# Legal Information Resources

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* **Educaloi:** This website has information on almost any topic of law you will deal with ([www.educaloi.qc.ca](http://www.educaloi.qc.ca)). Note that most information is in both official languages but that some is only found on the French pages so it is a good idea to navigate this site in French, and then go to the equivalent English page if necessary, to avoid missing information.
* **Caij:** You can access the Bar Course books which summarize many areas of law, as well as other resources, for free on the net at [www.caij.qc.ca](http://www.caij.qc.ca).
* **Canlii or Publications QC:** Both websites provide the most up-to-date versions of laws and regulations that we are able to access. Go to [www.canlii.org](http://www.canlii.org) or [www.publicationsduquebec.gouv.qc.ca/accueil.en.html](http://www.publicationsduquebec.gouv.qc.ca/accueil.en.html). You should always double check a provision on one of these sites as paper copies of laws may be out of date.
* **Justice Québec**: This website contains documents, forms and information on many legal issues and the Quebec’s court system. Services: payment of fines, personal rights and movable property, court rolls, lobbyists registry, register of commissioners for oaths, register of letters of patent for land, public registry of litigants (subject to authorization by the superior court of Quebec), public registry of persons found to be quarrelsome by the court of Quebec, sales register. <http://www.justice.gouv.qc.ca/francais/accueil.asp>
* **Barreau de Montréal:** Reference service by professional order representing close to 13,000 Montreal lawyers. 30-minute consultation with a lawyer in any specialty of law for $30. Annual Salon Visez-Droit event at Complexe Desjardins for five days each spring offers free consultations with lawyers in any specialty of law. For reference service call 514-866-2490 or e-mail [reference@barreaudemontreal.qc.ca](mailto:reference@barreaudemontreal.qc.ca) <https://www.barreaudemontreal.qc.ca/>
* Legal aid is designed to enable those financially eligible to benefit from legal services to the extent provided by law and regulations. Legal Aid Eligibility: https://www.barreaudemontreal.qc.ca/en/public/legal-aid
* **Chambre des notaries du Québec:** Free legal information hotline at 1-800-668-2473 operated by the professional association representing more than 3,300 Quebec notaries. Website also features information sheets on estates and wills, real estate law, commercial law and agricultural zoning and other issues. <http://www.cnq.org/>
* [**Commission des services juridiques**](http://www.csj.qc.ca)**:** Agency responsible for Quebec’s legal aid system and some 350 legal aid lawyers for legal advice or representation before the courts for those who are eligible. 2, Complexe Desjardins. Tour Est, Bureau 1404. Montréal (Québec). 514-873-3562 <http://www.csj.qc.ca/SiteComm/W2007Francais/Main_fr_v4.asp>
* [**Mile End Legal Clinic:**](http://www.justicemontreal.org/)Walk-in legal clinic (no appointment needed). Legal information and advice from volunteer lawyers and student lawyers from McGill and Université de Montréal. 99 Bernard St. W. Wednesdays from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. (summer hours). [info@melc.ca](mailto:info@melc.ca) 514-507-3054 http://www.justicemontreal.org/en/contact-us/
* [**McGill Legal Information Clinic (MLIC):**](http://mlic.mcgill.ca/MLIC.html) Bilingual legal information and referral service with law student volunteers. Monday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 514-398-6792. 3480 Rue McTavish #107. Montréal, QC H3A 0E7.
* [**Clinique juridique des artistes de Montréal**](http://www.cjam.info/index_en.php)**:** Workshops, legal information nights, fact sheets, telephone consultations on legal issues affecting artists. 1210 Rue Sherbrooke E, Montréal, QC H2L 1L9, Canada. E-mail [recherche@cjam.info. http://cjam.info/en/about-cjam/our-mission/](mailto:recherche@cjam.info.%20%201210%20Rue%20Sherbrooke%20E,%20Montréal,%20QC%20H2L%201L9,%20Canada%20)
* [**Head & Hands:**](http://www.headandhands.ca/legal.php?5?1)Legal information workshops and clinics with specialized services for young people 12 to 25 years. 30-minute consultations with volunteer lawyers for people older than 25 with suggested donation of $20 or more to support legal services for youth. 514-481-0277 <http://headandhands.ca/programs-services/legal-services/legal-workshops/>
* [**Pro Bono Québec**](http://www.probonoquebec.ca/en/)**:** Co-ordinates bank of pro bono hours donated by Quebec law firms. Assigns lawyers to cases a committee considers exceptional, involve issues of public importance or irreparable harm. 514-954-3434 <http://www.probonoquebec.ca/en/contact-us> Email: [info@probonoquebec.ca](mailto:info@probonoquebec.ca)
* [**Tyndale St-Georges Community Centre Legal Clinic**](http://www.tyndalestgeorges.ca/)**:** Walk-in legal clinic Tuesday-Friday from 6-7 p.m. 870 Richmond Square. (514) 931-6265
* [**Young Bar Association of Montreal**](http://www.ajbm.qc.ca/): Professional association representing young Montreal lawyers offers legal preparation for hearings before the small claims division of the Court du Québec, the Régie du logement (rental board) and the Commission des relations du travail. Call 514-954-3446 for information or register at www.ajbm.qc.ca/ under the public services section. 445, boul. St-Laurent, suite RC-03. Montréal, Québec, Canada. H2Y 3T8.
* [**YWCA Legal Information Clinic:**](http://www.ydesfemmesmtl.org/legal_information_en.html) Individual 30-minute sessions with volunteer lawyers available for $0-20; maximum 3 times per year between September to April (9a.m. to 5p.m.) Appointment necessary call. Call 514-866-9941, ext.293, or email [infojuridque@ydesfemmesmtl.org](mailto:infojuridque@ydesfemmesmtl.org)
* [**Youth Employment Service Montreal (YES)**](http://www.yesmontreal.ca)**:** Legal information on business issues for entrepreneurs. Free service by appointment only. 514-878-9788, ext.311. 666 Rue Sherbrooke O, Montréal, QC H3A 1E7
* **Center for Research-Action on Race Relations (CRARR):** The Center for Research-Action on Race Relations has the mandate to promote racial equality and combat racism in Canada. CRARR activities and services include: advocacy and defense for victims of discrimination based on race, religion, ethnic or national origin, citizenship status and related characteristics; charter research and litigation on racial equality issues; conferences, consultations and seminars on different race relations and civil rights issues; private training to public and private institutions, including the judiciary, on diversity and civil rights; research-action projects on systemic racism and intersectionality; interventions and advocacy before legislative, administrative, regulatory and judicial agencies.   
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* **Immigration and citizenship:** Government of Canada<http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/>
* **Consumer Protection:** Office de la protection du consommateur Québec <http://www.opc.gouv.qc.ca/>