MISSION
South Carolina Legal Services (SCLS) is a statewide law firm that provides civil legal services to protect the rights and represent the interests of low-income South Carolinians.

VISION
All low-income South Carolinians will have full and fair to justice.

GOAL
Security, stability, and safety for all families.
SCLS: WHAT WE DO

- Representation
- Advocacy
- Education
- Outreach
AREAS OF LAW

- Family
- Employment
- Housing
- Consumer
- Education
- Probate & Advance Directives
AREAS OF LAW

Public Benefits

Health

Individual Rights
(farmworker, immigration, etc.)

Federal Income Tax
ELIGIBILITY - WHO CAN WE SERVE

Limit on income:

- 125% of the federal poverty level
- Up to 200% - based on certain conditions
ELIGIBILITY - WHO CAN WE SERVE

Limit on assets (money in bank and property):

- Some exceptions (seniors over 60 and crime victims)
- Documented citizens (exceptions, sexual assault, human trafficking and domestic violence)
COST TO CLIENT

- Nothing for attorney
- Court filing fees
- Costs ordered by a court
- Guardian ad Litem fees
COST TO CLIENT

- Mediation fees
- Service of process fees
- Publication
- Interpreters
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