

WOMEN'S CENTRE OF CALGARY



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Making a Difference

We would like to start by thanking all of our amazing volunteers lawyers who take time out of their busy schedules to provide women in our community with legal advice. You all are impacting so many lives and making such a huge difference in your community.

The Women's Centre continues to serve a great number of women in our community. In the first 5 months of this year, the Centre successfully hosted 76 legal advice clinics with a total attendance of 157 women.

Legal breakdown:

- *48 Family law clinics
- *3 Immigration clinics
- *20 Civil (Non-family) law clinics
- *5 Notary Public clinics

Thank you to all our community and agency partners including Calgary Legal Guidance, Elizabeth Fry Society Calgary, and Pro Bono Alberta. And thank you to the Alberta Law Foundation for making this program possible with your incredible support.

Some quotes from women who accessed our legal advice clinics this year

"The clinic helped me know where to start dealing with problem. Thank you and more power. I am glad that an agency is here to help women in need."

"Staff is friendly and helpful. The lawyer answered my questions very clearly, and helped advice."

Happy Summer!
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