



## Legal Services For Veterans

### South Carolina Bar Association Lawyer Referral Service

- Attorneys through this service specialize in various areas of law. They are prescreened, experts in their fields, and agree to charge no more than \$50.00 for an initial 30-minute consultation. **Telephone:** 1-800-868-2284 or 803-799-7100
- **Website:** <https://www.scbar.org/public/get-legal-help/find-lawyer-or-mediator/find-a-lawyer/>

### Richland County Attorney Referral Service

- Attorneys through this service agree to charge no more than \$20.00 for initial 30-minute consultation. **Telephone:** 419-524-9944

### 12th Legal Operations Detachment (US Army Reserves)

- Legal assistance services offered on a space-available basis; including basic legal advice, will preparation, and Powers of Attorney
- Submit an electronic request for services through the **Legal Command website:** <https://www.usar.army.mil/Commands/Functional/Legal-Command/Legal-Resources/Request-for-Legal-Assistance/>

### SC Valor

- The SC-VALOR (Veteran and Armed Services Legal Outreach) Program coordinates existing legal resources for the military and veterans.
- The program consists of free legal clinics held around the state, and a referral line to connect veterans and military members with lawyers who will provide free or heavily-discounted legal help. Legal clinics can handle simple legal issues like *writing wills and power of attorney documents*. **Telephone:** (803)734-VETS
- **Website:** <https://www.scag.gov/inside-the-office/executive-division/sc-valor-program/>
- **Electronic Intake Form:** <https://www.scag.gov/inside-the-office/executive-division/sc-valor-program/sc-valor-program-intake-form/>

### Lawyers 4 Vets – South Carolina Appleseed Legal Justice Center

- A pro bono legal clinic for lower-income Veterans in South Carolina.
- The clinic will connect lower-income veterans with local attorneys who will provide one-on-one pro bono legal advice or representation.
- Lawyers 4 Vets will assist veterans with:
  - South Carolina child support orders and modifications
  - Expungement of SC criminal records, and/or pardon applications
  - Simple will and/or healthcare power of attorney (available for veterans and their spouse)
- Low-income Veterans in the midlands areas of South Carolina can call the Lawyers 4 Vets intake line at **1-877-289-6000** to schedule an appointment.