



LENOX HILL NEIGHBORHOOD HOUSE

## POST- LAW GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITY – FALL 2020

Lenox Hill Neighborhood House’s Legal Advocacy Department is seeking to sponsor law students graduating in 2020, judicial law clerks completing clerkships in 2020, and, where appropriate, recent law graduates, for fellowships in public interest law such as the Skadden Fellowship, the Equal Justice Works Fellowship and the Kirkland & Ellis Fellowship.

Our talented team of twenty-six lawyers and legal advocates provide comprehensive civil legal services to thousands of low-income, often disenfranchised, individuals and families each year, including frail older adults, people who are homeless or who have disabilities, immigrants, low-wage workers and low-income families. Our unique comprehensive legal practice, integrated within a larger social service and educational organization, connects our clients to the multi-disciplinary resources that are often necessary to tackle our society’s most difficult challenges – lack of affordable housing, access to meaningful health care and critical income supports, and end-of-life planning.

We are currently seeking applicants who are interested in creating projects relating to **Eviction Prevention and Tenants’ Rights** in Manhattan, with a focus on East Harlem tenants. The Fellow will play a significant role in our efforts to prevent tenant harassment and displacement as part of the Universal Access to Counsel Program, New York City’s groundbreaking movement for social justice. This is a wonderful opportunity for a dedicated public interest attorney to join an established community-based legal services program in a dynamic nonprofit organization.

Lenox Hill Neighborhood House, widely recognized as one of New York’s premier human services providers, is a 125-year-old settlement house that provides an extensive array of effective and integrated services—social, educational, legal, health, housing, mental health, nutritional and fitness—which significantly improve the lives of 15,000 people in need each year, ages 3 to 103, on the East Side of Manhattan. We operate through a multidisciplinary holistic approach to legal representation, such that our clients receive assistance not only with their civil legal needs, but also have access to our social workers, care managers, ESOL classes and more within our organization. This synergy of legal advocacy and social services creates a powerful tool to achieve social and legal justice for those in need. For more information, please visit our website at [www.lenoxhill.org](http://www.lenoxhill.org).

Applicants should submit a cover letter describing their interest and experience, resume, unofficial transcript and references via email to [legalhiring@lenoxhill.org](mailto:legalhiring@lenoxhill.org). Applicants with foreign language abilities, particularly Spanish, are strongly encouraged to apply. Applications must be received by August 30, 2018. Applicants must either be admitted to the New York Bar, or planning on sitting for the New York Bar no later than July 2020.