



**Online Resources for Self-Represented Parties  
Recommended for Inclusion on Clerk of Court and/or County Websites**

(Source: Wisconsin Access to Justice Commission)

1. General Administrative Information
  - A. Hours of operation
  - B. Map/directions to the courthouse
  - C. Parking information, including accessible parking and building entrances
  - D. General contact information for clerks, commissioners and judge's staff (as appropriate)
  
2. Special Services
  - A. Availability of language assistance (Interpreters)
  - B. ADA accommodation information and contact person (if applicable)
  - C. Special courts (if available, such as OWI, drug courts, veteran's court, etc.)
  - D. Mediation services (if available)
  
3. Court Forms and Procedures
  - A. Filing Fees – state or local
    - i) State court website comprehensive fee list:  
<https://www.wicourts.gov/courts/circuit/filing.htm>
    - OR
    - ii) List of the most frequently-used filing fees. Example at:  
<http://www.co.rock.wi.us/courts-clerk-filing-fees>
  - B. Link to the State Courts Website self-help center  
<https://www.wicourts.gov/services/public/selfhelp/index.htm>
  - C. Link to forms on State Courts website  
<https://www.wicourts.gov/forms1/index.htm>
  - D. Local Circuit Court Rules or a link to the State Bar website, which contains the circuit court rules of every county  
<http://www.wisbar.org/directories/courtrules/pages/circuit-court-rules.aspx>
  - E. Any local forms and instructions, if applicable, for the most common pro se areas, such as divorce and family law, small claims, eviction, domestic abuse injunctions, probate, etc.
  - F. Information about eFiling  
<https://www.wicourts.gov/ecourts/efilecircuit/index.jsp>
  
4. Legal Resources
  - A. Dates/times of any courthouse-based legal assistance programs
  - B. Information on organizations or services in the community offering assistance to unrepresented litigants and/or link to the Directory of Self-Help Legal Resources in Wisconsin Counties  
<https://www.wicourts.gov/services/public/selfhelp/county.htm>



- C. Link to Wisconsin Legal Advice Online, which offers free legal advice on civil legal topics to eligible individuals  
[www.wilegaladvice.org](http://www.wilegaladvice.org)
  - D. State Bar of Wisconsin's Lawyer Referral Service, which offers free referrals to attorneys who charge their regular rate  
[www.wisbar.org/lris](http://www.wisbar.org/lris)
  - E. Modest Means Panel, which offers free referral to attorneys who charge reduced rates to low-income clients  
[www.wisbar.org/modestmeans](http://www.wisbar.org/modestmeans)
5. Research
- A. Information on how to find case online through CCAP  
<https://wcca.wicourts.gov/index.xsl>
  - B. Information on how to request from a copy of a court record from the Clerk of Court, including applicable fees
  - C. Link to the State Law Library website  
<http://wilawlibrary.gov/>