

About Wisconsin Judicare, Inc.

Wisconsin Judicare, Inc. is a non-profit law firm dedicated to equal access to justice for northern Wisconsin's residents. Located in downtown Wausau's Historic Washington Square, Wisconsin Judicare, Inc. is the civil legal service provider for Wisconsin's northern thirty-three counties and eleven federally recognized Indian tribes.

From its inception, Wisconsin Judicare emphasized utilization of the private bar to represent low-income persons and provide eligible clients the freedom to choose their attorneys.

Wisconsin Judicare is able to provide private attorney representation of low income individuals in tax controversies of disputed taxes, and making offers-in-compromise for back taxes owing.

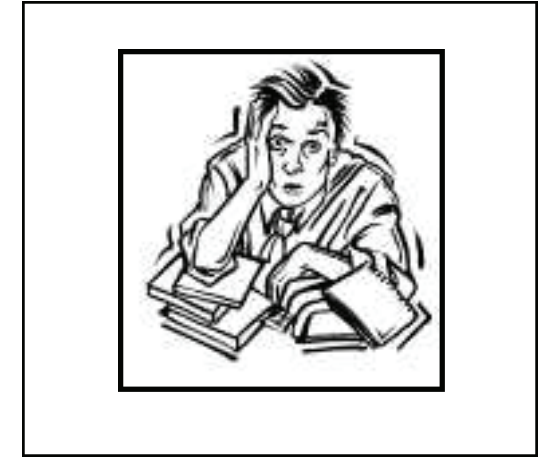
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HAVE A TAX PROBLEM?



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Low-Income
Taxpayer Clinic

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Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic (LITC)

The Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic is a service provided by Wisconsin Judicare, Inc. to assist low- and moderate-income families with tax controversies.



Wisconsin Judicare understands that the majority of taxpayers want to comply with tax laws, but may need help from tax professionals.

Low-Income Taxpayer Clinics represent low-income taxpayers before the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) in audit, appeals, and collection issues, as well as in federal tax litigation, for free.

Low-Income Taxpayer Clinics receive partial funding from the Internal Revenue Service. Clinics and their volunteers, however, are completely independent of and not associated with the Federal Government. Each clinic independently determines if you meet its income guidelines and other criteria before agreeing to represent you.

Every taxpayer has a right to have access to representation.

Legal Help

Wisconsin Judicare's Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic can help with the following:

- *Claiming Earned Income Tax Credits
- *Audits/Exams
- *Innocent Spouse Declarations
- *Offers-in-Compromise
- *Responding to Letters from the IRS

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Eligibility

If you are a low-income taxpayer who cannot afford professional tax assistance during audits of your federal income tax return, you may qualify for help Judicare's Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic.

Taxpayers will be accepted up to 250% of the poverty guidelines. The tax amount due for each year under audit cannot be more than \$50,000.

FAMILY SIZE	INCOME CEILING for 2009
1	\$27,075
2	\$36,425
3	\$45,775
4	\$55,125
5	\$64,475
Each Additional Family Member	add \$9,350



Before Calling

Have the following materials ready when contacting the Low-Income Taxpayer Clinic for the first time. Questions can be answered easily if these items are at your fingertips:

1. Any tax bills, letters from the IRS
2. Copies of letters written to the IRS
3. Your Social Security Number
4. Your current income

If you have a tax issue and need assistance, please call our office. All meetings and telephone conversations are confidential.

Each year, changes in tax laws and forms add to the complexity of working with the IRS. Many individuals need to file additional forms in order to get Earned Income Credit and child tax credits due.

Consider working with our Low Income Taxpayer Clinic.

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