



## Have a criminal law issue?

## Is communication difficult?

## Connecting Ottawa can help connect you with services.

Do any of the following apply to your situation?

- “I was drinking at a party and blacked out. I think I was sexually assaulted.”
- “I was arrested for possessing an illegal drug. I am worried about how this will affect my job and access to my kids.”
- “When I was pulled over by the police, I refused to take a Breathalyzer test.”
- “I have a criminal record. It’s making it hard for me to get a job, rent an apartment and see my kids.”
- “I’m worried that my criminal record will affect my permanent residence status”
- “I am a sex worker and I advertise my services.”
- “My child is a prison inmate with a mental illness. I’m worried that he/she is not receiving the right health care.”
- “I’m the victim of a violent crime and I want to know if I’m entitled to compensation.”
- “I was arrested and was not given an interpreter, so I didn’t understand why I was being held and I was not told I had the right to talk to a lawyer before talking to a police.”
- “I’m under 18 and have been charged with shoplifting.”





## CONTACT

### University of Ottawa Community Legal Clinic

17 Copernicus St.

613-562-5600

[commonlaw.uottawa.ca/community-legal-clinic](http://commonlaw.uottawa.ca/community-legal-clinic)

### Ottawa Community Youth Diversion Program

Confederation Education Centre

1645 Woodroffe Ave, Room 16

613-226-4997

[bgcottawa.org](http://bgcottawa.org)

### JusticeNet

1-866-919-3219

[justicenet.ca/professions](http://justicenet.ca/professions)

### Ottawa Legal Information Centre

85 Albert St, Unit 1400

613-842-7462

[legalinfocentre.ca](http://legalinfocentre.ca)

### Ottawa Victims Service

City Centre

250 City Centre Ave, Ste 600

613-238-2762

[ovs-svo.com](http://ovs-svo.com)

### Law Society Referral Service

1-855-947-5255

[lsrs.info](http://lsrs.info)

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Effective communication  
Accessible justice



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