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Attorneys and Legal Assistance for Elder Care Issues -- serving Illinois

Agency Name / Address / Phone	Average Fees and Other Information	Area of Experience							
		Advance Directives (Powers of Attorney)	Estate & Gift Tax Planning	Guardianship, Conservatorship	Medicaid	Medicare	Disability Benefits and Appeals	Retirement Benefits	Personal Injury on Older Persons Behalf
AARP Legal Services Network 601 East Street North West Washington, DC 20049- (866) 330-0753 or (888) 687-2277	Large Directory of attorneys across the country that reduces legal fees for AARP members and their spouses/partners. Free initial in-person or phone consultation, up to 45 minutes. Low fixed rates for simple wills and powers of attorney. Other legal services 20% reduction off attorneys' usual rates.	X		X			X	X	X
Berg, Leonard F [Leonard F. Berg, Attorney at Law] 625 South Bellwood East Alton, IL 62024- (618) 258-4800	\$200/hr. (\$225 for Medicaid Planning application). Reduced fee initial phone or in-person consultation, up to 30 minutes, for Alzheimer's Association families. Reduced fees available on the basis of need. Will meet in home, hospital and nursing home setting. Areas of concentration are: working with the elderly, persons with disabilities and their families.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Coulson, Wesley J. (The Coulson Law Group) IL 101 South Pointe Drive, Suite B Edwardsville, IL 62025- (618) 659-9292	Fee varies. Free initial phone or in-person consultation, up to 15 minutes. Reduced fees available on basis of need. Will meet in home, hospital, and nursing home settings. Areas of concentration are: Medicaid eligibility planning and estate planning.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	

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Huffman, Brian A. (Huffman Law Offices) 2225 North Center Street Maryville, IL 62062- (618) 344-9330 or (866) 842-3430	Most work is flat fee basis. Other matters are \$175/hr. Free initial phone or in-person consultation, up to 30 minutes. Will meet in home, hospital, and nursing home setting. Areas of concentration are: Estate Planning and Elder law (including Wills, Trusts, Powers of Attorney, Medicaid Planning, Probate and Guardianship, and Special Needs Planning). Illinois and Missouri licensed.	X	X	X	X	X			
Jacknewitz, Dennis J. [Jennings, Jacknewitz & Schrader, P. C.] 720 West Main Street, Suite 150 Belleville, IL 62220- (618) 233-0900	\$185-\$250/hr. Reduced fees available on basis of need. Will meet in home, hospital and nursing home setting (in metro area only). Primary area of practice is Estate Planning.	X	X	X					
Jones, Stephen C. [Jones Elder Law, LLC] 2 Terminal Drive, Suite 15 East Alton, IL 62024- (618) 258-8466 or (877) 284-0325	Work on a flat fee basis. No fee for first meeting, but please bring all necessary documents and information for initial meeting. Primary practice is Elder Law and Asset Protection. Licensed in Illinois and Missouri.	X	X	X	X	X			
Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation (Alton) 310 Easton Street, Suite 330 Alton, IL 62002- (618) 462-0029 or (800) 642-5570	Legal Advice and Referral Center. Provides civil legal services for low-income residents and senior citizens in the southern 65 counties of Illinois.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation (Carbondale) 509 South Univ. Ave., Old Nat. Bank Building, Third Floor Carbondale, IL 62901 (618) 457-7800 or (800) 642-5335	Legal Advice and Referral Center. Provides civil legal services for low-income residents and senior citizens in the southern 65 counties of Illinois.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	

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Land of Lincoln Legal Assistance Foundation (East St. Louis) 8787 State Street, Suite 101 East Saint Louis, IL 62203- (618) 398-0958	Legal Advice and Referral Center. Provides civil legal services for low-income residents and senior citizens in the southern 65 counties of Illinois. Medicaid services vary.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Larson, Nancy R. (Harter, Larson, & Dodd) 201 South Jackson Street Belleville, IL 62220-2254 (618) 235-6335	Most work is flat fee, other matters are \$175/hr. Will meet in home, hospital and nursing home setting. Areas of concentration are: Elder law, Medicaid Planning, Estate Planning, Probate and Guardianship, Gifting, Veteran's Benefits, Special Needs Planning for disabled individuals and their families. Illinois and Missouri licensed.	X	X	X	X		X	X
Lauber, Paul H. 3B Club Centre Court Edwardsville, IL 62025-3519 (618) 692-9080	\$180/hour; Flat fees for Estate Plan work. Free initial in-person meeting up to 30 minutes with completed estate plan questionnaire. Reduced fees available on basis of need. Home visits available. Wills, trusts (including special needs trusts), powers of attorney, guardianships, probate, long-term care planning.	X	X	X	X		X	
Robertson, Rosalind M. [Jones Elder Law, LLC] 2 Terminal Drive, Suite 15 East Alton, IL 62024- (618) 258-8466 or (877) 284-0325	Work on a flat fee basis. No fee for first meeting, but please bring all necessary documents and information to initial meeting. Primary area of practice is Elder Law and Asset Protection. Licensed in Illinois and Missouri.	X	X	X	X	X		

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Vetri, Kristi (Association Law Offices, Ltd.) 5005 W. Main Street Belleville, IL 62226- (618) 257-8563	Most work is flat fee basis. Other matters are \$175-\$250/hr. Reduced fees are available on basis of need. Will meet in home, hospital, and nursing home settings. Specialty is Elder Law, Estate Planning, Long Term Care, Asset Preservation, Disability and Special Needs, Probate, Guardianship, Veterans Benefits, Real Estate and housing, and Edler Abuse (financial exploitation and physical) Litigation.	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Weber, Michelle E. (Huffman Law Offices) 2225 North Center Street Maryville, IL 62062- (618) 344-9330 or (866) 842-3430	Most work is flat fee basis, other matters are \$175/hr. Free initial phone or in-person consultation, up to 30 minutes. Will meet in home, hospital, and nursing home setting. Areas of concentration are: Estate Planning and Elder Law (including Wills, Trusts, Powers of Attorney, Medicaid Planning, Probate and Guardianship, and Special Needs Planning). Illinois and Missouri Licensed.	X	X	X	X	X			