

Virginia Poverty Law Center Seeks Public Housing Attorney

The Virginia Poverty Law Center, a statewide legal services support center committed to breaking down the systemic barriers that keep low-income people in poverty, seeks an experienced attorney to join our dynamic housing team. VPLC's housing team has been at the forefront of the battle to prevent evictions in Virginia, using advocacy, community education and litigation to help keep people housed. We are looking for a new team member who will use these same strategies to represent public and subsidized housing tenants and obtain justice and systems reform for and with them.

Successful applicants must be graduates of an accredited law school and have at least five years of experience representing tenants and/or tenant organizations in housing matters in a legal services or similar organization. Preferred qualifications include Virginia Bar license, experience using the community lawyering model, admission to federal court and experience mentoring other attorneys.

To apply, please send resume, brief writing sample and three references to Hiring@vplc.org.

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