

MISSION STATMENT

Advance the legal rights of people with disabilities, support and empower families and provide training and information that promotes the overall health and educational development of children and youth.

WHO WE ARE

The Disability Rights Center of the Virgin Islands (DRCVI) is the federally-mandated and funded protection and advocacy corporation for the U.S. Virgin Islands. DRCVI advocates for the rights of people with a wide range of physical and mental disabilities, and provides training and information that promotes the health, education and welfare of the disability community.

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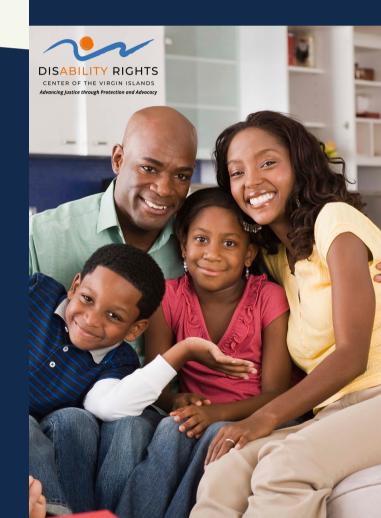
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DISABILITY RIGHTS CENTER OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

Advancing Justice through Protection and Advocacy



WHAT TYPES OF LEGAL PROBLEMS DOES DRCVI HANDLE?

DRCVI provides trainings and outreach for clients, parents/guardians and community groups.

FAMILY

Civil Rights

Education Employment Healthcare Transportation

HOUSING

Public Accommodation Accessibility Public/Subsidized Housing Discrimination

PUBLIC BENEFITS

Vocational Rehabilitation Services Social Security Information Medicare Discrimination Unemployment Compensation Medicaid Card Eligibility Issues Worker Compensation

OTHER

ADA Issues related to ADA, FMLA, persons with mental illness, developmental disabilities, assistive technology, voting rights and other individuals rights

Community Economic Development

Community Legal Education

- Consumer Problems
- Hearings before the VI Labor Dept.

SERVICES



ADVICE AND CONSULTATION

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03.

DIRECT CLIENT REPRESENTATION

REFERRALS TO APPROPRIATE PUBLIC OR PRIVATE AGENCIES

04. TRAININGS AND OUTREACH

INFORMATION DISSEMINATION



WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR LEGAL SERVICES?

Persons with disabilities as described by the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADAAA).

HOW ARE SERVICES PROVIDED?

DRCVI employs attorneys, advocates and other support personnel. The agency will determine the scope and extent of services for each case, based upon available resources.

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