



THE LOW-INCOME TAXPAYER CLINIC

The Legal Aid Society
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What is the LITC?

The Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic (LITC) at The Legal Aid Society provides free legal assistance to low-income taxpayers who have disputes with the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) and the New York State Department of Taxation and Finance.

The LITC also offers educational workshops on tax rights and responsibilities in Spanish, English or Chinese.

The LITC is a program of The Legal Aid Society, an independent non-profit organization. The LITC is not affiliated with any government tax agency. We provide tax representation to low-income individuals and families who reside in Manhattan. Our office is located in East Harlem.



Having Tax Problems?



**CALL THE
LITC
HOTLINE AT:
(212) 426-3013**

**For Free Advice and
Assistance!**

What can the LITC do for me?

The LITC provides **free** legal representation and advice in income tax cases with the IRS and New York State. We can assist you at all stages of your tax case, including audits, appeals, court proceedings, and collections. All consultations are absolutely confidential.

We handle all kinds of tax issues including earned income credit, child tax credit, filing status, dependency exemptions, innocent spouse relief, employee classification, and more.

Although we do not prepare and file tax returns, we can refer you to agencies that can help you with filing.

Who is eligible for services?

You are eligible for services if:

- ✓ you live in Manhattan;
- ✓ you have an income tax problem; and
- ✓ your current yearly gross (before tax) income falls within the following guidelines for the year 2007:

<u>Family Size</u>	<u>Household Income</u>
1	\$25,525
2	\$34,225
3	\$42,925
4	\$51,625
5	\$60,325
each additional person add	\$ 8,700

How do I contact the LITC?

Call the LITC at (212) 426-3013 and leave your name and a telephone number where you can be reached between 8:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. A trained staff member will return your call as soon as possible to briefly discuss your tax case and to determine your eligibility for our services.



Before you call, please have with you:

- ▶ your current income records, including pay stubs;
- ▶ your Social Security card;
- ▶ any tax bills, letters, or notices from the IRS or the U.S. Tax Court;
- ▶ your tax return for the year in question.