



Host Site: Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas

Topic of Project: Family Law, Probate/Title Clearing and Barrier Removal

Location: Odessa, TX

Description of Fellow Project:

The Fellow will assist with the provision of legal services in the Midland - Odessa area of LANWT's Service Area. The Rural Summer Legal Corps Fellow will focus on providing direct legal services and outreach/community education to the underserved populations in the rural counties served by the Odessa and Midland Offices. The Fellow will focus on three primary areas of Poverty Law with the goal of allowing the Fellow to learn how legal aid works in rural settings and what a legal aid staff attorney experiences on a daily basis.

The RSLC Fellow will focus on three priority areas (Family Law, Probate/Title Clearing and Barrier Removal). This focus will allow LANWT to provide more legal services and outreach/community education to Odessa (Ector County), Midland, and 10 other rural counties in the Odessa and Midland service areas while allowing the Fellow to observe and participate in all aspects of legal aid including client intake, staffing, case handling and outreach/community education.

Applicant Qualifications:

Proficiency in a second language is not required but is considered a plus.

