants

*All cancellation and refund requests for pro bono trainings conducted by the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Program must be received in writing seven (7) days before the training session date.

*If you require an accommodation, please contact the Pro Bono Program at 202-737-4700, ext. 3293.

*Breakfast will NOT be served at this training. Refreshments will be provided by the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Program.

Questions about the Training Program? Contact Shannon Redd, staff attorney and training manager at sredd@dcbar.org.