



Seeks Applicants for Staff Attorney

Staff attorneys provide comprehensive legal services for civil issues in pursuit of GHLA's mission and priorities. GHLA attorneys practice in areas including Housing, Family, Benefits, Employment, Education, Senior and Immigration. They appear in state and federal courts at both the trial and appellate level, and before administrative agencies. Staff attorneys also work on systemic advocacy efforts, including impact litigation and policy advocacy.

Qualifications:

- Juris Doctor degree
- Member of Connecticut Bar preferred, or eligibility to waive in or sit for the February or July 2022 CT Bar Exam
- Superior oral and written communication skills
- Excellent administrative and organizational skills, including ability to self-direct
- Personal attributes including:
 - dedication to social justice and to advocating for people living in poverty,
 - self-motivation, strong work ethic and commitment to working as a team,
 - ability to work effectively with diverse groups and individuals.

Application Process:

Interested candidates should submit:

1. a letter expressing in detail your interest in the position of Staff Attorney, and what you believe you can contribute to GHLA's pursuit of its mission
2. a current resume
3. law school transcript
4. three references

Materials should be emailed to: staffattorneyhire@ghla.org

Applications will be accepted until hiring is completed. GHLA is an equal opportunity employer, and is a signatory to the Connecticut Legal Community's Diversity and Inclusion Pledge. This is a full-time position, with excellent salary and benefits including a Loan Repayment Assistance Program. Our salary scale is \$65,450 to \$113,450, depending on experience.

About Greater Hartford Legal Aid (www.ghla.org):

Our mission is: *To achieve equal justice for poor people, to work with clients to promote social justice, and to address the effects and root causes of poverty.*